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AMERICANS IN CHIHUAHUA CITY ARE REPORTED SLAIN.

Fierce Fighting on Three Sides of Bucharest; Russian Blows Tell

Cabinet Crisis.

ASQUITH'S RESIGNATION IS RUMORED IN LONDON.

Britons Also Hear that Lloyd George May Quit to Force the Issue.

BY ARTHUR S. DRAPER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Premier Asquith had a prolonged audience with the King today, following which rumors spread over London, the chief of these having it that he had resigned and that Bonar Law had succeeded him temporarily, with David Lloyd George as the final choice for Prime Minister.

Lord Northcliffe in the Evening News reports that Mr. Lloyd George and his secretary are packing up preparatory to quitting the War Office, but this "out gingers" the "ginger group" organ—Reynolds Newspaper—controlled by Sir Henry Dalziel, a close friend of Mr. Lloyd George, which will say tomorrow:

"Mr. Lloyd George is entirely dissatisfied with the present conduct of the war, culminating in the failure adequately to assist Rumania, and his resignation is likely at any moment. If he resigns it means that he believes the opposition strong enough to overthrow Asquith. If he is wrong in this assumption he will be eliminated politically for some time."

Critical is the only word covering the situation here. Anything milder falls short of the truth. Since my dispatch of November 24, telling of the move to shelve Asquith, the opposition has gained much ground and now the stage is set for a tremendous political battle.

"Political battle," is really too undignified a term, this being really a struggle between two forces holding different views as to the methods necessary to attain the same ends—Britain's position in the world.

The first session of Parliament will see the initial test of strength. The opposition plan calls for a war council of five, including the Premier, Lloyd George, Bonar Law, Balfour and Carson, who would have supreme control.

If there were a chance of success with another man they would eliminate Asquith, but with Carson combining forces with Lloyd George and Bonar Law they think their hopes will be realized.

The country has reached a point where promises no longer satisfy. Too many have gone unfulfilled where delay and procrastination exasperate beyond measure, and where fearful results must follow unless the strongest course is pursued.

The present situation is due to a variety of causes. Submarine activities, food shortage, Rumania's plight, and the ever-growing lists of casualties serve to impress the people with the immensity of the undertaking they have pledged to see through.

Determination and confidence are as strong as ever, but Britain wants to "carry on." The present government is certainly as anxious to win as the opposition, but its terrible weight of responsibility makes for caution.

I have talked with many members

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DIVINE SARAH HAS A COLD.

Cancels Her Wilmington Engagement Because of High Fever.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WILMINGTON (Del.) Dec. 2.—Arriving here late this afternoon from Harrisburg to give a performance in the playhouse this evening, Mme. Sarah Bernhardt was taken ill at Hotel Du Pont and it was necessary to cancel the performance. Mme. Bernhardt was attended by her own private physician, who accompanies her and by Doctors W. H. Kraemer and R. E. Ellegood of this city. The physicians stated that madame was suffering from a severe cold which made it impossible for her to speak above a whisper and that her temperature was very high. They hoped, however, that she would be able to proceed to New York in the morning. One of the largest audiences in the history of the theater had assembled to see her performance, but it was to those who purchased tickets.

Freedom's Symbol.

PRESIDENT LIGHTS LIBERTY'S STATUE.

FLASHES SIGNAL WHICH TURNS ON ELECTRIC CURRENT.

Brilliant Display in New York Harbor Culminated Celebration of Installing System Which Now Lights Bartholdi's Masterpiece from Top to Base Nightly.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—President Wilson gave the wireless flash which bathed the Statue of Liberty in light at 6 o'clock tonight. Bartholdi's famous symbol of American freedom, which has been for thirty years a token of welcome to the United States to millions of immigrants from every land, will be illuminated every night hereafter from top to bottom. The necessary funds to install the lighting system were provided for by public subscriptions.

Grouped around the President on the yacht Mayflower, anchored off Bedloe's Island, as he flashed the signal which turned on the lights, were Mrs. Wilson, Jules J. Jusserand, Ambassador from France; Mme. Jusserand, high officials of the army and navy, and representatives of several nations.

"I light this statue," said the President, "with the thought that it may always stand as a symbol of our purpose to throw upon liberty, out of our own life as a nation, a light which shall reveal its dignity, its serene power, its benignant hope and spirit of guidance."

The President, speaking tonight at the banquet which was the culmination of the celebration, declared that he had thought for the last two years that "peace is going to come to the world only with liberty."

"The peace of the world," Mr. Wilson added, "is not going to be secured by the compacts of nations, but by the sympathies of men."

The President declared that the United States has a community of ideas with France, whose people presented Bartholdi's statue to the United States, because "one republic must love another."

President Wilson said, in part:

"I would certainly be lacking in not saying if I did not express some of the things that have come into my thoughts as I have taken part in these ceremonies. There are many moving circumstances connected with this day, connected with the things it recalls, connected with the things it suggests.

"I was reflecting, as we saw the light stream upon that beautiful statue that its source was outside the statue, that it did not proceed from liberty, but proceeded from the light we were throwing upon liberty, and it occurred to me that after all it was a proper symbol of our life, because we can take to ourselves the dignity of liberty only as we illustrate the fact and the true spirit of liberty, and the only light that we can contribute to the illumination of the world is the light that will shine out of our life as a nation upon that conception and upon that image.

"There was a great responsibility in having adopted liberty as our ideal, because we must illustrate it in what we do. I was struck by the closing phrase of Mr. Pulitzer's admirable little speech. He said that there would come a day when it was perceived that the Goddess of Liberty will also be the Goddess of Peace, and throughout the last two years there has come more and more into my heart the conviction that peace is going to come to the world only with liberty.

"With all due and sincere respect for those who represent other forms of governments than ours, perhaps I may be permitted to say that peace cannot come so long as the destinies of men are determined by small groups, who make selfish choices of their own.

"It is very true, as more than one

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The Great War.

RUMANIANS IN RETREAT ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Diversion of Slavs in the Carpathians Begins to Worry Berlin.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BUCHAREST (via London) Dec. 2, 8:05 p.m.—In the Dumbovitza Valley and in the region of Piteshti, Rumanian troops have retired before the invading Teuton forces, says the official statement issued by the War Office today. A violent battle, it is added, continues on the Glavatziotzu ad Niaslov rivers, west and southwest of Buacharest.

Attacks by the Roumanians in Dobrudja resulted in the reaching of the Bulgarian wire entanglements which, the statement declares, has been passed at some points.

The statement follows:

"Northern and northwestern fronts: On the western frontier of northern Moldavia there were attacks and artillery bombardments. Bad weather is hindering operations.

"In the Dumbovitza valley our troops retired toward the south.

"Western front: In the regon of Pitshti our troops have been attacked violently and were obliged to retire slightly. The violent combat on the Glavatziotzu and Niaslov rivers continues.

"Southern front: In Dobrudja we violently attacked the enemy's position and reached their wire entanglements which we passed at some points.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 2 (via Sayville.)—The situation in Rumania continues to develop favorably for the Teutonic forces, according to this evening's announcement from the War Office.

The effect intended by the Russians in their attacks in the Carpathians—the relief of other fronts—has not been achieved, it is declared, the assaults on the Teutonic lines proving fruitless. The text of the announcement reads:

"It is officially reported nothing important has occurred on either the western or eastern front.

"In the Carpathians, renewed advances in an effort to relieve other fronts were again without success.

"The situation in Rumania is developing in our favor.

"Northwest of Monastir (Macedonian front) there has been violent artillery fire. A Bulgarian advance there repulsed the enemy."

MACEDONIA.

Attempts of Entente forces yesterday to advance on the Macedonian front resulted in failure, the War Office announces. The official report from this front follows:

"On the Macedonian front, advances of the Entente northwest of Monastir were again without success.

The new Russian movement in the Carpathians, along a front of 200 kilometers, is being carried on with great violence, according to the Overseas News Agency. The Russians are attempting to push back the army of Gen. Von Arz by strong pressure in order to penetrate once more Transylvania and menace Gen. Von Falkenhayn's army on the flank and rear.

In accordance with the plan, the Russian attacks are being directed principally against the passes leading from Moldavia to Transylvania, at the very points where Von Arz's army had driven back the Russians.

In conjunction with this operation, there have been attacks in the Zizia Lipa district and Narayuvka, which were repulsed by the Turkish troops on November 30, and attacks in the Ludova sector on November 26.

Further to the south, near Kirilibaba, in the Jacobeni district, southeast of Dorna Watra and between the Uzul and Oituz valleys, the Russians have delivered important attacks which have been repeated six times in one day, in spite of sanguinary losses.

The Russians, says the Overseas agency, were able to make no gain worth mentioning. It adds:

"The tenacity displayed by the Russians on the whole Carpathian front, with disregard for men and materials, gives importance to the

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Count Tarnowski,
Austrian Ambassador to the United States, who has been refused safe conduct to this country.

COUNTESS TARNOWSKI GIVES UP TRIP ABROAD

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Ambassador Penfield at Vienna reported to the State Department today that because of ill health Countess Tarnowski, wife of the new Austro-Hungarian Ambassador to the United States, had abandoned the idea of accompanying her husband to this country. It is presumed here that she will be able to come later, and that if a safe conduct finally is given to the Ambassador by the allies, there will be no objection to her passage through the blockade lines.

Federal Regulation.

WILSON IN FAVOR OF EXTENDING LAW

TO CURB CONSPIRACIES AMONG FOOD-PRICE FIXERS.

Will Confer with Cabinet Members Today, then Formulate His Plan for Supplemental Speech to Congress After He has Delivered the Annual Message.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—After President Wilson has concluded his address before Congress Tuesday, it is possible he may deliver a brief address dealing with the high cost of living.

The President's plans on the subject are indefinite, and may not be matured until the last moment before he goes to Congress. It is known, however, that the administration considers the cost of living one of the most pressing questions before the country and that many of the President's closest advisers favor considering it in the legislative programme.

Thousands of petitions are pouring into the White House calling for some sort of relief, many of them demanding an embargo on food exports to Europe. They are regarded by officials as an indication of a strong trend of public opinion toward an embargo, but, it is understood, will not influence the administration in favor of it.

The course which the President is understood to favor is rather an extension of present laws to meet alleged conspiracies for cornering foods and price fixing. An extensive Federal investigation now is being conducted by United States attorneys in all the large cities, and recently United States Attorney Anderson at Boston was placed in general charge of this work.

President Wilson is expected to confer with some of the Cabinet members on the subject after he returns from New York tomorrow.

BRITISH PROMOTE MAJ.-GEN. FURSE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 2.—Maj.-Gen. Sir Stanley B. Von Donop was today replaced as Master General of the Ordnance in the British army by Maj.-Gen. William T. Furse, a member of the General Staff.

Maj.-Gen. Von Donop was the subject of an acute controversy last year when the lack of guns and munitions was such a serious problem. Viscount Haldane, former Secretary for War, defended Maj.-Gen. Von Donop against a charge that his department had absolutely broken down and described him as indispensable. David Lloyd George, then Minister of Munitions, later said Viscount Haldane's speech was "incomplete and inaccurate."

Outlawry.

VILLA MENACES SUPPLIES FOR PERSHING'S ARMY.

Storekeepers Who Sell to United States Troops Threatened with Death.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 2.—A rumor spread through El Paso tonight that three Americans, Charles Elmendorf, Harry Harries and George Brittingham, have been killed in Chihuahua by Villa troops. Its source, however, proved hard for relatives and friends to trace.

Warren Brittingham, a son, said he had been unable to verify the reported death of his father, and Frank Elmendorf said that he had nothing tangible as to the fate of his brother, Charles.

Three Americans were seen at the Mexican Central station in Chihuahua city when the last refugee train left that city for Sauz Monday, United States military authorities announced today after interviewing refugees who were declared to be reliable.

One of these Americans was said to have been George Brittingham, who was last seen on the railroad station platform, but who did not board the train, the refugees added. This was the last seen of the trio, it was said.

The refugees reported to the military authorities they saw the Americans standing beside the railroad track when the Villa bandits fired into the train as it was leaving for Sauz. When the firing began, the refugees said, the engineer "opened up" his throttle and did not wait for the Americans to board the train.

The military authorities also announced that fully eighty Chinese were killed by the Villa bandits, according to these refugees.

COLUMBUS (N. M.) Dec. 2.—Villa agents have warned the storekeepers and residents of the section of Western Chihuahua occupied by American troops that they must leave the country or be killed and their property confiscated when Gen. Pershing withdraws his forces, civilian truck drivers reported upon their arrival from the field headquarters yesterday.

Farmers, storekeepers and even home owners, they said, were trying to dispose of their possessions for fear they will be confiscated by Villa after the American troops retire.

BATTLE WITH VILLISTAS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

QUERETARO (Mex.) Dec. 2.—Gen. Francisco Murguia reported to Gen. Carranza today he had routed a band of Villa followers, numbering 2500 men, and had pursued them about twelve miles toward Chihuahua city. The general reported he was continuing his advance toward Chihuahua city today.

DETAILS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 2.—A message received from Gen. Obregon at Mexico City late today gave details of a battle between Gen. Murguia's forces and the Villa troops about thirty miles south of Chihuahua city. The battle took place yesterday, starting at 10 o'clock in the morning and lasting six hours. The Villa men, the message said, were defeated.

The message said the bandit force fled in disorder, some toward Santa Isabel and others toward Chihuahua city. The Carranza troops pursued them four hours, capturing three machine guns, many rifles and some horses.

Many prisoners were taken, the message adding that they were executed. The dispatch said Villa's losses were heavy.

Among Carranza officers reported killed was Col. Candelario Garza. The Villa bandits numbered 2500, according to prisoners captured.

Gen. Obregon's message, which was received by way of Eagle Pass, Texas, was the first account of the fight from Gen. Murguia sent from the latter's camp today.

"My advance guards came into contact with those of the bandit Villa at 10 o'clock today and, after a fight of six hours' duration, the enemy completely disorganized, fled in disorder, part heading for Santa Isabel and others for Chihuahua. Our pursuit was followed for twelve miles over the mountains. We captured three machine guns and a large quantity of armament and many saddled cavalry horses, besides a large number of prisoners, who were executed on the spot.

"The losses of the rebels were heavy, but no account could be made of them, as we have left the field. I regret to state that Col. Candelario Garza was killed in action and other officers were wounded. The names and details I shall send later, together with the losses in the ranks.

"The action was entirely over by 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

"The enemy numbered, according to prisoners, 2500 men, who left Chihuahua yesterday with the purpose of intercepting our advance. After reorganizing my forces I am continuing my advance to Chihuahua, expecting to arrive at an early hour tomorrow.

[Signed] "MURGUIA."

Neutrality.

CALLS ALLIED DEMAND BLOW AT SOVEREIGNTY.

Charge Vouros of Greek Legation Delivers a Note to the State Department Characterizing Entente Methods as Serious Infringement of Rights and Recounts the Painful Circumstances Surrounding Suffering People.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—A note denouncing as a "serious infringement of sovereign rights" the allied demand for surrender of Greek arms and ammunition to the Anglo-French expedition at Saloniki, and pleading for the sympathetic understanding of the United States in the "painful circumstances" surrounding the Greek government, was delivered to the State Department today by A. Vouros, charge of the Greek legation.

The communication sets forth at length the efforts of Greece to retain neutral and gives notice that the Greek government "has rejected and will continue to reject, this last demand." No official explanation of the causes which led the government to recede from that decision has reached Washington, but from the strong language of the note, officials infer that extreme pressure must have been exerted before the arms and ammunition were given up.

During his visit to the State Department, Charge Vouros talked over the whole Greek situation with Counselor Polk, but neither had anything to say regarding the conference. It is understood that communications similar to those addressed to the United States have gone to all neutral governments and that the step was intended primarily to create a proper understanding among neutral peoples of the difficulties in which Greece has found herself.

As presented by the charge, the communication was in the form of a copy of a note handed to American Minister Droppers at Athens on November 28 and signed by Acting Foreign Minister Zaloccatas.

TEXT OF NOTE.

The communication as delivered to the State Department was in French. A translation of the full text follows:

"From the beginning of the European war the Greek government, conscious of its duties for the defense of the national interests and of its responsibility toward the country, had, after an exhaustive examination of the situation, come to the decision that Greece ought not to enter the bloody struggle in which almost all Europe was engaged. The Greek government, in holding to neutrality, had in mind the abandonment of this policy if at any given moment it should come to the conviction that, however great were the sacrifices and the dangers of a war, it would serve the national aspirations.

"Unfortunately it has not been possible for us, up to this moment, to obtain the necessary guarantees that Greece, in entering into the European conflict, would not be going to inevitable destruction.

"In remaining neutral the Greek

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Law's Long Arm.

HUNDRED THOUSAND GONE, CASHIER'S HUNTED HERE.

Canadian Government's Search for Trusted Employee Who Plunged in Wheat and Vanished is Centered at Los Angeles Residence of Sick Wife and Small Son of Fugitive.

SEARCH for Frank S. Burgess, wanted at Winnipeg, Can., for the alleged embezzlement of $100,000 from the Dominion government, yesterday centered in Los Angeles. Detectives Cowan and Winn of the Central Police Station were detailed by Capt. Flammer and Lieut. Home to work with the Canadian authorities. The officers located Mrs. Burgess, wife of the wanted cashier, in a bungalow at No. 1641 Arapahoe street where, with a sister and her 11-year-old son, she was living in ignorance of her husband's flight.

Burgess, an expert accountant, 42 years of age, and for many years a trusted employee of the Canadian government and recently in complete charge of the government granaries and elevators at Winnipeg, has been missing two weeks. His books show a shortage of more than $100,000, the police say. He is said to have lost the greater part of the sum in bucking the grain market and was a well-known figure on the Winnipeg Stock Exchange. When wheat skyrocketed from $1.50 to the $2 mark, Burgess, is is alleged, fed in great sums of government money in an effort to protect his little fortune, that had been risked on a gamble that wheat would not go over the $1.60 mark.

SAID HE WAS IMMUNE.

Burgess was at one time employed in Columbus, O., in a responsible position, but left there following his marriage, to accept a position with a big construction company. He visited many parts of the world, handled millions of dollars of other people's money, and, in his own words, never felt a temptation to steal. He was immune, he said. The building of the C.N.R., the new railroad in the north of Canada, took the little family to the northern wilds and away from schools, so that Burgess gave up his position and took charge of the Dominion elevators at Winnipeg, to give his only son an education. Mrs. Burgess last evening told the story of their life in the Canadian city.

"Mr. Burgess is an exceptional man. An expert in figures, his services were always in demand. He had successfully resisted every ordinary temptation. He often told me he was immune. He said money other than that he earned had no temptation for him. He occasionally handled as much as $200,000 at a time for the Canadian government. He has witnessed the downfall of other men, trusted men who succumbed to the temptation for sudden riches.

"Mr. Burgess was speculating in wheat. When he made a killing he gave me a percentage of the money and, thank God, I saved it, or I would be without a cent. When the winter came on this year, I was in poor health and asked to come south. Mr. Burgess said it was all right. The last thing he said at the train when I left him two months ago, was that I was not to worry if wheat took an upward trend, as he had his fortune protected and that the price could not go high enough to wipe him out.

MAY BE PENNILESS.

"I am afraid his confidence in the stability of the market caused him to take small sums in an effort to save himself, believing the market was bound to turn. He may have gone deeper and deeper until there was no help. I feel he left Winnipeg without any money. In fact, I know he would not steal in the general acceptance of the word. If he embezzled, he did it in the hope of saving his little hoard of money.

"I heard from my husband two weeks ago by letter and later by wire. He said nothing in his letters of the trouble, other than to mention that the 'market went against him.' Not a hint of trouble, not a word of warning. He was too good a man to go wrong for a few dollars. He wanted us, his family, to be comfortable and was, perhaps bitten by the germ of ambitious

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THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

THE HEART OF IT

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) The German Drive at Bucharest. (2) Mexico. (3) The Allied Loan. (4) The Famine. (5) Greece. (6) The Colby Trial. (7) The British Cabinet Crisis.

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dena will have the city manager plan up for consideration according to those who had charge of the late campaign.

Rain falls all over the State and the outlook is very cheering to ranchers and orchardists.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Citizens protest use of State tax funds to aid potato king.

The Federal government will receive a 10 per cent. tax on the Miller estate.

GENERAL EASTERN. Miss Colby accused of murder at Thompson Falls, Idaho, went on the stand in her own behalf.

Wilson favors stronger laws to end high cost of living.

WASHINGTON. Congress will convene tomorrow.

President flashes signal which illuminates Statue of Liberty.

FOREIGN. The kingdom of Arabia has addressed an appeal to nations against cruelties of the Turks.

To the Leader.

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The Mexican situation is worse than ever. Villa is reported to have killed a number of Americans at Chihuahua city and is menacing Pershing's base of supplies. Many Trevino troops are joining the Villistas. "Watchful waiting" has cost the United States a hundred million dollars or so to date, the loss of many American lives and much property and has all but disrupted the Guard.

Make to jump at the wrong conclusion that all or important news is to be found on the first page. he Index and the Summary, then read the entire all the news of the day.

"Watchful Waiting" Costs Many Lives, Millions Cash and Disrupts Our National Guard.

Prodigal.

WILSON'S VILLA CHASE HITS TREASURY HARD.

With Bandits Ever Getting Worse, Big Job is Still Before Us.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—The ravages of "Peace with Mexico" might be mistaken for the ravages of war by the undiscriminating, according to figures which, in the course of a week's patient endeavor, I have extracted from the War Department.

The activity of the resurrected Villa, who now is threatening President Wilson's punitive expedition, indicates that the United States has barely made a start on its campaign "To take Villa dead or alive," yet this initial effort already has cost the nation approximately $100,000,000, practically disrupted the National Guard, caused the death of sixty officers and privates and the retirement and furlough of hundreds of others for disability.

I am making these facts public against the wishes of the administration, which is averse to subjecting the cost of "peace with Mexico" to that "pitiless publicity" once advocated by the President. The War Department was particularly interested in suppressing the facts concerning the ravages of peace among the officers of the regular army. When I inquired of the commanding officer having jurisdiction of the matter I was informed that "only two or three" army officers had been retired from the service because of physical disability originating in disease or injury while in Mexico with the Pershing expedition or on border duty.

After several days' investigation, however, I am in possession of the names of twenty regular army officers retired from the service for disability between May 23 and October 11.

TEN OFFICERS DEAD.

Ten regular army officers have been killed in action or have died from wounds or disease in Mexico and on the border since May 14.

Leaves of absence for sickness or other disability were granted thirty-one regular army officers up to November 21. Twelve leaves of absence were extended.

In the National Guard 459 officers were allowed to resign for various causes after they reached the border. Of these 117 were physically disabled. The remainder were allowed to resign because they had families dependent upon them. The States in which there were the greatest number of resignations were New York, 35; Illinois, 26; Alabama, 26; Pennsylvania, 24; Iowa, 22; Texas, 19; Kentucky, 19; Georgia, 17; Michigan, 16; Connecticut, 15; Virginia, 14.

So many leaves of absence for sickness and other physical disability were granted to National Guard officers that the War Department has been unable to tabulate the figures. These leaves were several hundred in number.

These figures on physical disability and the border forces represent only the most serious cases among the officers. The number of enlisted men who were killed, who died of wounds or disease and who were stricken with illness is several times greater than the number of officers.

Altogether the figures indicate that conditions affecting the health and welfare of the troops in Mexico and on the border were considerably worse than represented by the War Department. Army officers say that the percentage of physical disability is "rather high," for troops not actually engaged in warfare.

EXPEDITION EXPENSE.

The extraordinary expenditures on the Pershing expedition alone have now reached a total of $15,000,000, the greater part of this amount having been spent on additional equipment and the establishment and maintenance of a line of communication that once reached 400 miles into Mexico.

More than $50,000,000 has been expended on the mobilization and equipment of the guard and several large items of expense are still unaccounted for. Army officers say that $100,000,000 is a conservative estimate of the outlay on the punitive expedition and the defense of the border since the Columbus raid last March.

The Vera Cruz expedition, which failed to compel Huerta to salute the flag, cost $12,000,000, and after that the government spent several millions more in getting Americans out of Mexico. With conditions in Northern Mexico getting worse instead of better there is no telling when there will be a deduction of the direct cost of Mexican anarchy to the American people.

Changeable.

MANY OF TREVINO'S ARMY EAGERLY JOIN VILLA.

Renewed Strength of Bandit may Prove an Embarrassing Factor to Administration—Gen. Murguia to Make Every Effort to Recapture Chihuahua—Wilson Awaits Protocol, Now in Carranza's Hands.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—While they wait for Gen. Carranza to accept or reject the protocol signed by the joint commission at Atlantic City, administration officials are giving much attention to every report relating to the activities of Villa and to rebel movements in other parts of Mexico.

Additional information reaching the State and War Departments today tended to confirm the story of Villa's capture of Chihuahua city, as related by refugees at the border, but none of the dispatches indicated that the bandit leader was moving northward to attack Juarez.

MAY PROVE EMBARRASSING.

Officials are frank in their admissions that the renewed strength of Villa may prove an embarrassing factor in view of the probable resumption of conferences by the joint commission that drafted the protocol providing for conditional withdrawal of Gen. Pershing's troops. It is realized that a successful attack by Villa on Gen. Murguia, now advancing from the south, might lead to uncontested Villa control of the city of Chihuahua and other towns of the State and present a most embarrassing situation for the United States.

All reports received here, however, indicate that Gen. Murguia will make every effort to recapture Chihuahua, and the opinion of the army men is that he should have little difficulty in doing so. It is assumed that Villa's supply of ammunition must have been materially reduced by his five days of fighting against Gen. Trevino, and it is regarded as logical and in line with Villa's tactics that he will evacuate Chihuahua after having removed into the hills such supplies as he can secure. The department reports indicate that a considerable portion of Trevino's force joined Villa after the Chihuahua battle.

OPERATIONS OF DIAZ.

Villa's success in the north has prompted officials to study with more anxiety reports of revolutionary movements in other parts of the country. The operations of Gen. Felix Diaz in the extreme south of Mexico have been extended somewhat, and information has reached here that he and his agents have made earnest efforts to secure the co-operation of Villa and other rebel leaders who have been conducting independent operations.

Between Mexico City and Vera Cruz, official dispatches say, only interrupted railroad traffic exists, the Mexican Railway having been repeatedly cut in the last two weeks. At one time that line was broken at more than ten places. Farther north, in the oil-producing region, Manuel Palaez, who has held a considerable territory for more than a year, has increased his influence and, according to official information, is negotiating with Diaz for joint action. Between Tampico and San Luis Potosi, the Cedillo brothers are reported to have adopted more active methods in preventing the operation of railroads over which is moved much of the oil needed by Carranza for the operation of his trains.

AS TO THE PROTOCOL.

It was believed tonight that by Monday word might be received of the decision of Carranza regarding the Atlantic City protocol. Alberto J. Pani, the Mexican commissioner who carried the document to Queretaro, was in Mexico City today, but it is known that he placed the signed copy in the hands of Gen. Carranza before leaving Queretaro.

THE LOS ANGELES ADVERTISING SCORE.

In printing the advertising records of all the daily and Sunday newspapers in Los Angeles every day The Times does not attempt to mislead or deceive its readers by using figures that concern only certain kinds of advertising. It boldly publishes the figures of all classes of advertising printed in each local newspaper.

The juggling of figures is left to those newspapers that dare not tell the whole truth and that have not the courage or fairness to make honest comparisons.

For the week ending Sunday, November 26, the Los Angeles newspapers published the following number of lines of advertising (300 agate lines make one column:)

	Display.	Classified.	Total.	Times' lead.
First—Los Angeles Times	182,826	91,882	274,708	
Second morning paper	152,096	68,908	221,004	53,704
Third morning paper	137,230	24,276	162,106	112,602
First evening paper	138,743	16,684	155,646	118,062
Second evening paper	142,632	11,452	154,084	120,624
Third evening paper	59,123	3,780	62,902	211,806

London Women and the Great War.



Their best for their country.

The new Lady Mayoress of London is the daughter of the Lord Mayor. She saw the first clash of the Sinn Fein rebellion in Ireland where she was visiting at the time. Shots were fired at her automobile. The Countess of Darnley, like Lady Fairbairn, is a war-working Trojan. Her marriage recently was the culmination of an Australian romance.

(Continued on Fifth Page.)

Crowns and Coronets.

LADY MAYORESS' BERTH IS NOT AN EASY ONE.

Onerous Duties of the Daughter of the Executive of London—Her Many Privileges Make up for the Hard Work Required of Her—She had Exciting Experiences During the Sinn Fein Rebellion in Dublin.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONDON, Nov. 10.—London's new lady Mayoress, Mrs. Philip Law Smith, is not, as usual the wife, but the daughter of the new Lord Mayor. Lady Dunn, whose husband, Col. Sir William Dunn, has just entered upon his year of office as titular, though not real, chief executive of this metropolis, is unfortunately too great an invalid to play the part she would like in the hospitalities of the Mansion House, the Lord Mayor's official residence. Accordingly she has asked that her daughter, Mrs. Philip Law Smith, may be regarded as official lady Mayoress, and it is the latter who will discharge the duties of that position; duties that are onerous enough, even in this war time, when every form of entertainment is being curtailed to the last degree, to send any but a woman with a vigorous constitution into a nursing home within a month or two.

Luckily, Mrs. Philip Law Smith, besides being handsome and stately, is robust enough to flinch from not even the most taxing social and official round, and she has demonstrated, quite recently, that she has strong nerves, too. Her husband, Judge Philip Law Smith, K.C., is a distinguished member of the Irish bench, as well as a champion golfer and the proud holder of a "scratch" medal won at Biarritz.

By an unfortunate coincidence his father-in-law, the new Lord Mayor of London, arrived for his initial visit to his daughter and her husband in Ireland on the first day of the Sinn Fein rebellion—a pretty warm welcome for a newcomer! Mrs. Law Smith went to meet Sir William in her motor car, and was "held up" in it by Pearce, the Sinn Fein leader, in person. The automobile was appropriated—it was the first one commandeered by the rebels, and later was used as a barricade! When, eventually, the judge got it back, it cost him $750 to restore it for use.

On her way home after this exciting adventure, the new "official" lady Mayoress was for a short time under fire, but escaped without injury. Her husband, who was called to the Irish bar in 1887, has been County Court judge of the city and County of Limerick since 1908 and is Senior Crown Prosecutor of the northwest circuit. His twin brother, Dr. Alfred J. Smith, is one of the most celebrated of Dublin's extremely competent medical men.

Althought the lady Mayoress is not looked upon as holding an official position, there are few important functions of the year from which she is absent. When the Lord Mayor and the corporation attend anywhere in state, the lady Mayoress proceeds thither in a private carriage, but for ordinary occasions, such as visiting institutions, attending receptions, laying corner-stones, etc., the Lord Mayor and the lady Mayoress drive together in a semi-state civic coach, accompanied usually by their chaplain, an official also chosen annually.

EARL HOES TURNIPS.

The Earl and Countess of Darnley, whose marriage was the culmination of a famous Anglo-Australian romance, are both war-working like trojans. His Lordship, with characteristic energy, has recently applied himself lustily to the hoeing of turnips, in the stead of one of his farm hands who has been called up, but he abandoned this unwonted occupation for awhile, the other day, in favor of the quite as unaccustomed one, for a nobleman, of acting as a salesman at the Rochester market.

Of course, this was no ordinary sale, but one in aid of the British Farmers' Red Cross Fund and the Rochester and Gravesend Hospitals, and, as the result of the strenuous labors of the earl and other prominent folk in the neighborhood, over $1000 was realized. The Countess of Darnley, meanwhile, has been equally active in the same direction, and did great things with her Australian flower stall at the Good Luck Fair held in London, the other day, where she was assisted by her two daughters-in-law, Lady Clifton and the Hon. Mrs. Noel Bligh. Herself an Australian, Lady Darnley had, as other helpers, two Anzac soldiers and a stuffed kangaroo. Her stall was decorated with foliage and flowers from Cobham Hall, the beautiful Tudor home of the Darnleys, in Kent, which, like Lord Dunraven's Cornish Castle and many other historic mansions, has lately become a convalescent home—in this case for "Anzac" officers.

The Earl of Darnley, who is 57, was, as the Hon. Ivo Bligh, one of the mightiest of English cricketers.

In one eventful day, this week, the wedding bells pealed out for no less than five notable society joinings

Message.

REFORM PLANS OF CARRANZA.

To Conserve Liberal Spirit of Old Constitution.

Would Guarantee Fair Trial to All Prisoners.

New Divorce Law Advocated by the First Chief.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

QUERETARO, Friday, Dec. 1 (via Mexico City, Dec. 2.)—In his address before the Constitutional Congress here tonight Gen. Carranza outlined the reforms he hoped to see embodied in the constitution. He said, in part:

"The constitution of 1857 was the result of a great upheaval, but it proclaimed only the general principles of reform without putting them into practical form so that it is not possible to administer the government with this constitution. The history of the country gives ample data to demonstrate this.

"I promise to conserve the liberal spirit of the old constitution so that the new reforms will merely eliminate the dead wood and strike out articles put in by former governments for personal advantage.

GUARANTEE LIBERTY.

"Human liberty must be guaranteed to prevent the government from taking advantage of the excuse of maintaining peace in order to commit crimes. The old constitution was not strong enough to do this, as the liberty of the individual was at the mercy of executives. I hope the new constitution will provide severe penalties for wrongdoing on the part of public officials.

"Judges, heretore only the tools of Governors, should have the power to investigate and punish wrongdoing of Governors. Guarantees for prisoners accused of crimes heretofore have been worthless. Prisoners have been at the mercy of judges and third degree methods. They should be allowed bonds and a limit should be fixed to the time trials may be delayed. Good lawyers should be provided for the indigent and no arrests should be made without evidence sufficient to justify them.

OLD CONSTITUTION.

"The old constitution provided for the right of the government to occupy property for public benefit without the consent of the owners by paying an indemnity for the same. This is sufficient to allow the government to take large estates and distribute them among small owners so that the only reform necessary in that part of the old law is to provide that condemnation may be only by executive authority and that judges may deal only with indemnity.

"I ask you to consider whether it is necessary to have every foreigner who obtains title to real property resign treaty rights with respect to such property and conform to Mexican laws.

"One object of the new reforms is to assist labor and we should set minimum wages and maximum hours.

"I advocate a divorce law which will place the family on the basis of love, not pecuniary interests. The nationality of children born in Mexico to foreigners should be clearly defined.

QUESTION OF VOTE.

"You must consider whether the vote should be given to all or limited by educational or property qualifications. I think the vote should go to all, but it should be taken from those making wrong use of it or those who look with indifference on the affairs of the republic.

"Public instruction must receive attention because knowledge ensures against either anarchy or dictatorship. On the organization of the executive power will depend that the legislative branch shall not become an instrument of the executive. Free discussion without following instructions of the executive or of Governors must be assured the legislators, but they must not be given sufficient power to curb the executive in proper execution of his rights. A parliamentary regime in which the executive is a figurehead and the Cabinet is selected by Congress is not good for Latin-American nations. The people still need a strong government, which is not the same as a despotic government. Direct election of the President will give strength to the government and the nation and the President will not be at the mercy of the legislative power. The best argument against a parliamentary regime is the object lesson furnished by the United States.

"I advocate the elimination of the office of Vice-President, providing that the succession to the Presidency in the event of temporary or permanent absence shall be decided by Congress.

"There should be absolute independence of the judicial power."

Desperate.

KILL TWENTY-SIX, ROB PASSENGERS.

VILLA BANDITS ATTACK A TRAIN AT TALIA.

Two Constitutionalist Generals Among the Victims—Alleged Manifesto from Outlaw Orders All to Join His Cause or Suffer Death.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LAREDO (Tex.) Dec. 2.—Twenty-six persons, including two Constitutionalist generals, were killed by bandits, alleged adherents of Francisco Villa, in an attack on a train at Talia, between Torreon and Paredon, November 28, according to reliable information received tonight. The bandits were under command of Fortunato Salinas.

The names of the two dead generals were given as Toribio de los Santos and Gabriel Calzado.

After the guard had been killed, according to the information, Salinas lined up and robbed every passenger on the train. He then read what purported to be the latest Villa "manifesto," as follows:

"First—All loyal Mexicans must join the Villa cause, and those who refuse will be considered traitors and immediately shot.

"Second—Railroads are to be considered property of the Mexican people, and all rights foreigners may heretofore have had are declared void.

"Third—Foreigners after twenty-five years' residence in Mexico must become citizens of the republic or be expelled.

"Fourth—No American citizen can aquire property rights or enjoy any privileges accruing to Mexican citizens."

All the dead are understood to have been Mexicans.

MAX WEBER DENIES VILLA SLEW GERMANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Dec. 2.—German Consul Max Weber today officially denied a report in circulation here and in El Paso that three German subjects had been killed by Villa bandits in Chihuahua city. He said he had interviewed many refugees and all said they knew nothing about the shooting of any foreigners except Chinese.

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SHORT SESSION OF CONGRESS.

High Cost of Living to be Discussed in Full.

Unfinished Business Awaits President's Programme.

Key Select Western Senator as Clarke's Successor.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Congress began arriving in the capital in force tonight for the opening session Monday.

Returning members talk of new issues, but it is the general opinion that little other than appropriation bills can be passed in the short session. Surface indications give assurances that the high cost of living will be, at least, a subject of many proposals, ranging from an embargo on food exports to official investigation of alleged conspiracies to inflate prices.

While Congressmen appreciate that railroad problems, conservation legislation, immigration, suffrage, national prohibition, corrupt practice measures and other unfinished business will be pressed for consideration, and efforts may be made to investigate alleged election frauds and expenditures of the national campaign, these subjects at present are overshadowed by the high prices of food and measures for relief.

For an outline of the administration programme, members are awaiting the address of President Wilson before a joint session Tuesday. Because of the crush of business House leaders, among them Speaker Clark, are advocating abandonment of the usual holiday recess and urging night sessions at least twice a week.

Among returning Democratic Senators the question of selection of a new President pro tempore is one of absorbing interest. A caucus probably will be held early next week. Many Senators being mentioned to succeed the late Senator Clarke of Arkansas are Pomerene of Ohio, Salisbury of Delaware, James of Kentucky, Walsh of Montana and Bankhead of Alabama.

Some southern Senators have urged the selection of a western Democrat in recognition of the Democratic triumph at the recent election in that section. Majority Leader Kern of Indiana, chairman of the caucus, is expected to reach Washington tomorrow, after which formal arrangements will be made for choosing the President pro tempore. Speculation regarding the majority leadership already is general, in view of the defeat of Senator Kern for re-election. Southern Senators are sounding out their colleagues on behalf of Senator Martin of Virginia. Senator Walsh is being championed by western Democrats.

That the Senate early will be urged to consider the corrupt-practices bill and to investigate conditions of the last campaign was assured today by an announcement of Senator Owen of Oklahoma that he would demand early consideration of his corrupt-practices bill.

Chairman Webb of the House Judiciary Committee began working for passage of his nation-wide prohibition and export trade bills. He declared he did not believe the suffrage amendment would be passed by the present House.

JENKINS'S WIDOW SUES KEYSTONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Jennie McMurray Jenkins, widow of Leslie Browning Jenkins, "movie" photographer killed at the Grand Prix automobile race at Santa Monica, November 18, when the car of Lewis Jackson ran amuck, filed an application today with the State Industrial Accident Commission for compensation. The Keystone Film Company is named the defendant.

According to the application, a coroner's jury held that Jenkins met his death through inadequate regulation of the course.

When Victor H. Cheateux, a "powder man" in Los Angeles, reached over to place a lighted fuse in a bucket of water, as was his custom, to retard the action of the dynamite, there followed an explosion. Someone had substituted powder for water in the bucket. Cheateux today was awarded $1658.40 compensation for the burns he received.

PLUMBERS FINED FOR COMBINATIO

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DES MOINES, Dec. [illegible] master plumbers convicted [illegible] violation of the anti-trust law, were fined [illegible] Federal District Court [illegible] Judge John C. Pollock, the court [illegible] sentencing $3535.

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The Parent-Teacher Federation rally day, December 8, has been set aside to concentrate all efforts to raise an adequate sum needed to carry on the work for a few years. Many loyal citizens, as well as organizations, are responding generously to the help of the unfortunate the association is seeking to aid. Los Angeles High School gave an entertainment on November 29, which netted $100. A benefit performance at Woodley's Theater, December 1, added $25 to the federation fund and Tally's Week's [illegible] proceeds of a [illegible] held in the [illegible] ing Department [illegible] those most competent [illegible] various advantages—in art [illegible] for its pleasing and harmonious designs; in home circles for the best in reed furniture—"REED-sale ONLY AT OUR SHOPS, 937-

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It's just fine. Don't stay stuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh—relief comes so quickly.

Cashier Hunted.

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wealth, just like the others whom he pitied."

Mrs. Burgess stated she had no idea where he is. She said she knew that after he had time to think over the situation he would probably surrender, if the charges are true, as he knows the Canadian government is a restless enemy and will never give up the search or remit a jot of the penalty.

A brother in Ohio and another in Illinois are her only kin to whom she can appeal and as she is in very poor health, she cannot seek employment to support herself at this time.

Detective Sergeant Chapman, who is directly in charge of the search for Burgess in this city, stated last night that in his opinion Burgess would not risk a visit to his family here. Northern advices, however, state Burgess did start for Los Angeles and the Canadian detectives are searching here for a trace of the missing man.

BRAZIL MAY ACQUIRE GERMAN VESSELS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

RIO JANEIRO (Brazil) Dec. 2.—Negotiations have been begun by the Brazilian government for the acquisition of the German merchant vessels in Brazilian ports, it was brought out in debate in the Chamber of Deputies today.

Thirty-eight German and four Austrian merchant vessels are in Brazilian ports, their estimated value being between $15,000,000 and $20,000,000.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—The temperatures throughout the Eastern and Middle Western States showed little change today from yesterday, and no rain or snow was reported east of the Rocky Mountains except at one point in Wyoming. High winds prevail in two Eastern and five Middle Western States. Maximum temperature in Chicago was 50 deg. and minimum 37 deg. No zero weather appears at any point. Other temperatures, as reported by the United States Weather Bureau, were as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	80	54
Boise, Idaho	52	42
Bonita, Cal.	..	50
Boston, Mass.	46	36
Buffalo, N. Y.	40	36
Calgary, Alberta	50	20
Corona, Cal.	..	44
Denver, Colo.	52	28
Des Moines, Iowa	54	30
Dodge City, Kan.	74	28
Duluth, Minn.	38	28
Durango, Colo.	52	32
Escondido, Cal.	..	50
Eureka, Cal.	54	48
Flagstaff, Ariz.	48	34
Fresno, Cal.	56	48
Galveston, Tex.	70	62
Havre, Mont.	54	20
Helena, Mont.	48	32
Huron, S. D.	54	30
Independence, Cal.	50	..
Jacksonville, Fla.	68	50
Kamloops, B. C.	40	20
Kansas City, Mo.	62	40
Knoxville, Tenn.	60	34
Memphis, Tenn.	64	40
Modena, Utah	44	28
Montreal, Quebec	34	28
Moorhead, Minn.	46	34
Mt. Wilson, Cal.	..	48
New Orleans, La.	70	48
New York, N. Y.	48	36
North Head, Wash.	..	42
North Platte, Neb.	66	42
Oklahoma City, Okla.	74	..
Omaha, Neb.	50	..
Pasadena, Cal.	..	46
Phoenix, Ariz.	72	44
Pittsburgh, Pa.	48	34
Pomona, Cal.	..	47
Portland, Or.	52	40
Rapid City, S. D.	58	34
Red Bluff, Cal.	52	30
Redlands, Cal.	..	50
Reno, Nev.	52	46
Riverside, Cal.	..	32
Roseburg, Or.	52	46
Roswell, N. M.	74	54
St. Louis, Mo.	60	42
St. Paul, Minn.	50	28
Sacramento, Cal.	52	50
Salt Lake City, Utah	54	48
Santa Barbara, Cal.	..	48
San Bernardino, Cal.	..	54
San Diego, Cal.	62	50
San Fernando, Cal.	..	50
San Francisco, Cal.	56	48
San Luis Obispo, Cal.	54	40
Seattle, Wash.	46	38
Sheridan, Wyo.	52	32
Spokane, Wash.	44	32
Swift Current, Sask.	36	24
Tampa, Fla.	70	48
Tonopah, Nev.	38	30
Tustin, Cal.	..	40
Washington, D. C.	52	34
Williston, N. D.	42	22
Winnemucca, Nev.	50	36
Winnipeg, Man.	42	16
Yuma, Ariz.	72	50

MICHIGAN GENERAL DENIES MUTINY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 2.—Brig.-Gen. John P. Kirk, commander of the Michigan Infantry Brigade, denied today that mutiny had occurred among the soldiers of the Thirty-second Michigan Infantry as reported here last night.

Curls and Waves
Moisten hair with atalpa water if you want curls and waves to last and look natural.


Girls! Try this! Before curling or waving your hair with pins, papers or a heated iron, just moisten each strand with atalpa water and you will be delighted how natural the curls and waves appear and how long they last in spite of wind, dampness or perspiration. A few ounces of atalpa water will cost very little at any drug store and there is nothing better to help retain the curls and waves or to soften, gloss or fluff the hair and to make it look thick and abundant.

TRY THIS FOR A COLD—IT'S FINE
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You can end grippe and break up a severe cold either in head, chest, body or limbs, by taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken.

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieve sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

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Claim Funds in Sacramento Banks Aid Corner.

Charge Combine Keeps Prices up with Tax Deposits.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 2.—Gov. Johnson was appealed to this morning by irate Sacramento citizens to put a stop to the use of State tax money in speculating in California foodstuffs. The Governor was informed in a written memorial that certain banks were borrowing money from the State Treasury at a rate of two and one-half per cent. and using the money to effect a corner in the Sacramento Valley potato crop.

Warehouses in Sacramento are now laden with potatoes held in storage while they are selling at retail for 4 cents a pound. The big wholesalers are all in the combine that keeps the market short and the price up. Most of the potatoes are owned by George Shima, the potato king. The protestants allege several banks in the Sacramento Valley are behind Shima and they are borrowing money from the State at a very low rate of interest, and using the taxpayers' money to corner potatoes, rice, flour and beans. In the memorial to the Governor the assertion is made that $3,000,000 of State money is now so employed.

These protestants figure that among the manifold State commissions there ought to be one at least that could intervene to stop the cornering of necessities of life with State funds.

State Treasurer Richardson asserted this afternoon the amount of the State money held by Sacramento banks is greatly exaggerated in the memorial. He said not more than $600,000 is loaned to the Sacramento banks and that the amount is less than six months ago.

"We loan the money under a constitutional mandate," said the Treasurer, "as long as the security is sufficient we have not the right to question the use to which the money is put. Shima is immensely wealthy and would not have to depend upon the Sacramento banks to finance his potato corner."

DREDGER'S CAPTAIN GRANTED DIVORCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—On the strength of corroborated testimony to the effect that his wife had registered at a hotel in Martines as the wife of another man, Capt. Herman T. Payne, master of a government dredger Chinook on the Columbia River, was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce by Judge Morgan today, from Mrs. Julia Payne. The decree was secured on a cross-complaint to a suit for divorce filed by Mrs. Payne, in which she charged cruelty.

W. J. Metzner, a promoter of street carnivals, was named by Capt. Payne as co-respondent. Payne said that during November of last year, while he was engaged on the Columbia River, his wife and Metzner traveled about this State together, as man and wife. He specifically named the Martinez Hotel, in Martinez, as one of the places where the pair stopped. J. W. Stanton, proprietor of the hotel, and his wife both corroborated Capt. Payne's testimony.

Under the terms of a property settlement, reached out of court, Mrs. Payne is given a twenty-acre almond ranch near Arbuckle, where the couple formerly lived, while Capt. Payne receives the balance of the community property, consisting of improved realty in Arbuckle and this city.

ALCOHOL DRINKERS FILL PORTLAND JAIL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 2.—Dist.-Atty. Walter H. Evans announced here today that next week he would file injunction suits, asking that Portland drug stores be prohibited from selling ethyl alcohol without prescriptions.

Misuse of alcohol purchased presumably for external use, has filled Portland jails since the prohibition laws went into effect, police say, and two men have died from its effects.

MRS. ROSE GRIGSBY DIES AT STOCKTON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

STOCKTON, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Rose Grigsby, for many years prominent in both State and county W.C.T.U. work, died late last night at a private hospital here.

Several months ago Mrs. Grigsby was hurt in an automobile accident in Sacramento, and was barely recovered from her injuries, when, about a month ago, she fell from a chair while adjusting a window curtain in her home. In the fall her right hip was fractured and she received internal injuries.

Funeral services will be held Monday morning from the Central Methodist Church, in which deceased was an active worker.

STATE HEALTH BOARD STOPS WATER PERMIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 2.—The State Board of Health revoked today a temporary permit granted to the West San Joaquin Water Company several months ago, to supply water to the town of Los Banos, Merced county. The permit was granted on condition that the company install a filtration and chlorination system at once to purify the water. This condition was not complied with, according to the Board of Health. It is considered probable that the State Railroad Commission will be asked to compel the water company to supply Los Banos with pure water.

CAPTAIN RESIGNS AFTER A MUTINY.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

HONOLULU (T. H.) Dec. 2.—Capt. R. McKinnon resigned command of the Japanese freighter Gozan Maru today and was replaced by Capt. E. L. Tindall, recently engaged in interisland trade here. No charges will be preferred against the munitions crew which kept Capt. McKinnon in hot water on his voyage here from Antofogasta, Chile, it was decided today, as their alleged offense was committed while in the latter port.

It previously had been decided to deport the members of the crew, who were Jamaica negroes shipped to replace a deserting crew of Japanese.

THREE SUBMARINES TO SAN PEDRO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE, Dec. 2.—The submarines H-1, H-2 and H-3, convoyed by the mother ship Cheyenne, left for Port Angeles and Neah Bay yesterday, whence they will proceed, after several days of tests, to San Pedro, Cal.

The cruiser Pueblo, formerly the Colorado, sailed today for San Francisco and San Diego. It is expected she will be ordered to patrol duty on the West Coast of Mexico.

NAVAL COMMISSION IS IN THE NORTH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Having established headquarters in a local hotel, the Commission on Navy Yards and Stations, now here in search of sites for aviation experiment and practice locations, apparently settled down for a stay of some length today.

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Much more time was needed, he said. A corps of clerks and secretaries were busy today handling a large array of government maps and data concerning San Francisco Bay and contiguous waters.

Having already visited other California ports, after its tour of the Atlantic Coast, the commission will travel to Oregon and Washington points when through here.

ESPEE SECTION HANDS QUIT WORK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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STOCKTON'S PIONEER DIES AT SON'S HOME.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

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Born in Germany in 1819, Mrs. Brueck came to California in 1853, traveling around the Horn in a small sailing vessel. For a few years she resided in San Francisco, and in 1861 came to Stockton as the bride of Herman Brueck, a German Methodist minister, who had been assigned to Stockton that year. The ministerial life of Mr. Brueck took them to many places in California, he having served Folsom street and Broadway German Methodist congregations in San Francisco and churches at Sacramento, Santa Rosa, Oakland, Marysville and other places.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
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NIELS NIELSEN TOWED IN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Dec. 2.—The disabled steamship Niels Nielsen was towed into Esquimault Harbor today by the tug Goliath, assisted by her sister tug, the Tyee. If the lost propeller can be replaced by divers, and there is no other damage, the big freighter will not be docked.

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Vigorous.

NEW KINGDOM OF ARABIA PROTESTS CRUELTIES.

Begins Diplomatic Career by Note to Civilized Nations Making Charges Against Turks, Who are Alleged to Have Treated Prisoners Brutally—Hints at Retaliation Against the Sultan's Forces.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The new kingdom of Arabia, organized a month ago, has begun its diplomatic career with a vigorous protest "to the civilized world" against alleged cruelties of "the band of unionists and affiliates" at Constantinople, who are declared to have treated prisoners brutally. A copy of the communication reached the State Department today.

How the United States can respond is a problem, as the department has not yet decided how the new foreign office can be communicated with. The United States has no consular or diplomatic representatives in Arabia and has not been able to acknowledge announcement of the kingdom's organization.

It is certain, however, that no definite action will be taken until the end of the war, since this country is following the theory that any changes in government made now may be overturned at the peace conference.

TEXT OF PROTEST.

The full text of the protest, signed by Fuad Elkhatib, acting Secretary for Foreign Affairs, is as follows:

"In the name of justice and international law, we enter a solemn protest to the civilized world against the band of unionists and affiliates which inflicted all manner of cruelty on the women and children of the innocent population of Alawali and is now repeating its elaborate acts of cruelty even at Medina, by sentencing the harmless people and those of Alawali that are still alive to death by hanging and forced labor.

"The echo of these atrocities has been brought to the general in charge of our army of the west, whose vanguard is in touch with the enemy, by a delegation comprising every class of the people that came to him to appeal to the Arabian government for protection against such heinous crimes.

"The Arabian government, which has shown every regard for the Turkish prisoners of El Taif, including the Vali, commanders, officers and soldiers, in spite of the misdeeds committed by them and of their setting fire to the houses of princes, notables and inhabitants after plundering them, draws your attention to the matter so as to protect itself from blame of any retaliation it might be compelled to apply."

Candidate.

PLAN TO SEAT ITURBIDE IN PLACE OF CARRANZA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—A scheme to take away from Gen. Felix Diaz any fruits of his present revolutionary campaign against the de facto government of Mexico and to place Senor Don Eduardo Iturbide in the provisional Presidency to succeed "First Chief" Venustiano Carranza, is on foot in New York City, according to one of the highest authorities here on Mexican affairs. He asserted yesterday that the influence of certain members of the United States Senate and the House of Representatives has been engaged in the scheme and that the Washington administration already has been sounded on its attitude toward Senator Iturbide.

The men at the head of the movement propose to follow practically the same method of procedure followed by Gen. Victoriano Huerta and his chief lieutenant, Gen. Aureliano Blanquet when they wrested the provisional Presidency of Mexico from Gen. Diaz and declared the Huerta dictatorship. Gen. Huerta entered into a pact with Gen. Diaz, lately known as "the embassy agreement," whereby the provisional Presidency was turned over to Gen. Huerta and the Cabinet named by Gen. Diaz. It was provided in the agreement that Gen. Huerta should not be a candidate for election as constitutional President, but should throw the influences of the power in control of the government to the Diaz candidacy, and that until the election was held the men named by Gen. Diaz should form the Cabinet.

After the agreement was entered into, Gen. Huerta repudiated it and Diaz was forced to flee.

Immigration.

THOUSANDS OF MEXICANS ...TO THIS COUNTRY.

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TRIAL NEARS END.

St. Joseph Public Prosecutor to Know Fate Shortly.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. JOSEPH (Mo.) Dec. 2.—Introduction of testimony in the trial of Oscar D. McDaniel, public prosecutor, who is charged with having murdered his wife, ended in the criminal court here late today. Arguments and instructions will be delivered Monday and the fate of the accused man probably will be in the hands of the jury before the day ends.

Completion of the testimony came at the close of the third week of the trial. During the morning the State adduced that part of its rebuttal testimony not presented yesterday and the defense introduced five witnesses in sur-rebuttal. Their testimony had, the State's attorneys said, the effect of re-enforcing the statements made yesterday by Miss Harriet Wilson, telephone operator, that she remembered no calls to the McDaniel home about 11:15 o'clock the night Mrs. McDaniel was murdered. The accused man testified he had been called away from home at that time, when his wife was yet alive, by a decoy call that drew him to an uptown saloon.

The State devoted the last of its rebuttal testimony during the morning session to an effort, apparently, to show that McDaniel had not been in the places he described, between 8:45 o'clock and about 11 o'clock the night of the murder.

Lady Mayoress.

(Continued from Second Page.)

in wedlock. The most important of these, by far, was the marriage of Prince George of Battenberg, son of Prince Louis, to the pretty young Countess Nada Torby, daughter of the Grand Duke Michael of Russia, which was solemnized at the Chapel Royal, St. James's, in the presence of an exalted audience which included the King and Queen and practically everybody else of importance in the world of society and statecraft.

Previously the picturesque marriage ceremony of the Greek Church had been performed, in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the youthful contracting parties, by the Very Reverend Eugene Smirnoff, arch-priest of the Russian Embassy Church. According to the Greek ritual the ceremony comprised, first, the betrothal, in which rings were presented, and then the crowning of the bride and bridegroom, the crowns being held above their heads by immediate male relatives. The story of the marriage of Cana of Galilee was read, the bride and bridegroom thrice partook of wine out of one glass, to symbolize sharing the joys and sorrows of life, and, after a procession three times around the altar, the bride and bridegroom knelt, and thrice kissed the holy ikons or pictures of Christ.

To Americans, however, the most interesting of Wednesday's five important weddings was that of Miss Nancy Cunard, the pretty and clever daughter of Sir Bache and Lady Cunard, to Sydney Fairbairn, of the Grenadier Guards, which took place at the Guards Chapel. There is a lot of Yankee blood in the newly made bride's ancestry, for her father, Sir Bache Cunard (son of the founder of the Cunard line, whose New York property he inherited) derives his curious Christian name from his American mother, a daughter of Mr. Bache McEvers, of New York. Sir Bache married, moreover, a great American heiress, Miss Maude Burke, daughter of the late Edward Burke, of New York, who, as Lady Cunard, has always been popular in British society. Sir Bache is unconnected with the Cunard business, having, since his acquisition of Nevil Holt, in Leicestershire, figured chiefly as a hunting man and a lavish entertainer. Royalty has frequently been his guest.

Nancy Cunard, now Mrs. Fairbairn is the particular chum of Miss Elizabeth Asquith, the Prime Minister's daughter, and of the pretty and "smart" Lady Diana Manners. She belongs, in fact, to the up-to-date and artistic set that works hard for all the big war matinees and her gaieties in London as yet have been mainly confined to these, as she is one of the luckless whom the war has deprived of their first "season."

GERMANS BOMBARD NEAR TOWN OF VAUX.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 2.—The bulletin issued by the War Office tonight reads:

"The artillery was only feebly active today along the whole front, except on the right bank of the Meuse, where the enemy bombarded violently the neighborhood of Vaux. A German long range gun fired several shots in the direction of Nancy."

Belgian communication:

"Artillery fighting occurred in the region of Dixmude. North of that town there was violent fighting with bombs."

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PLAN TO EXPEDITE ADAMSON LAW CASE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Preparations were made today to submit to the Supreme Court, when it reconvenes Monday after a two weeks' recess, the motion to expedite the Missouri, Oklahoma and Gulf Railroad case to determine constitutionality of the Adamson law.

The motion for expedition was sent to the Supreme Court chambers this afternoon by Solicitor-General Davis. Railroad counsel are expected to be in court and to concur. The railroad brotherhoods probably will not have counsel participating, the defense of the law being in charge of the Department of Justice.

The arguments in the case are expected to be concluded before the court recesses for the holidays, December 22, but whether a decision can be handed down before the law becomes effective January 1 is solely within the hands of the court, which has seldom given decisions quickly in important litigation.

DR. CHARLES ABBOT IS AWARDED MEDAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Announcement made today by the Smithsonian Institution that Dr. Charles G. Abbot, rector of its astrophysical observatory, had been presented with a medal for his researches in solar radiation.

The medals are awarded by the American Academy of Arts and Sciences to American scientists whose discoveries and researches have greatly advanced human knowledge of light or heat.

Dr. Abbot's investigations have disclosed that the total heat from the sun reaching the earth each year equals the heat produced by 160,000,000,000,000 tons of coal. He also discovered that the sun radiates varying amounts of heat at different times and may cause climatic changes.

NON-UNION UNION STARTS IN DENVER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER, Dec. 2.—A temporary organization of nonunion railroad employees was formed at a meeting last night for the purpose of considering ways and means of initiating a movement to petition for a wage increase of 33⅓ per cent. A committee was named to formulate a petition to Congress asking that the railroads be granted an increase in freight rates so that, it was explained, their employees might be granted an increase in pay. It was announced that similar organizations are to be perfected throughout the country.

NEAR HALF BLLION IN VAULTS OF MINT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—There was $426,173,268.95 in the vaults of the United States mint in this city on November 30, according to the report of Supt. F. W. H. Shanahan, issued today. Of this, $242,111,407.55 is in gold certificates for gold bars.

During November, according to the report, the mint received gold valued at $13,793,070.35. Only $769,200 was coined during November in San Francisco, all in dimes, nickels and pennies. The mint is now working twenty-four hours a day.

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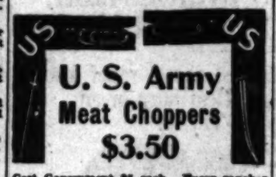
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Asquith Resigns.

(Continued from First Page.)

of Parliament—supporters and opponents of Asquith—and without exception they doubted the possibility of his elimination. His bitterest opponents respect highly his political sagacity and cleverness in debate.

The responsibility of leadership frightens even the biggest and bravest men.

ANOTHER VERSION.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 2, 1:03 a.m.—The political crisis which is the newspaper sensation of the hour, is generally believed to mean the future control of all war measures, both military and economic, by a Cabinet directorate of five, advised by Gen. Sir William Robertson, Chief of the Imperial Staff, and Admiral Sir John R. Jellicoe, First Sea Lord.

The question of the resignation of Premier Asquith to give place for David Lloyd George or Andrew Bonar Law also is discussed, but that Mr. Asquith will resign appears improbable. The Premier had a long audience with the King today, which furnished a basis for the afternoon papers to predict his resignation. But he would consult with the King, as a matter of course, over any important government changes.

A war council was formed in the Cabinet last year, but the minimum number of five, which Mr. Asquith then announced, has been exceeded and the popular impression is that the council has been largely a failure because its decisions were subject to ratification by the full Cabinet.

The forecast of the new war council, Premier Asquith, David Lloyd George, Andrew Bonar Law, Arthur J. Balfour and Sir Edward Carson, still stands, but doubts are expressed whether Sir Edward Carson, who resigned from the Cabinet a year ago because he was dissatisfied with the government's policy in the Balkans, when Serbia was being hard pressed, will rejoin.

The attacks upon the government and certain members of the government have recently risen to the highest tide attained since the beginning of the war. Although the newspapers have attacked the government and individual ministers whenever it was thought affairs were going wrong, there has been no press censorship whatever on political discussion.

While the Northcliffe press and the Morning Post have made the fiercest assaults, even such carefully speaking journals as the Daily Chronicle, the Westminster Gazette and the Manchester Guardian recently have become critical. The trend of discontent has been partly against the government system, partly against certain members of the Cabinet. Slowness in reaching decision and inaction is the gist of the indictment. The principal ones of this are the man power measure questions, while recently dissatisfaction with what some consider a want of vigor in the management of the navy and weakness in the Foreign Office has been increasingly expressed.

The appointment of a food dictator was announced more than a fortnight ago, but none has been appointed yet. This is one complaint. The unwieldings of a Cabinet of twenty-three for managing a great war is a point on which the critics seem unanimous.

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Draining a two-ounce bottle of chloroform to still the gnawing pains resulting from an unsatisfied drug appetite, David Monsch, former Stanford football player and heir to a fortune, was arrested last evening at a downtown hotel and placed in the City Jail on the charge of being a habitual u[illegible] of

[illegible] to

Unable [illegible] was ejec[illegible] tickets w[illegible] the prisone[illegible] able jewels [illegible] song. His [illegible] year ago he inhe[illegible] the death of his [illegible] more than $60,00[illegible] squandered while he [illegible] spress. The remainder [illegible] tune is so encumbered h[illegible] unable to realize the mo[illegible] ters from his father and st[illegible] indicate that he has sorel[illegible] them by his repeated deman[illegible] cash and that they now refu[illegible] longer furnish him money, a[illegible] has been spending at the rat[illegible] $100 a week for drugs. Monsch [illegible] the detectives he was obliged [illegible] pay from $15 to $50 a dram [illegible] morphine and that his only su[illegible] stitute was undiluted chloroform, h[illegible] having recently been obliged to take twenty-five grains of morphine at a dose and two ounces of chloroform as a substitute. The young man declared he wanted to be sent to Patton to be cured of the habit.

VESSELS TO CONNECT WITH SOUTH AMERICA

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE (Md.) Dec. 2.—Official announcement was made today that negotiations were under way between the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company and a group of South American capitalists for the formation of a $15,000,000 steamship company whose vessels will ply between Baltimore and South American ports.

TEN PER CENT. RAISE GRANTED BRIDGEMEN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—A 10 per cent. increase in the wages of all shop and erection men was announced today by the Chicago Bridge and Iron Company. One thousand men are affected.

APARTMENT PLANNED.

Plans are being prepared by the firm of Peoples & Cheney for a four-story brick apartment-house of 110 rooms projected by J. K. Smalles, E. J. Eisenmeyer and others for a site on Coronado street, between Wilshire boulevard and West Seventh street. The site is 150x139 feet in size.

Armistice.

ARRANGE TRUCE WITH GREEKS.

King Agrees to Surrender Mountain Guns.

Fighting in Athens Streets. Casualties Reported.

Dutch and Spanish Envoys Finally Intervene.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 2.—After a [illegible] of terror in Athens, in which Venizelists fought Royalists and Greek troops fired upon Entente forces which had been landed, according to Vice-Admiral du Fournet, to maintain order, a truce was arranged. King Constantine finally agreed to surrender the mountain guns demanded by the allies and the latter are withdrawing their troops with the exception of a small guard.

Disturbances began as soon as the allied troops were landed. Greek troops fired on the Entente forces which occupied the Zappeion, where Reservists and Venizelists exchanged shots in the streets. A pitched battle between the opposing Greek forces occurred in Stadium street.

The Dutch and Spanish ministers finally intervened and induced the King to surrender the guns on condition that the Entente withdraw the troops, except 300 left in the Zappeion. According to information from a source close to the Greek government, Admiral du Fournet telephoned to Premier Lambros suggesting an armistice, which was effected after a conference of the Premier with the King. While the conference was in progress and even after the French Minister had been summoned to take part in it, firing continued to boom. Special dispatches from Athens say the French bombarded the hill behind the palace.

ATTACK ON LEGATION.

A dispatch to the Evening [illegible] from Athens under Friday's date describes an attack on the British Legation.

A French soldier was passing the Legation, says the dispatch, when a Greek patrol endeavored to arrest him. Members of the British intelligence service hurried out to set him free. The Greek patrol fired upon the rescuers, according to the correspondent, but the attacking party was driven off. One employee of the Legation was mortally wounded.

The correspondent reports a pitched battle between Italian sailors and Greeks on Friday morning.

An Athens dispatch to the [illegible] says the fighting began when a French detachment attempted to seize arms in the engineers' barracks. The Greeks fired on the French, who replied, killing a Greek officer.

The fighting was very severe, a dispatch continues. On March 1 the Greeks attacked the French from the southern side of Acropolis and Thezion slopes. There was a violent exchange of rifle and machine gun fire.

Fighting also took place between Italians and Greeks. The Italians occupied cottages while bullets whistled down the street. Thousands of persons sought refuge on the Attica plain, to which there was a procession of carriages from Athens. Crowds also flocked to Phaleron and other places on the coast.

It was when the fighting was resumed later in the afternoon, before word of the armistice had reached all the Greek detachments posted on the hills, the dispatch to the Star continues, that the attack on the French naval detachment at the Zappeion occurred. Two shells fired from the Entente allied warships fell near the center of the [illegible]

DU FOURNET PHONES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROYAL PALACE, ATHENS, [illegible] 1 (via London, Dec. 2.)—Vice Admiral Du Fournet telephoned Premier Lambros at 2 p.m. yesterday an armistice. Before word could reach all the Greek detachments posted on the hills fighting broke out again. A French effort to seize the wireless station on Observatory Hill, southwest of the city was repulsed at the point of the bayonet. An armistice finally was effected.

The premier came to the palace at 3:30 p.m. to seek final instructions from the King before conferring with Vice Admiral Du Fournet. While the Premier was in the palace fighting began again. The French forces in the Zappeion, consisting of 2000 marines under personal command of the vice admiral, fired on the passing Greek officers. The Greeks called their artillery into use. The King, who was watching the fighting from the garden, immediately ordered that the firing cease. Greek Colonels Dimitriopoulos and Mavanni were killed.

At 5 o'clock the fleet began firing on the hills just back of the [illegible]

[illegible] Prince and the [illegible] with their regiments [illegible] themselves in the [illegible] Venizelos newspaper [illegible] fusillade of [illegible] the palace [illegible] was shot [illegible]

Important Counter-[illegible]

ANS GAIN [illegible] HUNGARIAN

[illegible]py Portion of Kirlibaba [illegible]em in Desperate Hand-[illegible] Capture Western Part [illegible]ently Taken by Von [illegible]

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE [illegible]

[illegible] Dec. 2, 4:35 p.m.—A dispatch from Petrograd [illegible] the Russians have [illegible] in the town of Kirlibaba [illegible] desperate street [illegible] progress.

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Armistice.

ARRANGE TRUCE WITH GREEKS.

King Agrees to Surrender His Mountain Guns.

Fighting in Athens Streets, Casualties Reported.

Dutch and Spanish Envoys Finally Intervene.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 2.—After a day of terror in Athens, in which Venizelists fought Royalists and Greek troops fired upon Entente forces which had been landed, according to Vice-Admiral du Fournet, to maintain order, A truce was arranged. King Constantine finally agreed to surrender the mountain guns demanded by the allies and the latter are withdrawing their troops with the exception of a small guard.

Disturbances began as soon as the allied troops were landed. Greek troops fired on the Entente forces which occupied the Zappeion, while Reservists and Venizelists exchanged shots in the streets. A pitched battle between the opposing Greek forces occurred in Stadium street.

The Dutch and Spanish ministers finally intervened and induced the King to surrender the guns on condition that the Entente withdraw the troops, except 300 left in the Zappeion. According to information from a source close to the Greek government, Admiral du Fournet telephoned to Premier Lambros suggesting an armistice, which was effected after a conference of the Premier with the King. While the conference was in progress and even after the French Minister had been summoned to take part in it, guns continued to boom. Special dispatches from Athens say the French bombarded the hill behind the palace.

ATTACK ON LEGATION.

A dispatch to the Evening News from Athens under Friday's date describes an attack on the British Legation.

A French soldier was passing the Legation, says the dispatch, when a Greek patrol endeavored to seize him. Members of the British Intelligence service hurried out to set him free. The Greek patrol fired into the rescuers, according to the correspondent, but the attacking party was driven off. One employee of the Legation was mortally wounded.

The correspondent reports a pitched battle between Italian sailors and Greeks on Friday morning.

An Athens dispatch to the Star says the fighting began when a French detachment attempted to seize arms in the engineers' barracks. The Greeks fired on the French, who replied, killing a Greek officer.

The fighting was very severe, the dispatch continues. On Mars Hill the Greeks attacked the French from the southern side of Acropolis and Thesion slopes. There was a violent exchange of rifle and machine gun fire.

Fighting also took place between Italians and Greeks. The Italians occupied cottages while bullets whistled down the street. Thousands of persons sought refuge in the Attica plain, to which there was a procession of carriages from Athens. Crowds also flocked to Phaleron and other places on the coast.

It was when the fighting was resumed later in the afternoon, before word of the armistice had reached all the Greek detachments, posted on the hills, the dispatch to the Star continues, that the attack on the French naval detachments in the Zappeion occurred. Two shells fired from the Entente allied warships fell near the center of the city.

DU FOURNET PHONES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROYAL PALACE, ATHENS, Dec. 1 (via London, Dec. 2).—Vice Admiral Du Fournet telephoned to Premier Lambros at 2 p.m. suggesting an armistice. Before word could reach all the Greek detachments posted on the hills fighting broke out again. A French effort to storm the wireless station on Observatory Hill, southwest of the city, was repulsed at the point of the bayonet. An armistice finally was effected.

The premier came to the palace at 3:30 p.m. to seek final instructions from the King before conferring with Vice Admiral Du Fournet. While the Premier was in the palace fighting began again. The French forces in the Zappeion, consisting of 2000 marines under personal charge of the vice admiral, fired on the passing Greek officers. The Greeks called their artillery into use. The King, who was watching the fight from the garden, immediately ordered that the firing cease. The Greek Colonels Dimitriopoulos and Mavrami were killed.

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[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

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present seizure of the western end of it may only be intended to prevent its use by Von Mackensen in throwing troops across in the rear of the Rumanian forces around Bucharest.

Tzomana, reported recaptured from the Teutonic invaders, is about sixteen miles south of Bucharest on the railway line from Giurgiu and Gostanari lies about ... ...ed in the ... of Tzomana.

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The committee announced it has increased its orders for drugs and chemical supplies to be sent on the naval collier Caesar, leaving here for Beirut about December 20, but adds that there is imperative need of the speedy sending of more adequate material with which to fight the epidemics.

TURKS INCREASE ANNUAL BUDGET.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 2 (via London.) —A Constantinople dispatch says the Turkish Chamber of Deputies has accepted a proposal to increase this year's budget for the war ministry by £50,000,000.

Rumanians Retreat.

(Continued from First Page.)

offensive, which is designed for the salvation of Rumania."

ADDITIONAL DETAILS.

The Russian and Rumanian forces are continuing to make fierce attacks along the Bukowina and Moldavian frontiers. Today's statement from army headquarters says the attacks were without success and that heavy losses were inflicted by the Teutonic troops.

BERLIN, Dec. 2 (by wireless to Sayville)—A great battle has developed in western Rumania. The Austro-German army advancing from the region of Campulung has defeated the Rumanians in a pitched battle, breaking through their lines.

More than 6000 Rumanians have been captured in Western Rumania, together with forty-nine cannons. In the advance toward Bucharest the Teutonic forces have reached the Argechu River.

The text of the statement follows:

"Front of Archduke Joseph: Russian and Rumanian attacks continue in the wooded Carpathians and along the mountains of the Transylvanian frontier. Yesterday they were directed especially against our position on the Babaladova and Guerarucada and west of Dornawatra and in the Trotus and Oltos Valleys. The attacks were unsuccessful, the enemy suffering heavy losses. German troops during an advance at one point in the wooded Carpathians took more than 1000 prisoners.

"Front of Field Marshal von Mackensen: The engagements in Wallachia are developing into a great battle. The army which left the mountains southeast of Campulung has gained ground in the wooded mountains on both sides of the Dambrovitza sector during engagements.

"On the Argechu, southeast of Petschti, the first Rumanian army which offered battle has been broken through an defeated after a tenacious struggle by German and Austro-Hungarian troops. Already Bavarian reserve regiment No. 18, which has frequently distinguished itself, has pushed ahead to the Division Staff headquarters where from imprisoned officers of the General Staff were taken orders proving that in the position through which we had broken the first army should have fought to the last man. The commander of the army, apparently aware of the poor morale of his troops, added to an exalted Latin expression that he expected them to 'withstand and fight to the death against the cruel barbarians.' The menace of death was set forth, immediately to be executed upon cowards in his army.

"Farther down, to near the Danube, we have fought our way to the Argechu.

"The number of prisoners taken on December 1 as far as it is possible to enumerate them at present was fifty-one officers and 6115 of the rank and file and the booty forty-nine cannons and 100 loaded ammunition carts, in addition to many hundred other military vehicles.

"In Dobrudja Bulgarian troops repulsed strong attacks by the Russians."

ITALIANS ACTIVE IN CARSO SECTOR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The official statement issued today by Austro-Hungarian general headquarters repeats in substance the German official statement but adds the following:

"The Rumanian resistance in the Dumbovitza valley southeast of Campulung has been broken.

"The Italians continued their gun fire in the Carso sector with a liberal expenditure of ammunition. During the night the artillery duel was more lively, especially on the southern portion of the plateau.

"An attack by enemy airmen on villages in the Wippach Valley met with no success."

GERMANS SHELL BRITISH FRONT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 2.—The communication from British headquarters in France issued tonight reads:

"During the day there was intermittent shelling against our front on both sides of the Ancre. A small party of the enemy entered our trenches north of Le Sars but were at once rejected.

"In the neighborhood of Ypres, Armentieres and Hohenzollern there was considerable trench mortar activity on both sides."

BELGIAN WORKERS APPEAL TO NEUTRALS

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

HAVRE, Dec. 2.—Belgian workers in occupied territory have held a secret meeting at which they drew up a manifesto destined to be brought to the attention of the laboring classes in all the Entente and neutral countries. Delegates representing ... and the groups of ... socialists attended ... The ... other ... appeal has just ... not ... gian government ... Wiart, Minister of ... Vanderveld, Minister ... and Paul Hymans of ... government have at... authenticity and the mani... will be made public.

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BY FRED B. PITNEY.

[BY WIRELESS AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PARIS, Dec. 2.—The civil marriage of Paul A. Rockwell of Atlanta, the American aviator, and Mlle. Leygues was performed today in the Maire Arrondissement in the presence of M. Paul Deschanel, president of the Chamber of Deputies; the Dowager Marchioness of Anglesey, Gen. Duport of Toulouse and several others. Mr. Rockwell's witnesses were James McConnell of the American Aviation Escadrille, a former companion of Mr. Rockwell in the Foreign Legion, and Vicomte Du Pelous of Paris, while Georges de Fontenailles was best man.

M. Deschanel and Gen. Duport were the bride's witnesses and Mlle. Marguerite the maid of honor. There also were present the father and mother of the bride; her sister, Mme. Raphael; Mrs. Allice Weeks of New Bedford, Mass., and Corps. Fred Zinn and Lincoln Shattkof, both of whom are American aviators.

The religious ceremony will be celebrated on Monday at the Church of St. Clothilde. The honeymoon will be spent at the villa of the bride's parents in St. Raphael and later in Spain.

Paul Rockwell is a brother of Giffin Rockwell, who was killed recently in a battle with German aeroplanes, and has himself been wounded in action. His bride is heir to a large fortune. Her father was the founder of the Louvre Department Store. The couple will make their home in Paris.

MINISTRY TO RESIGN IF PROJECT FAILS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 2 (via London, 9:40 p.m.)—If the plebiscite on the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States on December 14 results in a majority in favor of the retention of the islands, the government will resign, Peter Munch, Minister of Defense, stated today at a public meeting.

PACKERS ENTER OREGON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SALEM (Or.) Dec. 2.—A declaration of intention to engage in business in this State has been filed with Corporation Commissioner Schulderman by the California Packing Corporation of New York, which has a capital of $10,000,000. It will engage in the business of packing and preserving food products. Roland D. Fontana of Portland has been named as its attorney in fact.

MRS. KNOWLAND UNHURT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 2.—An electric train smashed her inclosed automobile into bits here today, but Mrs. Joseph R. Knowland, wife of former Congressman Knowland, was lifted from the wreckage unhurt except for superficial cuts and bruises.

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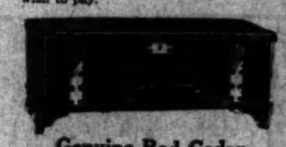
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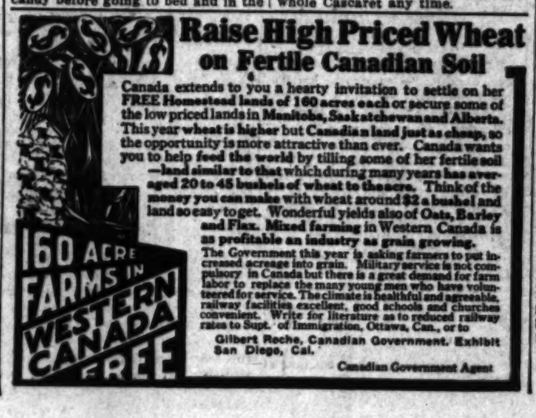
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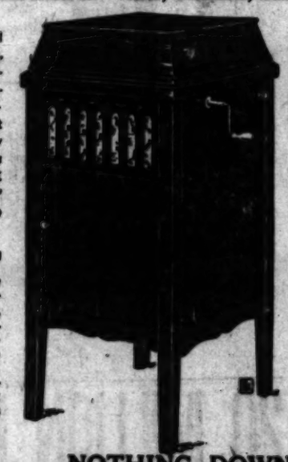


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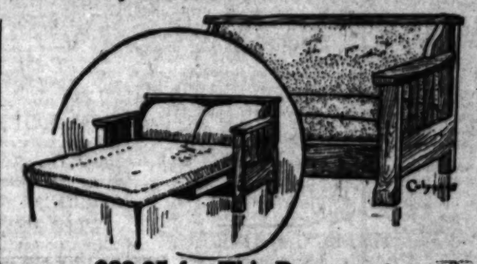
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FINDS THE GUINEA PIG IS A CHOLERA CARRIER.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

MANILA, Sept. 10.—What is considered by insular health officials as a most important discovery, has been disclosed by Dr. Schobl of the government bureau of science, who has been experimenting with guinea pigs. His experiments have shown that guinea pigs are intermittent cholera carriers in that they can be inoculated with the cholera germ and later will threw off the germ. Then without further inoculation, a feeding of bile brings back the cholera germ.

These experiments, say local health officials, explain remarkable conditions which have been found to prevail at Bilibid prison, the big insular prison in Manila. During the slight epidemic of cholera which has been affecting several provinces of the islands, inspections at Bilibid have discovered cholera carriers among prisoners who, on previous examination, were found to be negative. Cholera infection appeared afterwards when there had been no possibility of their exposure to the disease.

Cholera carriers are a big problem in the Philippines, and through Dr. Schobl's discovery, local health officials hope to be able to solve the problem of effectually killing the propensity of certain individuals to harbor the deadly germs.

AN ANCIENT CASE FINALLY DROPPED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—The case of the United States against Jose Lymentour, set down for trial on the court calendar for April 25, 1859, was "left open for a few days" on the request of the government's attorney. Nothing has ever been done since, and the action was formally wiped from the books today by United States District Judge William C. Van Fleet on a nolle prosequi entered at the request of Asst. U. S. Dist.-Atty. M. A. Thomas.

This was one of a batch of twelve old cases that have cumbered the records from 1859 to 1878 in which similar orders were entered today, and in which no action had been taken for years. Two were murder charges, to which the defendant pleaded not guilty in 1862. The record is silent as to what became of the accused.

Aeronautics.

BIG AVIATION SCHOOL OF BRITISH IN EGYPT.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

CAIRO (Egypt) Sept. 15.—At a place which can be designated only as "somewhere in Egypt" the British forces are establishing what will be one of the largest and most completely equipped aviation schools in the world. An Associated Press correspondent who recently visited the site found the school was nearing completion, and he was told that at least seven thoroughly qualified pupils in the art of flying will be graduated each week so long as the war lasts, for service not only with British forces in Egypt, but elsewhere if their service were demanded.

This part of the world was chosen for the school mainly because it is adapted climatically to flying the whole year round, and because it is handy to the various theaters of war. Incidentally an observer here might remark that the sands of the desert also furnish a soft bed for the inexperienced to fall upon.

The school will accommodate, in addition to the pupils, fifty officers and 500 mechanics and other workers. Each student will require from four to six weeks' training. A large number are already receiving instruction.

MITTENS CAUSE KILLING.

Theft of Pair in Alaska Said to Have Led to Slaying.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEWARD (Alaska) Dec. 2.—The theft of a pair of mittens is believed to have been the cause of the killing of John Hendricks and the fatal wounding of W. N. Irving, section men on the United States Railway, by Walter Stoker, a hunter and trapper, near here last Thursday. Stoker, who fled to the woods, is believed to be insane. Unless he seeks shelter it is thought he will perish, as the temperature is 14 below zero.

Stoker, a native of Edinburgh, Scotland, and a former student of the University of Chicago, recently accused section men of having broken into his cabin. Thursday he ate Thanksgiving dinner at Twelve-Mile roadhouse and complained some one had stolen his mittens. Shortly after he started home the body of Hendricks was found near the roadhouse. A section hand brought word that Stoker had shot Irving after demanding the return of his mittens.

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Ygnacio Sepulveda Passes at Home in this City.

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Legal World Pays Tribute to Dean of Profession.

Judge Ygnacio Sepulveda, history maker, pioneer Californian and the first judge of this county, the friend of thousands and one of the best-known and loved men of the city, passed away last evening at the age of 74 years. Death came to the aged jurist at his residence, No. 3639 Monmouth avenue, after a short illness.

Judge Sepulveda was born in this city, educated in Massachusetts and spent the greater portion of his life here and in Mexico City. In the latter place he practiced law for thirty years and was the administrator of jurisprudence and legislation of Mexico under Diaz.

Of a legal turn of mind, Judge Sepulveda early in life became identified with the administration of law in this State. Admitted to the bar in 1850, after serving a term in the Legislature, he was elected a county judge in 1863. In 1875 he was district judge and in 1879 was made the first superior judge of the county. In 1895 he became the first secretary of the United States to Mexico.

Most of the attorneys of this county who became noted in the affairs of State and nation practiced under Judge Sepulveda and last evening paid tribute to the departed jurist, their friend and adviser. Former Gov. Henry T. Gage tried his first case under Judge Sepulveda and became his warm friend and supporter in after life. Scores of the older attorneys now practicing at the bar spoke of the warm personal friendship that existed between the judge and the Los Angeles attorneys and business men.

In addition to a widow, thre are left two daughters, Mrs. Conchita Chapman and Miss Ora Sepulveda; two sisters, Mrs. T. D. Mott and Miss T. Sepulveda. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, details to be announced later.

The youngest daughter of Judge Sepulveda, Conchita, a girl of rare beauty, was married two weeks ago to Charles Henry Chapman, a San Francisco clubman and business man. The wedding was an elaborate one, Archbishop Hanna officiating. The ceremony occurred at the hacienda of Mrs. Phoebe Hearst, near Pleasanton. Miss Sepulveda was in the nature of a protege of Mrs. Hearst, having since childhood been a close personal friend. While Judge Sepulveda was connected with the United States Embassy at Mexico City he became interested in the Hearst estates in Mexico and from then on the two families became closely associated. Mr. and Mrs. Chapman have established their home near the scene of their wedding on a beautiful ranch. Many notable guests from San Francisco, New York and Los Angeles attended the wedding.

Tentative.

CITY MAY SELL FISH.

Councilman Wheeler Decides There are Latent Possibilities in Improvement Association Plan for Municipal Food Industry.

A request that the city turn itself into a municipal fishmonger was made to the Council yesterday by the United Improvement Association, when it asked the city to go into the business of supplying fish to the people. The matter was referred to the Finance Committee and Chairman Wheeler said he will have experts look into the possibilities, after which the committee will present recommendations.

Councilman Wheeler said he believes the city could deliver fish at the door of the consumer at 6 cents a pound and make a profit, after paying all expenses of handling, ice, dressing and delivery.

"There is a whole ocean of fish that ought to be brought to the tables of the consumers in Los Angeles," he said. "On our own land, in our own fish harbor, we could [illegible] stall a plant, dress the fish, pu[illegible] up in ice, and then bring the[illegible] city either by auto truck [illegible]

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Judge Ygnacio Sepulveda,

California pioneer and the first judge of this county. He died at his home here last evening.

Revengeful.

THREATENS TO KILL.

Following an Argument Regarding Money Exchange in Bank Italian Vows to Return to Kill Cashier, but is Arrested by Guarding Police.

Armed with a heavy revolver, an Italian giving the name of Tony Monteleone was arrested early last night by Police Detectives Blue and Williams in the Bank of Italy, where he had gone to kill John Cadeschi, the cashier, according to his statements. The Italian was booked at Central Police Station on a charge of carrying a revolver, and will be examined today.

According to Mr. Cadeschi, the Italian drew some money from the bank late in the afternoon. Later he returned and stated that he had been short changed. When Mr. Cadeschi told him that he must be mistaken and refused to give him any more money, he left the place swearing to come back and kill the cashier.

Detectives Williams and Blue, who were sent to the bank upon the request of Mr. Cadeschi following the threat against him, arrested the Italian about an hour later, when he returned to the bank. The revolver was discovered in his pocket.

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Efficiency.

DOCTOR'S FAVOR EIGHT-HOUR DAY

Assert it Betters Social and Moral Conditions.

Say Workers Can Give More Under its Usages.

Women Trade Unionists Tell of Law's Violations.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The eight-hour day promises industrial efficiency, improves the health of the workers and betters moral and social conditions, speakers representing employers and the medical profession agreed at the interstate conference of the Woman's Trades Union League of New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore here today. The conference will conclude tomorrow.

Dr. Frederick S. Lee of Columbia University discussed the eight-hour day from the physician's viewpoint, Dr. Lee K. Frankel of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company gave his views as an employer, and Mrs. Florence Kelley, general secretary of the National Consumers' League, told how the consumer regards it.

"If workers are going to maintain the proper attitude of efficiency toward society," Dr. Lee said, "they must be kept in good physical condition. This is impossible without the eight-hour day. Whenever a shorter day has been tried out the result has shown improved health for the individual, inspired better moral and social conditions and given greater industrial efficiency.

"Employers say the eight-hour day would cause the diminution of output which they could not afford. This argument falls to the ground as it is shown that workers can do more in eight hours than they can in nine, ten or even twelve."

Dr. Lee made a plea for the reduction of working hours for women workers to eight and six hours per day, depending on the character of the work and the capacity of the workers. He recommended an investigation to determine the maximum hours of work necessary in certain callings.

Dr. Frankel declared himself unequivocally in favor of the eight-hour day and said that the work day should be made even shorter if the nature of the work required it. He said his company had already installed a seven and a half hour day with five-minute rest periods at 11 and 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Kelley charged the existing labor laws for women and children are not enforced and that publicity is the only remedy for the condition brought about, she said, by the "lagard servants of a negligent public."

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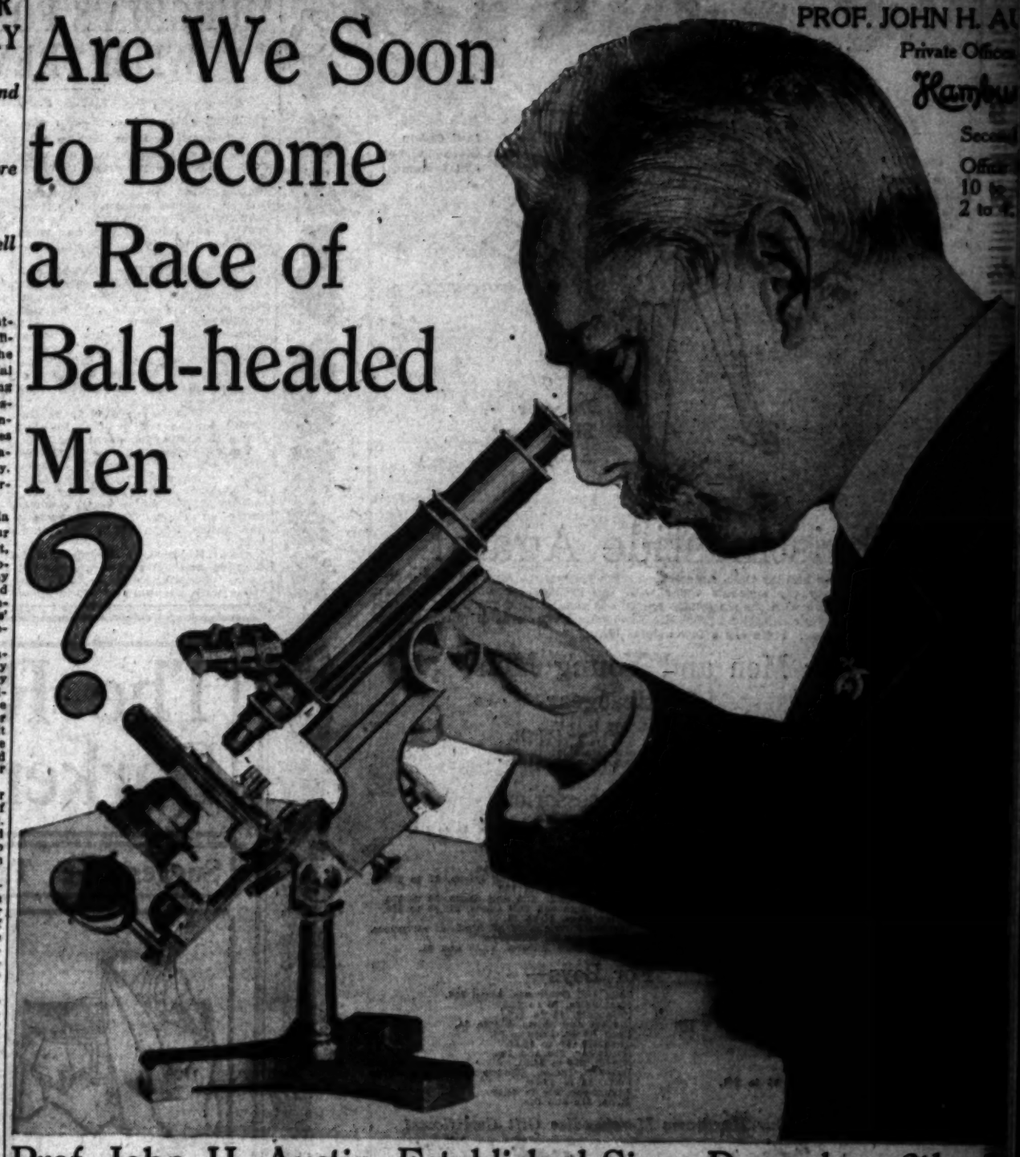
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Auto Robes, $5 to $25.
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Fitted Bags and Suit Cases, $12.50 to $45.
Collar Bags, $1 to $5.
Leather Novelties of all kinds at all prices.
Jewelry for all occasions.
Sterling Belt Buckles, $2.50 and $3.

For Women—

Handkerchiefs, 10c to $1.50.
Hosiery, 25c to $2.50.
Gloves and Gauntlets, 75c to $2.50.
Envelope Purses and Handbags, $1.25 to $10.
Umbrellas, $1 to $15.
Fancy Blouses, $5 to $20.
Silk Underwear, $1.50 to $5.
Bath Robes, $2.50 to $15.
Bedroom Slippers, $1.50.
Silk Sweaters and Wool, $5 to $25.
Scarfs, $1.75 to $5.

For Boys—

Suits and Overcoats, $4 to $12.
Mackinaws, $4 to $7.50.
Raincoats, $3 to $10.
Blouses and Shirts, 50c to $4.
Bath Robes, $2.50 to $4.
Sweaters, $2 to $4.50.
Neckwear, 25c and 50c.
Gloves, 25c to $1.25.
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Junction.

MURGUIA'S FORCES JOIN WITH TREVINO'S ARMY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Dec. 2.—An official dispatch from Mexico City that Gen. Murguia had defeated troops that tried yesterday to block his advance and was moving on Chihuahua today, received confirmation here in a report by direct line from Sauz to the effect that Murguia and Trevino had joined forces and were attacking the city on the south today.

The position of Gen. Murguia and his division had puzzled the Carranza authorities here for some days, and even started a rumor that he had withdrawn to Torreon. It is now officially said that his slow progress north from his base at Escalon, about 185 miles south of Chihuahua, was due to the effective wrecking of the Mexican Central Railroad track by Villa.

Gen. Ozuna is reported to be stationed to the north of Chihuahua city with a strong government force.

Trains, supposed to be filled with loot, were reported leaving Chihuahua west over the line of the Mexico Northwestern several days ago.

Villa bands have been reported north of Sauz, which is twenty-five miles north from Chihuahua city.

Gen. Marrero, a Trevino commander, was reported to be near Ojinaga, opposite Presidio, Tex., late today with a column of 400 men, according to a message received at military headquarters here.

It was believed here he became separated from Gen. Trevino's main command, after the evacuation of Chihuahua city and having been unable to effect a junction with Trevino's column started for the border at Ojinaga.

TO BUY LINCOLN'S PORTRAIT.

Prominent men throughout the country have become interested in the campaign to raise, by popular subscription, the amount necessary to purchase from Oscar Marshall the famous portrait of Lincoln. It is the intention of the Marshall Lincoln Memorial Association to present the portrait to the nation, to be hung in the White House on Lincoln's birthday in 1917. Among the recent contributors are J. P. Morgan, Simon Guggenheim, William Barnes, Levi P. Morton, Roger A. Pryor, Gustav Pabst, Theron G. Strong, E. H. Clift, Constant A. Andrews and W. H. Marshall. The portrait by Marshall has been pronounced by Robert T. Lincoln, a son of the emanicipator, as an exson of the emancipator, as an excellent likeness, and also by Edwin M. Stanton, Lincoln's Secretary of War, and Schuyler Colfax, former Speaker of the House of Representatives.

FUNERAL TOMORROW.

Mrs. Josephine Grant Wheeler, Artist, Writer and Musician Passes.

The funeral services of Mrs. Josephine Grant Wheeler, well known artist, musician and writer, who died on Thanksgiving Day in Palm Springs, will be held from the family residence, No. 421 South Harvard boulevard on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be private.

Mrs. Wheeler was the wife of Henry O. Wheeler, Jr., a prominent attorney of this city. She was born in Franklin, Pennsylvania, July 16, 1882 and married Mr. Wheeler, May 20, 1914.

She is survived by her husband, her brothers, Edwin F. Grant of Los Angeles, Henry Fay and Denison W. Grant of Franklin, Pa., and a sister, Mrs. Kate Grant Pohl of Redlands, Cal.

Among the many articles written by Mrs. Wheeler were numerous stories for children, many of which appeared in St. Nicholas and other magazines.

WHITE SLAVE ARREST.

Fred Gargulia, alias Fred Kelley, arrested in San Diego some time ago on a charge of being a fugitive from justice, was brought to Los Angeles yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal Carse and will this afternoon be taken to Phoenix, Ariz. Gargulia was indicted by the Federal grand jury at Tucson for alleged violation of the Mann white slave act, it being alleged that he took his wife, Mabel, from this city to Tucson for an immoral purpose.

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BATH TOWELS—extra heavy quality, 20x44 inches, each 25c

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66x80 FANCY PLAID BLANKETS, Christmas special $2.75

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Silex Coffee Filters

Made of Pyrex Glass. No metal comes in contact with coffee. Splendid Christmas Gifts. Come in and see them before you decide on the gift. Silex Coffee Filters with alcohol lamps, $4.00 to $7.50.

Silex Coffee Filters with electric heating unit, $15.00 to $16.50.

VULCAN WATER HEATERS—heat enough water for a bath in a few minutes' time. We connect and vent for the special price of $13.75



Christmas Offer

Sewing Machines

As a special early Christmas offering from our Sewing Machine Department, we will place on special sale this week—

—48— Sewing Machines at Greatly Reduced Prices

Included will be found some at $13.75, others at $17.25, $18.50, $20.00, etc.

100 Dress Forms at 25% Reduction!

The opportunity you have been waiting for to secure a good dress form at little money. In this sale you can secure dress forms as low as $3.75

Wood Carrier

$4.25

others, 75c, $2, $2.50, $3.00



Vulcan Cone Heaters

Are as nearly perfect as is possible to make a gas heater. We consider this a wonderful value at $3.50

Others from $1.35 upwards.

Club House Grates

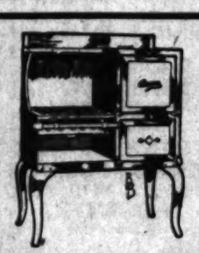
For fireplaces—made with good heavy cast iron, dump action with guard in front to prevent ashes from falling out. 20-inch size, regular $3.25, holiday special $2.25

—24-inch size, regular $3.50, holiday special $2.50

We call special attention to our line of METAL BIRDS, DRAGONFLIES, BUTTERFLIES, BEETLES, CRABS, LOBSTERS, ALLIGATORS, etc. Hand decorated. Nice for decorating Flower Bowls, Vases, etc. Will not break. 25c and 35c.

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Acorn Range

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government had in mind solely Greek interests and not, as has been repeatedly insisted on, sympathy with one of the two groups of belligerents. A Greek government could only think of the interests of Greece. The geographical situation of Greece, which places it in very direct contact with one of the two groups of belligerent powers, makes the application of its policy of neutrality very difficult; it is for that reason she has been forced to submit to the occupation by foreign arms of her Macedonian provinces and to permit the belligerents to dispose of her ports, public buildings and works of art; that her highways and railroads have been forcibly occupied, while bridges and tunnels worth many millions have been completely destroyed.

"At the moment when the present Greek government assumed power an imposing fleet was blockading the entrance of the Strait of Salamis, the anchorage of the Greek fleet, and in spite of our protests and our formal refusal we were constrained to order our officers and sailors to abandon the vessels of the light fleet in order to spare them the grief of surrendering the vessels upon which not very long ago they had contributed to two victorious wars.

"For about a month the Greek people have seen with a very real pain the administration of foreign control of nearly all its public services, its land communications, its postal service, telegraph and telephone service. The Greek commercial fleet has seen its activity hampered by repeated inspections and restrictions of every sort. For a long time Greece has been able to import from abroad only what is absolutely indispensable to feed and sustain the country, and to furnish for its commerce, both by land and sea, the necessary fuel.

"And now the traditional hospitality of the Greek people has suffered an affront which has been profoundly painful. The will of the strong has been constantly placed in opposition to the legitimate protests of Greece; nevertheless the latter has up to now endured everything with the patience and dignity which small nations possess in the highest degree. But the last demand of the admiral commanding the naval forces of the Entente in the Mediterranean, in which he invites the Greek government to hand over the war material, acquired at the price of heavy sacrifices and from which the nature of the Greek people can serve only for the defense of the national interests that demand, I say, is one of those which the people, its constitutional leaders, the army and the navy, are unanimous in refusing.

"The Greek government, confident in the support of the entire nation, has rejected, and will continue to reject, this last demand which most deeply wounds the Greek conscience and which constituted a serious infringement of the sovereign rights of the country.

"Greece cannot surrender its arms and cease for the future to protect herself against possible dangers.

"I believed it my duty, Mr. Minister, to set before you in all frankness the very painful situation in which Greece now finds itself, in order that you may enlighten your government and the public opinion of your country on this subject. The Greek government desires that the neutral nations understand that the spirit of conciliation and of equity, of which it has given proof, has been unable to save the Hellenic people from the grave vicissitudes through which the country is now passing.

"We are not strong enough to escape them, for they are the unpleasant result of the geographical position of Greece and of the conflict of interests of the great belligerent powers. Nevertheless, strong in its right, Greece is not losing heart, but is confident that, despite all, she will come out of the present crisis weakened but intact and ready to recuperate its strength for the accomplishment of its duties toward Hellenism.

"I do not doubt, Mr. Minister, that you will give me, in these painful circumstances, the support which I ask you for. I am convinced of the sympathetic interests which you have for the affairs of our country and I can assure you that this conviction is a precious one for the Greek government and the Greek people, in the midst of the trial which they are experiencing.

"Accept, etc.,

"ZALOCOSTAS."

Protection.

ENFORCE HEALTH LAWS.

Public Defender Pope Starts Census in City Jail, Discovering that Many Public Workers Suffer from Diseases that are Scourge to Safety.

Public Defender James Pope, whose greatest duty is helping the derelicts in Police Court to get a new grip on life, has started a health census. Mr. Pope is of the opinion that many of the ordinances that are overlooked and not enforced should be resuscitated, especially some of the health ordinances.

Mr. Pope stated that one health ordinance in particular w... to his attention, wherei... den that anyon... commun... ploye... dis... of c... out of... that of... the larger...

"That caus... of all the m... time, culling ... taurant worke... "I found that o... an even 100 per c... from either conta... diseases, some of ... scourges that come ... have no idea that al... restaurants and hotels ... get arrested are sufferer... diseases, but all that w... City Jail last month, whe... watching the situation, ow... having one or the other of very objectionable diseases. I shall call attention of the restaurant men t... the ordinance and keep a close watch on all arrests made in the future, endeavoring to protect public health from contamination from this source."

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union for E. F. Bennett, Miss Isabell Blodgett, Sr. A. Borboa, Mrs. Grace L. Brooks, Mrs. John Cavers, K. Kakuichi, F. H. Lewis, G. A. Putenney, Roy Perry, Mrs. J. M. Slager, Dr. D. C. Wright. At the Postal for W. G. Aiken, Miss Margaret Courteaux, E. J. Chapin, H. D. Wainwright, Charles Granger, Mrs. Emily A. Castle, Mrs. Mattie Hammond, A. Kempbey, cablegram for Houston, Biola Row, Boges, and Mrs. C. A. Mitchell.

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BOYCOTT EGGS AND BUTTER.

Louisville Women Decide on Two Weeks' Experiment.

Chicago Diet Squad Gains on Forty-cent Limit.

Drop in Dairy Prices Comes in Salt Lake City.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LOUISVILLE (Ky.) Dec. 2.—An absolute boycott on the use of butter and eggs for a period of two weeks, effective immediately, was decided upon here late today at a conference of representatives of more than forty Louisville organizations. The conference was called by the Louisville Women's Suffrage Association and will reconvene December 15.

DIET SQUAD RESULT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Members of the "diet squad," whose two weeks' test of the theory that 40 cents a day is enough to feed a person well in Chicago will end Tuesday night, are approaching the completion of their experiment slightly heavier than when the dieting began and with no signs of indigestion and distresses of the stomach.

The diet, while planned to be within the 40-cent limit, also has been arranged to supply all the elements needed for properly-balanced meals.

Tomorrow's menu is as follows:

BREAKFAST
Grapefruit
Griddle cakes Syrup
Coffee
DINNER
Consomme with rice
Leg of lamb Candied sweet potatoes
Creamed cauliflower
Mock plum pudding Hard sauce
SUPPER
Lyonnaise potatoes Cold meat
Sugar cookies Cocoa

AT TOLEDO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TOLEDO (O.) Dec. 2.—Two hundred Toledo housewives, members of the Housewives' League, began a boycott on butter and eggs today. All members are pledged to refrain from the use of the two articles for thirty days and longer if deemed necessary to force down the price. The housewives also began to bake their own bread.

IN SALT LAKE CITY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 2.—Housewives of Salt Lake made their boycott on butter so effective that it was one of the chief reasons for a drop in price today.

Commission men, in announcing the reduction in the wholesale price of butter from 41 cents a pound to 39 cents, said that people would not buy butter at the high price.

The result was the accumulation of a large stock of butter and the attendant reduction in price.

Industrial.

REICHSTAG ADOPTS COMPULSORY BILL.

SOCIALISTS SCORE ACTION IN DEPORTING BELGIANS.

Deputy Accuses Von Bissing of Violating Promises Made to Those Who Came Back from Holland—Dr. Helfferich Deplores Discussion as Aiding Enemies.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM (via London) Dec. 2.—The Reichstag today adopted the compulsory civilian service bill, after the third reading, says a dispatch from Berlin. The vote was 235 to 19, and several members did not cast their ballots. The bill as passed, it is added, was not changed after the second reading.

In the course of debate, a Socialist proposal that a permanent workmen's committee be appointed in connection with industrial workshops and railways was defeated by one vote.

Dr. Karl Helfferich, the Vice-Chancellor, the dispatches said, opposed the proposal on the ground that powers conferred on existing committees of railway men already exceeded in practice the limits of the demands submitted by the Socialists.

SCORE DEPORTATIONS.

The Socialists took advantage of the debate to condemn the action of the government in deporting Belgian workers.

Deputy Hugo Hasse, a Socialist, said that neutral governments had protested against placing the Belgians under the provisions of the ... bill, and he condemned the ... tions as a violation of inter... law. Deputy Wilhelm Ditt... er Socialist, in discussing ... reported to have said: ... Belgian workers re... land to Belgium, ... ing assured those ... or no circum... deported to ... nce has not ... tung pub... ington to ... of Bel... ed ex... States, ... diff... rn... ing ... ed ... ...

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Christmas Gift Suggestions from Our Drapery Dept!

—Fancy Waste Paper Baskets.

—Desk Sets in damask with metal edgings.

—Fancy Candy Boxes in Japanese brocades, metal trimmed.

—Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, in damasks and brocades with galloon trimmings.

—Table Scarfs and Runners in silk, velour, brocades with galloon and tinsel trimmings.

—Lace Hangings; imported and domestic qualities.

—Fancy Sofa Pillows—shirred, bolster and floor pillows in silk and satin with metal fringe.

—Other gift articles in great variety in our well-stocked Drapery Dept. Second floor.



ROCKER—fumed and Jacobean oak; leather seat and back; extra Christmas value at
$34.00

TABLE — Tilt table with removable tray; 27 inches round; extra Christmas value at
$4.00

SMOKER'S STAND — solid mahogany; weighted base; glass tray; nickel-plated cigar and match holder; Christmas value
$2.25

WRITING TABLE—Jacobean oak; cane paper rack; ample writing surface; $17.00 table special at
$15.50

ROCKER — Jacobean oak; tapestry upholstered spring seat; wing back; a splendid Christmas gift and value at
$25.50

TEA WAGON—beautiful mahogany tea or dinner cart; one of the most popular and pleasing designs; Christmas value at
$19.75

ROCKER — Adam bedroom rocker; ivory enamel on hardwood; wonderful Christmas value at
$6.00

GATE LEG TABLE — American walnut or antique mahogany finish; 36-inch round top; extra special Christmas bargain at
$16.50

MAGAZINE STAND — "Quality" reed; natural finish; splendid as a gift article; extra Christmas value at
$8.00

MORRIS CHAIR—golden oak or mahogany finish; push button back; leatherette seat and back; Christmas value at
$24.00

ROCKER—fumed oak; L. & J. Stickley make; box spring seat upholstered in genuine leather. Christmas value at
$15.00

ROCKER—fumed oak; [illegible] seat and back combine to make [illegible]
$20.00

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If you live out of town you will find it specially advantageous to choose your Holiday gifts from Barker Bros.' great store. Make THIS YOUR GIFT STORE — where you can supply every want from a wonderful stock, through our efficient MAIL ORDER DEPARTMENT which offers you every facility for the satisfactory buying by mail. If you can't visit our store, write our Mail Order Dept. for what you desire!

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Furniture is a REAL gift—useful, beautifying, comfort according. Everyone, every home, has furniture needs that someone ought to satisfy. The sort of furniture at Barker Bros. will "fill the bill" precisely.

But furniture is not all that you'll find at Barker Bros. Thousands of other home furnishing things that will make the very finest kind of gifts—things that will please and delight, are here too.

This big store is one of America's greatest Holiday Gift Headquarters. Make one of your first shopping trips to Barker Bros. Welcome, if only to look; and don't forget, shop early in the month, early in the day.

Decorated Furniture:

The showing of decorated furniture in Barker Bros.'s stock offers the most comprehensive display to be seen in any western store. Individual small pieces—stands, tables, tea wagons, ferneries, taborettes and numerous others—as well as complete suites for bedroom, boudoir, living-room, breakfast room, etc.

Not only to lend interest and charm to one's own home, but particularly appropriate for gift purposes, is this beautiful decorated furniture.



Cretonne Upholstered Bedroom Furniture: Specially Adaptable for Gift Purposes!

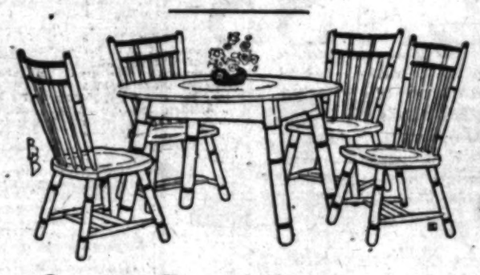
"Resting upon roses"—that is really what it would be like to recline upon such delightfully comfortable furniture as this. Soft and yielding are the seats and backs of every piece.

The upholstery is of cretonne in dainty blue and white stripes against which are scattered the daintiest of roses.

Day Bed, Chaise Longue, Arm Rocker and Side Rocker, each with its Side Chair to match. This complete suite, or any single piece would form an acceptable gift for the woman fond of daintiness and comfort.

The prices are far less than the appearance or workmanship would imply.

—Chaise Longue $26.75 —Arm Chair $18.00
—Arm Rocker $19.00 —Side Rocker $13.25
—Side Chair $12.25



Quaint Breakfast Room Furniture:

Table $13.25 Chairs, each $4.50

A very pleasing and popular suite—our Windsor design in white enamel with blue decorations. A set modest enough to fit into any little bungalow.

This is but one of the great number of breakfast-room suites upon our floors, which we have from the inexpensive to the very best qualities.

Any of our suites may be hand decorated by our own clever artists, to your special order at a small additional cost.



Regular $57.00 Bed Davenport

$39.75

Beautiful Jacobean finish frame; rich tapestry cov[illegible] seat and back combine to make [illegible] ture will lend an air of luxury and re[illegible]me in addition to being a comfortable [illegible] to your guest's comfort and repose.

Before buying your davenport or bed [illegible] in and see our new double spring seat con[illegible] davenport—the highest attainment and a rev[illegible] furniture. Exclusively at Barker Bros.

Ten Dollars In Cash Prizes

To School Girls and Boys for the best answers to the following question.

Now and then we have the wrong address, and consequently deliver goods to the wrong place. What would you do under these conditions?

This is one of our series of weekly questions, dealing with the problems, difficulties and unusual things that are met with in conducting a furniture business.

Open to all schoolgirls and schoolboys in the Southwest, not over 16 years of age. No obligation to purchase anything. Awards will be made for those answers which offer the most satisfactory solutions to the questions asked, in accordance with conditions as they apply to the business, same to be determined by Mr. W. A. Barker, President of Barker Bros.

$5.00 Cash for Best Answer. Five Additional Prizes, $1 Cash Each for the Next Five Best Answers.

Consult your fathers and mothers—ask them what they would do—and when you have decided what you think would be the best solution of our question, write us, clearly and briefly, your answer. Do not use any more than 150 or 200 words, write on one side of paper only, give the name of school you attend and grade, give your father's or mother's full name and address and sign your name. Answers to this week's question must be mailed to reach us not later than Thursday, December 7, 1916.

This contest is NOT open to the children of any employees of Barker Bros.

Address Answers to Contest Editor, Barker Bros., Los Angeles, Cal.

Winners of Prizes for Best Week's Question!

$5.00—Ellen St. Pierre, 1743 Morton Ave., Pasadena.
$1.00—Marie Koiner, 755 Magnolia Ave., Pasadena.
$1.00—William S. Shaw, Box 196, Mission Acres, L. A.
$1.00—Viola May McCormick, 418 Linden Way, Eagle Rock, L. A.
$1.00—Ethelbert C. Braswell, 580 Melvin Ave., Watts, Cal.
$1.00—Evelyn Smith, 3141 East Eighth St., Long Beach.

Solution of Last Week's Question: "Delivery of Goods When No One Home"

When a customer sets a date for delivery, our salesman cannot presume to ask him to be at home on that date. Consequently when we arrive at the house for delivery of the goods and find no one there, the question of what to do rests chiefly upon the judgment of the driver.

We try to obtain the telephone number of every customer and the driver goes to the nearest neighbor who has a telephone, and tries to telephone to the business address to see if he cannot locate either the customer or some means of access to the house. If it is a large load, the driver proceeds with other deliveries and returns later. Should this fail he consults with the neighbor about the delivery. They decide whether the goods should be placed on the front porch, back porch or garage, or left at the neighbor's house. Should this plan fail, he brings the goods back to our warehouse. In every case, however, he places a card under the customers' door, stating what we have done, and asks for further information.

In case of C. O. D.'s the driver rings up our Credit Dept. for instructions.

Beautiful Art Lamps:

What more acceptable Christmas remembrance than a lamp for the home? Such a gift is specially choice because it is at once decorative, practical and useful.

In our Art and Gift Department, mezzanine floor, will be found a wide variety of lamps for livingroom, library, hall, boudoir and other uses including a splendid assortment of floor lamps.

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$16.00

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in Dairy Prices Comes in Salt Lake City.
[ST A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
ISVILLE (Ky.) Dec. 2.—An e boycott on the use of but- d eggs for a period of two effective immediately, was upon here late today at a nce of representatives of han forty Louisville organiza- The conference was called by Louisville Women's Suffrage ation and will reconvene De- 15.
DIET SQUAD RESULT.
[ST A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
CAGO, Dec. 2. — Members of iet squad," whose two weeks' the theory that 40 cents a day gh to feed a person well in o will end Tuesday night, are ching the completion of their ent slightly heavier than he dieting began and with no f indigestion and distresses of much.
diet, while planned to be the 40-cent limit, also has rranged to supply all the ele- needed for properly-balanced
rrow's menu is as follows:
BREAKFAST
Grapefruit
Rolls cakes Syrup
Coffee
DINNER
Consomme with rice
Creamed cauliflower potatoes
Ch plum pudding Hard sauce
SUPPER
Cold meat
Sugar cookies Cocoa
AT TOLEDO.
[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
EDO (O.) Dec. 2.—Two hun- oledo housewives, members of ousewives' League, began a on butter and eggs today. mbers are pledged to refrain he use of the two articles for days and longer if deemed ary to force down the price. ousewives also began to bake wn bread.
IN SALT LAKE CITY.
[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]
LT LAKE CITY, Dec. 2.— rives of Salt Lake made their on butter so effective that it e of the chief reasons for a n price today.
mission men, in announcing tinction in the wholesale price er from 41 cents a pound de ts, said that people would not tter at the high price. result was the accumulation arge stock of butter and the nt reduction in price.
Industrial.
ICHSTAG ADOPTS COMPULSORY BILL.
LISTS SCORE ACTION IN DEPORTING BELGIANS.
ty Accuses Von Bissing of ating Promises Made to e Who Came Back from and—Dr. Helfferich Deplores asion as Aiding Enemies.
ST ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]
TERDAM (via London) Dec. e Reichstag today adopted the lsory civilian service bill, after ird reading, says a dispatch Berlin. The vote was 235 to d several members did not their ballots. The bill as , it is added, was not changed the second reading.
the course of debate, a Social- posal that a permanent work- committee be appointed in ction with industrial work- and railways was defeated by ote.
Karl Helfferich, the Vice- ellor, the dispatches said, op- the proposal on the ground powers conferred on existing ittees of railway men already ed in practice the limits of emands submitted by the So-
CORE DEPORTATIONS.
Socialists took advantage of bate to condemn the action government in deporting Bel- workers.
ty Hugo Haase, a Socialist, hat neutral governments had ed against placing the Bel- under the provisions of the bill, and he condemned the tions as a violation of inter- law. Deputy Wilhelm Ditt- er Socialist, in discussing reported to have said: Belgian workers re- land to Belgium. ding assured those er no circum- deported to nce has not
tung pub- ington to of Bel- ed ex- States. diff- ern- ing the
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STUDENTS ENTER CONTEST TO JUDGE CATTLE.

University at Berkeley has Number of Sheep and Other Animals in the Exhibit Which is in Charge of Prof. True—Japanese Agency Especially Active.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—Student stock judges, representing fifteen colleges from all parts of the United States and Canada, held the center of the stage at the International Livestock Exposition today. The show opened this morning and will continue until December 9.

Eighty students entered the contest. After making their selections each of the students were taken before a committee of prominent breeders and college authorities, where they gave their reasons for their selections. The result of the contest will not be announced until tomorrow.

The University of California has a number of sheep and cattle entered in the show, but did not send a judging team. The California exhibit is in charge of Prof. True, head of the animal industry department. This is the first time in the history of the stock show that California has sent entries. Prof. True said, however, that in 1913, the university entered a Shropshire lamb in the name of another exhibitor. The lamb went back to California carrying a blue ribbon around its neck. The California school hopes to carry away ribbons in proportion to its exhibit this year. They hope to do as well with their cattle.

Stock raisers from all parts of the world are on hand with a view to buying prize animals to take back to their farms. Among these is J. H. Guilford, who owns a ranch near Willows, Cal. He is here after some blue ribbon sheep to take back to California. He is one of the many admirers of the University of California sheep this afternoon. H. K. Ushhiku and T. T. Kofayashi of Tokio, agents of the Japanese government are here among the early arrivals. Both carried note books and made frequent notations regarding many of the animals they inspected. Mr. Ushhiku said that they came here to study live stock breeding and that in Japan breeders were endeavoring to build up their herds with a view to broadening their field of exportation of meat.

Bishop Brothers of San Ramon, Cal., occupy the entire south end of the sheep pavilion with their exhibition of Shropshires.

The judges will not begin their work until Monday.

Solemn Requiem.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Many Descendants of Europe's Central Powers Attend Mass at St. Vibiana's Cathedral, Celebrated in Honor of Late Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria.

Approximately 1000 persons gathered yesterday morning at 9 o'clock to honor the memory of Francis Joseph, late Emperor of Austria, by attending solemn requiem mass at St. Vibiana's Cathedral. The mass was celebrated by Rt. Rev. Patrick Harnett, V. G.

Mgr. Harnett was assisted by Father Brady, who officiated as deacon; Father Buckley, sub-deacon, and Father Fitzgerald, master of ceremonies. Most of the audience were of Austrian descent. Many Americans of German parentage were present. Masses were offered throughout the country by the Austrians and Hungarians for the late ruler of their country.

For Unfortunates.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE.

Woman's Court Plans to Raise Funds to Conduct Work Now Being Carried on by the Members Personally to Build Girls' Home.

To administer justice seasoned with mercy is the aim of the Woman's Court, which plans to give a benefit performance in January to help the unfortunate women who come under its supervision.

The scope of the Woman's Court is very broad in its plans to give timely help to those who need it, and as an institution it ranks first in dealing out practical charity. The court considers carefully the cases brought before it and, in case probation is recommended, the offender is given in charge of one of the members who becomes personally responsible for her welfare and behavior. She tries to get work for her protegee, and in order to do this it is often necessary to send the girl to another town, or provide for her room and board until she secures employment.

Up to the present time the ladies themselves have borne all such expenses, but, as the work of the court has become heavier, it has become a drain on the charitably-inclined women who have donated their services and financial aid. So it is planned to give a vaudeville performance, with the aid of local and professional talent, to raise a fund that may be used to defray expenses of travel and lodging for the girls brought before the court.

The women also plan to build a home for girls who are on probation so they may be better cared for while they are looking for work.

Expose.

SOCIAL FAVORITE AS A LOAN SHARK.

SECRET OF KINGS' INTIMATE REVEALED IN COURT.

Elusive Career of Frank Jay Mackey, Millionaire Yachtsman, Polo Player and Member of the "Four Hundred" at Newport, Is Based on Mortgages to Poor.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—This story concerns the elusive Frank J. Mackey, millionaire yachtsman, polo player, social favorite and—loan shark! Mackey's exploits with the "four hundred" at Newport, his adventures with the King and Queen of England, his dazzling social flights in Continental Europe are known to every newspaper reader.

Not so well known, however, is the fact that the money which pays for all this gaiety is wrung from the poorer class of American wage-earners.

The Chicago headquarters for Mackey's chain of loan banks is located at No. 81 East Monroe street and is known as the Chicago Loan and Mortgage Company. Neither Mackey's name nor that of the company appear on the ground-glass panels of the doors. No name appears on these doors save that of Fred Huettmann, secretary and treasurer of the company.

Mackey never appears at this office. A Chicago locomotive engineer named Robert Hutcherson disclosed Mackey's identity with the lucrative loan industry and this in turn led to other revelations.

Hutcherson borrowed $50 from Mackey's office and paid back $77. He then borrowed $100 and paid back $133. He asked for a third loan of $175 and received $86 in cash, the remainder being applied on the balance he owed on the second loan.

His case, like many others, was called before Federal Judge Landis and the hidden skeleton in the company's darkest closet was brought into the glare of publicity.

STUDENTS PRESENT PLAY.

A three-act comedy, "The Dean of Tuscaloosa", was given by the Dramatic Club of St. Vincent's College, as its initial production of the season, at the Father Meyer Memorial Hall on Grand avenue near Washington, last Tuesday evening. The comedy is full of humorous situations and bright dialogue. The cast included Edward Clark, James Comer, John F. Dockweiler, Adam Steffen, James Dolan, Charles De Briere, Frank Moroney, John Connelly, Adam Steffen, Arthur Spearman, Arthur Delaney and Thomas Frayne.

Growing.

FOR PACIFIC COMMERCE.

Toyo Kisen Kaisha Will Operate Monthly Service of Steamers from Los Angeles Harbor to South American Ports. Is Building More Ships.

Announcement of the Toyo Kisen Kaisha, the Japanese steamship company, has been received by D. F. Robertson, manager of the travel department, California Savings Bank, stating that, effective on the 22nd inst., it will begin the operation of a monthly service of steamers from Los Angeles Harbor to South American ports.

It is also announced that the company is completing plans for the construction of a shipyard in Japan and the building of seven new vessels. The company is now building two vessels, one of 25,000 tons and the other of 10,000 tons capacity. The total cost of the proposed ship building and the yards is placed at $18,506,000.

Los Angeles people who will leave San Francisco next Friday on the steamer Shinyo Maru, one of the vessels of this company, include Mrs. C. W. Clark, Mrs. Alice Clisbee, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wheeler, Miss Nellie Grant, J. J. Vosburg, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shutts, J. E. Killain, Mrs. K. Ikeuchi and family and Mr. and Mrs. John F. Walters. On arrival in Japan, the party will proceed by automobile through Japan, thence traveling through Korea and Manchuria to Peking, China, and then to the Philippines.

Vigorous.

HE TROUNCES BURGLAR.

Court-street Man Finds Unwelcome Visitor Ransacking Silver Chest and Pummels Him Until He Dashes Out, Only to be Captured by Police.

C. W. McFarlane entertained a burglar in his home at No. 419 Court street early yesterday morning with a short but successful exhibition of boxing that caused the intruder to run for his life.

Mr. McFarlane surprised the man while he was ransacking the silver chest, and immediately started to pummel his face. The burglar tried to fight back, but could make no impression on the fighting householder.

During the fracas Mr. McFarlane's father, in another room, called for the police. Just as they arrived, the burglar dashed out of the house flying from the fists of McFarlane. Detectives Greeley, James and Davidson caught the man after a short chase. At police headquarters he gave the name of Archie Stewart, but refused to talk.

Optimism.

CITY POWER SUPREMACY IS OFFICIAL FORECAST.

Proposed Merger of Two Great Southern Electric Companies Greeted with Joy as Paving the Way for Greatest Municipal Plant of its Kind—Consolidation Financing Revealed.

LOS ANGELES will have the largest municipal power plant in the world when the deal now pending with the Southern California Edison Company and the Pacific Light and Power Corporation goes through, John W. Kemp, a member of the Board of Public Service Commissioners and of the city's power committee, said yesterday.

It will be in a position before very long to develop 100,000 horse power, asserted President Betkouski of the City Council, another member of the committee. Both also spoke optimistically of the proposed merger of the two companies. The combined result will be that the city will have the world's greatest municipal power plant and Southern California will have one of the largest electric operating companies in America, they declare.

"The two deals will be of vast benefit to this section of the country," Commissioner Kemp stated. "The merger means there will be a large amount of additional capital brought in and it also means the industrial development of Southern California by cheap power. It will be of great benefit to laborers, opening up new channels for their employment and the bringing in of new capital should result in better wages being paid."

EVERYBODY INTERESTED.

As 95 per cent. of the people of Los Angeles use electricity they are vitally interested in the consummation of the negotiations and they will get the benefit of lower rates, President Betkouski said. "This deal will make it possible for the city to reduce the present electric light rates and power rates," he stated. "I believe the reduction can be 15 per cent. to domestic consumers. Instead of a 5-cent. rate they will be able to get a rate of 4½ cents per kilowatt hour."

Commissioner Kemp will confer with the representatives of the power corporations tomorrow and the Public Service Commissioners expect to receive a formal acceptance of the city's offer from the companies not later than Tuesday.

FINANCING PLAN.

The Edison company will take over 95 per cent. of the capital stock of the Pacific Light and Power Corporation and assume its bonded indebtedness of $25,000,000. The stocks, bonds and notes to be taken over have a face value of $31,880,298. The Edison company will issue $12,029,950 of its 5 per cent. second preferred stock and give $4,000,000 in cash on account of the purchase of the stocks and bonds and will also issue $11,152,200 of its common stock to the Pacific Light and Power Corporation, which will remain in the treasury of that corporation. By reason of its ownership of 95 per cent. of the stock of the Pacific Light and Power Corporation, which it will acquire from H. E. Huntington, the Edison company will in reality own nearly all of this $11,152,000 of common stock, so that in the final analysis only approximately $550,000 of this will be actually outstanding as capital.

Mr. Huntington will become the largest individual stockholder in the Southern California Edison Company by reason of his ownership of more than $12,000,000 of its second preferred stock.

BENEFICIAL.

That the taxpayers will be relieved of all taxation now necessary in paying the interest and the sinking fund on the outstanding bonds, as a result of the taking over of the Los Angeles distributing systems by the city, is the further assertion of Mr. Kemp.

"The income will be sufficient to pay the interest and sinking fund on the bonds to purchase the distributing systems from the power companies and also further bonds necessary for the development of the city's power projects along the line of the aqueduct," he said.

"It eliminates the waste caused by competition, the pole nuisance and the necessity of tearing up the downtown streets to lay underground conduits. Practically every street would have to be torn up under competitive conditions."

INVESTMENTS.

A large amount of the new cash will be invested in the further development of the Southern California Edison Company and the Pacific Light and Power Corporation, according to Mr. Kemp.

The commissioner says the combination of all hydro-electric power generated by the companies together with that to be by the city will mean that there will be ample power distribution in Southern California for large industrial enterprises at cheap price.

"While the power enterprise is the result of the building of the aqueduct," said Mr. Kemp, "the income from the power department for the first year will be almost double the income from the power department by the purchase of the distributing systems and the city obtaining practical monopoly."

Realities.

SHOWS BIG CRUISERS.

German Battleships in Heligoland Region Among War Features of "Times"-Universal Weekly Film—Many Varied Events.

War events, aftermath of a sensational accident and striking sporting happenings form the varied types of themes dealt with in the current issue of the "Times"-Universal Animated Weekly. There are other interesting incidental features to add color to the attractive number of the popular film news release.

Some close glimpses of German battle cruisers near Heigoland are distinctly out of the ordinary. Another war feature reveals the women selling flags and Zeppelin souvenirs in London to aid wounded soldiers. On the American side of the Atlantic views show a chain of speed craft to protect the shores of this country from the sub-sea menace.

The mustering out of the American soldier boys back from Mexico contains many bright sidelights. Officials at Boston are shown welcoming the Second Brigade back from the border line. Gov. White of New York appears on the scene visiting the State troops at McAllen, Tex.

The raising of a tug sunk by a boiler blast that resulted in the death of four persons from Green Point Creek at Brooklyn is very effectively presented in the film.

In another portion Congressman Bleakley is shown traveling by battleship 125 miles to Washington from Philadelphia on government business.

The Vanderbilt Cup races with the daring drivers making dizzy speed on the Santa Monica motor course provides thrills. As other sporting events, the great football battle between Harvard and Yale.

Thanksgiving turkey prices are the subject of a brief episode.

A dainty feature shows pretty girls in airy drapery doing graceful classic dances at Washington University, St. Louis.

Worth While.

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...geles is to Entertain Annual ...ck Minorca Club, with ...nce of Many Leading ...hicken Fanciers ...th America.

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See the molten glass, flowing like taffy, in a whirling flow of incandescent LIGHT, glowing in a soft luminescence of its own.

See the glass maker dip his blow pipe into this inferno of heat, pick up the melted glass, form it into a ball, keep that ball in perfect shape by steady whirling, until he has SEVENTY POUNDS and more at the end of four feet of steel.

And then—with a dexterity greater than that of any juggler, with a suppleness of mighty muscles exceeding that of the "strong man" of vaudeville, with a strength and steadiness of lung power for which there is no comparison—see this man blow that sphere of glass into a mighty wonderful BUBBLE.



The picture shows this process just well started. He swings the great crystal bubble back and forth so that centrifugal force may keep the fibers flowing evenly through the whole fabric; he shapes it by dextrous twists and swings and turns. He handles the seventy pounds of weight as though it was but a bubble. Only by seeing the swing of muscles can you realize that this bubble is HEAVY.

The bubble grows, takes shape, becomes a perfect cylinder 80 inches long and two feet in diameter, exactly the same thickness, in every part. And then—most wonderful of all—see this cylinder split open, see it rolled out, in flaming heat and smoothed into a perfect, monster sheet of glass, as a laundress irons a handkerchief.

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See the great shops of the Union Tool Company, where 362 men are at work making gas engines and oil well machinery; see the great new steel plant of the Llewellyn Iron Works, running day and night, lighting the whole heavens when the great crane lifts 35 tons of molten steel and pours into ingot moulds. One hundred and eighty-five men work here now, and construction work has only fairly begun. See the active factory of the Hendrie Rubber Company to which materials flow from points 5000 miles away, to make tires which roll back to eager markets, again 5000 miles distant, as well as in Los Angeles. Sixty-four men work here.

See the big shops of the Pacific Metal Products Company, making tractors and steel barrels. See the Torrance Pearl Factory where delicate and beautiful articles are made from the jewels of the Pacific Ocean.

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cent. of the stock of the Pacific Light and Power Corporation, which it will acquire from H. E. Huntington, the Edison company will in reality own nearly all of this $11,152,000 of common stock, so that in the final analysis only approximately $550,000 of this will be actually outstanding as capital.

Mr. Huntington will become the largest individual stockholder in the Southern California Edison Company by reason of his ownership of more than $12,000,000 of its second preferred stock.

BENEFICIAL.

That the taxpayers will be relieved of all taxation now necessary in paying the interest and the sinking fund on the outstanding bond, as a result of the taking over of the Los Angeles distributing systems by the city, is the further assertion of Mr. Kemp.

"The income will be sufficient to pay the interest and sinking fund on the bonds to purchase the distributing systems from the power companies and also further bonds necessary for the development of the city's power projects along the lines of the aqueduct," he said.

"It eliminates the waste caused by competition, the pole nuisance and the necessity of tearing up the downtown streets to lay underground conduits. Practically every street would have to be torn up under competitive conditions."

INVESTMENTS.

A large amount of the new capital will be invested in the further development of the Southern California Edison Company and the Pacific Light and Power Corporation, according to Mr. Kemp.

The commissioner says the combination of all hydro-electric power generated by the companies together with that to be by the city will mean that there will be ample power distribution in Southern California for large industrial enterprises at a cheap price.

"While the power enterprise is the result of the building of the aqueduct," said Mr. Kemp, "the income from the power department for the first year will be almost double the income from the power department by the purchase of the distributing systems and the city obtaining a practical monopoly."

Realities.

SHOWS BIG CRUISERS.

German Battleships in Helgoland Region Among War Features of "Times"-Universal Weekly Film—Many Varied Events.

War events, aftermath of a sensational accident and striking sporting happenings form the varied type of themes dealt with in the current issue of the "Times"-Universal Animated Weekly. There are other interesting incidental features to add color to the attractive number of the popular film news release.

Some close glimpses of German battle cruisers near Helgoland are distinctly out of the ordinary. Another war feature reveals the women selling flags and Zeppelin souvenirs in London to aid wounded soldiers. On the American side of the Atlantic views show a chain of speed craft to protect the shores of this country from the sub-sea menace.

The mustering out of the American soldier boys back from Mexico contains many bright sidelights. City officials at Boston are shown welcoming the Second Brigade back from the border line. Gov. Whitman of New York appears on the screen visiting the State troops at McAllen, Tex.

The raising of a tug sunk by a boiler blast that resulted in the death of four persons from Greenpoint Creek at Brooklyn is very effectively presented in the film.

In another portion Congressman Bleakley is shown traveling by airship 135 miles to Washington from Philadelphia on government business.

The Vanderbilt Cup races with the daring drivers making dizzy speed on the Santa Monica race course provides thrills. As other sporting events, the great football battle between Harvard and Yale.

Thanksgiving turkey prices are the subject of a brief episode.

A dainty feature shows pretty girls in airy drapery doing graceful classic dances at Washington University, St. Louis.

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AIN KEEPS UP LL OVER STATE

...cipitation will do the Crops Much Good.

...a Barbara has a Goodly Fall of Moisture.

...per Crops are Predicted by the Grainmen.

...RNET WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.] ...AN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF ... TIMES, Dec. 2.—The entire ... today was in the grip of the ...l storm of the winter sea... Rain was general throughout ...State and, though reports ...d it had not been notably ...r anywhere, much more was ...ted by Forecaster G. H. Will... The winds were heavy, going ...ch as seventy miles an hour ...int Reyes and Mt. Tamalpais. ...m the bay north California got ...ximately an inch of rain in ...enty-four hours ending at 5 ...

...e fall for that period in San ...isco was the heaviest of any ...n to report, being 1.30 inches. ...rs and unsettled weather are ...cted for tomorrow.

...al grain men predicted tonight ...the mild rain would bring ...er crops of grain throughout ...State, coupled with the asser... ...that the high prices now quoted ...ls would cause a great in... ...in acreage. Prof. G. W. ...y of the department of agron... ...of the University of California ...

...rmers, at present prices of ... and barley, are making as ... money as the orchardist and ...rdist, and if quotations main... ...their present levels many trees ...ines will be pulled up and re... ...by grain."

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

...th the predictions for more ...and a gentle fall of rain mani... ...throughout the Southland, it ...d seem that the ground will ...n more moisture this year than ...en blessed with for a num... ...of seasons. In Los Angeles the ...recorded had been only .12 of ...ch by midnight, and the heav... ...fall reported was at Santa Bar... ...with .52 of an inch. The city ...Whittier reported .34 of an inch, ...h was very good considering all ...s. Practically every orchard ...n is ahead of last year in the ...nt of precipitation. In many ...the fall has been two and ...times as large as it was this ...last year.

"Up here in Whittier," said a ...r of weather records and a stu... ...of the same, "we now have to ...credit for this year just as much ...as we had on January 1 for ...season. We are 2.61 inches to ...good. Last year our rainfall ...19.61 inches. It will be more ...year, according to my dope."

...e rain began falling with more ...ity shortly after 9 o'clock and ...midnight was doing very good, ...every indication of a fall of ...an inch or more.

...e table for precipitation up to ...ock last night was as follows:

	Storm.	Seasonal.
...el	.03	3.52
...ta	.40	3.87
...	.26	2.89
...arbara	.52	5.48
...as	.15	2.36
	.34	2.61
	.11	2.09
...ld	.02	2.54
	.17	2.93
...ng	.14	2.44
	.11	1.63
	.05	2.46
...a	.02	2.92
	.07	2.58
...ardino	.08	2.34
...rnando	.14	2.84
	.02	2.13
...ego	.04	1.23
...ngeles	.07	2.64
	.02	6.22
...d	.02	6.93
...nto	1.18	2.06
...rancisco	1.30	5.20
	.39	2.03
...Obispo	.09	2.30

...Porterville the rainfall of the ...wenty-four hours has wrought ...ense benefit to the orange coun... ...and has started the early grain. ...e some damage will be done to ...alfalfa, this will be trifling ...ared to the general benefit, ...to the serious shortage of ...the fact that the showers will ...of orange picking will be of lit... ...ment. Reports from the foot... ...are that snow is falling and ...the total fall for the season is ...equal to that of all of last ...indicating an abundant sup... ...irrigation water for next ...The Porterville weather office ...s further showers tomorrow. ...Bakersfield rain began falling ...and continued up to mid... ...The season's total to date ...inches. For the correspond... ...period last year it was only .11 ...inch. The total for last sea... ...closing May 10, was 2.08 inches, ...ady this year more has fallen ...last season.

Santa Barbara the intermit... ...ms of the day and the steady ...r which set in late this aft... ...and continued tonight prove ...welcome to ranchers, who ... ...that the water would ... ...for the grass on the ... ...The dry season has k... ...ains parched.

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COME AND SEE US. W. P. ... ...Former Senator Depew, who was ...the orator of the day on the occa... ...sion of the dedication of the statue ...thirty years ago, gave his reminis... ...ences of the celebration. He said ...that of all the famous company who ...participated, he is the only sur... ...vivor.

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Liberty's Statue.

(Continued from First Page.)

of the speakers this evening has either said or intimated, that our long-standing and delightful friendship with the people of France has come from a community of ideals and identity of purpose. One republic must love another republic just as one body of human beings must understand and sympathize with another body of human beings. There is a common pulse in us all; there is a common contact with life; there is a common body of hope; there is a common stock of resolution. All the world over the life of the individual means the same thing to him. It means opportunity not only, but it also means his relationship to others and he comes to his full dignity only when he stands upon the level with others and looking in his neighbor's eye knows that he belongs with him to a common, free community of purpose and thought and action. The peace of the world is not going to be assured by the compact of nations, but by the sympathies of men.

"When I see the Statue of Liberty and think of the thrill that must come into some hopeful heart as for the first time an immigrant sees that statue and thinks that he knows what it means, I wonder if after he lands he finds the spirit of liberty truly represented by us; I wonder if we are sufficiently stirred by the history of what it means; I wonder if we remember the sacrifices, the actual concessions, the righteous yielding of selfish right that is signified by the word and the conception of liberty.

"I wonder if we all wish to accord equal rights to all men, and so it is profitable that occasions like this should be frequently repeated, and that we should remind ourselves of what sort of image we have promised to be; for the world is enlightened, my fellow citizen, by ideals, by ideas. The spirit of the world rises with the sacrifices of men; rises as men forget to be selfish and unite to be great.

"This, to repeat that beautiful phrase of Lincoln in his Gettysburg address, is not a time of self-adulation, but a time of rededication. Let us determine that the light that shines out of our lives upon the uplifted image of liberty shall be a light pure and without reproach."

The President was the last speaker at the banquet, which was attended by 1200 men and women. One of the notable features of the evening was the reading of a message from President Poincare of France, sent to the French Ambassador, J. Jusserand, in apreciation of Liberty's illumination. In the message he said:

"In offering, thirty years ago, to the government and people of the United States, the statue which welcomes and lights those who land in America, France had wished to honor liberty and the heroes fallen in her cause. It is for that sacred cause the French people battle and suffer today; they feel sure that they can always count on those friends of theirs in America from whom they have already received so many tokens of sympathy and who have shown the world that they are still enamored of the same ideal."

NAVAL SALUTE.

The great guns of a division of the Atlantic fleet boomed a salute as the statue flashed into view, outlined in white lights. The whistles of countless harbor craft shrieked in unison and flares of red light blazed up along the New York and New Jersey shores.

There was a flash of flame high above the statue and Ruth Law, in her aeroplane, added a spectacular touch to the ceremonies of illumination. Spouting sparks and fire from the tail of her machine, she circled the lower end of Manhattan Island. A roar of cheers from the thousands gathered in Battery Park greeted her as the letters "L-I-B-E-R-T-Y" outlined in electric lights were revealed on the bottom of the airplane.

The course of the Mayflower was marked by the rays of the most powerful searchlight in the world as the yacht's anchor was hoisted and the Presidential party headed for the Battery to disembark for the motor car parade which preceded a dinner in honor of Mr. Wilson and Ambassador Jusserand.

BILLION DOLLAR SKYLINE.

The party on the Mayflower looked out upon a city of lights. New York's "billion dollar skyline" literally was ablaze. A searchlight played upon a floating flag atop a lofty building and lights gleamed along the seawall.

Close behind the Mayflower steamed the U.S.S. San Francisco with Secretary of the Navy Daniels aboard, followed by the U.S.S. Yankton, carrying members of Mayor Mitchel's committee of 200 and other invited guests. The passengers were discharged at the Battery, where electric ...for cars were waiting to ... uptown.

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Mrs. Chester A. Wixon of Hollywood, wife of Chester Wixon, owner of the public utilities of Rhinelander, Wis., divided honors with her husband in the divorce courts at Rhinelander yesterday. While she was divorced by her husband, failing to contest his suit, she gained custody of her three children and the sum of $25,000 from the family estate. The divorce was granted, according to reports from Milwaukee, all because of a fracas at a party at Rhinelander when it is alleged, Mrs. Wixon threw a cup of hot coffee in the face of her spouse.

Mr. Wixon will have full control of his property after the payment of the sum of $25,000 as this was given in full settlement of any claim the wife might have on the property. Any further provision for the children must be made by the father of his own free will out of court.

Mrs. Wixon, who was a leader in social affairs in her home town, is now residing in Hollywood, where she has become one of the well-known young matrons. Her children are to be educated in the Hollywood schools.

Mr. Wixon is owner of the Rhinelander electric light plant, which provides private residences as well as the city with illumination. The plant is rated as worth more than $125,000, and he has other valuable holdings, including a $6000 residence at Rhinelander. He receives an income of $2000 for managing the plant he owns in addition to his dividends, it was testified in court.

At Luncheon.

ENTERTAINS GUESTS.

Gen. M. H. Sherman is Host at Gathering of Friends at Clark Hotel to Honor San Francisco and Vice President of Union Pacific

Gen. M. H. Sherman was the host at an elaborate luncheon given at the Clark Hotel yesterday in honor of Alfred Holman, editor of the Argonaut, San Francisco; Messrs. George W. Scott, and Charles E. Green, of the Crocker National Bank, San Francisco, and H. V. Platt, vice president of the Union Pacific Railroad Company.

The guests were seated at an immense round table, and here good fellowship reigned untrammeled for more than two hours. There were no formal speeches, but many a merry story and humorous quip, yet without there was considerable discussion of the affairs of the day.

Besides the host and guests mentioned above, there were present: H. W. O'Melveny, attorney and member of the Municipal Park Commission; Stoddard Jess, of the First National Bank; Max F. Ihmsen; J. J. Byrne, general passenger agent of the Santa Fe; Newton H. Foster, purchasing agent of the Salt Lake Railroad; Reese Llewellyn, of the Llewellyn Iron Works; M. S. Hellman, of the Security Trust and Savings Bank; S. F. Zombro, of the Citizens' National Bank; J. A. Graves of the Farmers' and Merchants' National Bank; Gen. Harrison Gray Otis, Frank A. Miller, of the Glenwood Mission Inn, Riverside; H. J. Whitley, William M. Humphreys, I. L. Hibbard, general superintendent of the Santa Fe Railroad; W. B. Scott, president of the Columbia Oil Producing Company; J. B. Van Nuys; A. M. Jamison, of the Santa Catalina Island Company, and Harry Chandler.

RICH CHINAMAN DIES.

Wong Sue Chong, 69 years old, proprietor of the Mon-Jen Low restaurant on Apablasa street in Chinatown, died last evening at the Pacific Hospital of heart trouble. Wong Sue Chong, who was known as "Chappa," which means Shorty in Chinese, was one of the best known characters in Chinatown. He leaves one brother here and a family in China. He is reputed to have been worth at least $25,000. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

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RUSSIA'S NEED TO AID BEET SUGAR INDUSTRY.

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made that at a meeting of the Council of Ministers in Petrograd a decision was passed permitting the importation of sugar from abroad into Russia free of all duty until September 1, 1917. The quantity of sugar allowed to pass into Russia from all the frontiers is not to exceed 20,000,000 poods and sugar after importation from abroad will be subject to the regular excise tax of 2 rubles 50 kopecs per pood, which is an increase of 50 kopecs.

It is well known Russia consumes an enormous amount of sugar and the lifting of the bars for imports should result in a heavy demand from this country. The foreign demand has been responsible for the high price of sugar in the United States during the past year and a half. In fact, it was only the placing of embargoes on the importation of sugar by a number of the allied countries that has prevented the situation from growing acute at times.

The lifting of this embargo by Russia, as announced above, will probably have a bullish influence on prices, when a decline due to the advent of the new crop of raw sugar in Cuba was expected. Foreign cables state there is a great demand for sugar in the dominions of the Czar at the present time, and an especial call for confectioner's sugar for use in candy factories. Thus, in all probability, Russia will be such a heavy consumer of the Cuban crop, that its marketing will have no effect on the present standard of sugar prices in this country.

This means the United States consumer can look forward to possible continued high prices. However, what is one's loss is another's gain, and if the consumer is forced to pay fancy prices for sugar, these fancy prices will mean an increased profit for sugar beet growers of the West and particularly California. Shipments can be made direct from the Pacific Coast ports to Siberia and thence by rail to European Russia. This should have the effect of stimulating the beet sugar industry of the Golden State, which is already on a firm basis of prosperity.

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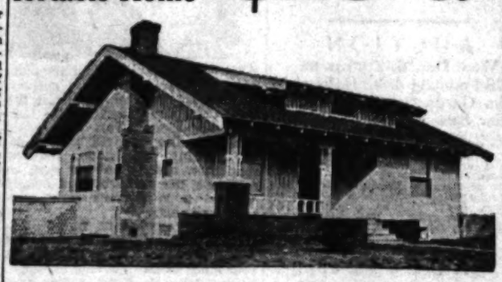
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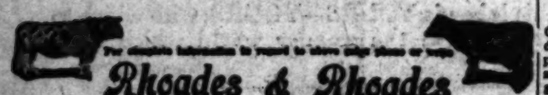
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$30,000 worth of fine Oriental rugs, Hermanos, Bigelows, Sarukans, Mirzas, Anatolians, Mohawks, etc. Large and small sizes. Mahogany case Packard piano, 88-note Player Piano and Records.

Small steel safe, Japanese and Chinese carved furniture, mahogany post bed, nickel coil springs and cotton mattress; gent's wardrobe, Jacobean library tables, mahogany center and library tables, elegant brass beds, steel springs and good mattresses, fumed oak breakfast tables and chairs, high grade, fumed and leather chairs and rockers, Morris chairs, Japanese tea tables, tapestry carpets, silk embroidered wall piece, massive, solid mahogany dressers, bird's-eye maple, oak and white enamel dressers, mahogany chiffoniers and dressing tables, Spanish leather seats, wicker, leather seat arm chairs and rockers; (complete golden oak dining set of round, extension table, chairs, buffet and serving table;) bird's-eye maple desk, chairs, rockers and center tables, bedding, linens, silverware, brica-brac, pictures, paintings, portieres, lace curtains, 6 suit cases and contents, couch covers, dishes, mahogany and leather Morris chair, fancy parlor chairs, settee, davenports, golden oak sideboard, twin brass beds, complete; Navajo rugs, fine lot of linen drawnwork; Wiltons, Axminster, body and tapestry Brussels rugs and carpets, large and small sizes, brass andirons, fire grate, fire screens, good quality iron beds, drop-head sewing machine, breakfast tables, electric heaters; (complete dining set in fumed oak;) gas ranges, heaters, kitchenwares, couches, aluminum utensils, garden tools, etc.

Mostly All High Grade Goods, in this sale. Luncheon Served at Noon.
REED & HAMMOND, Auctioneers.

AUCTION—THURSDAY, 10 A.M. Big Sale.

We are authorized to sell two large Warehouse Consignments of Household Goods to Satisfy Mortgage. Will be Sold at Our Large Salesrooms, 1053-55 So. Main St.

Two Pianos, 1 oak case, 1 mahogany case; lot of fine china, parlor suit, screens, sofas and settees, large leather rockers, bed davenports, ladies' writing desks, oak and mahogany center and library tables, lot of Vienna chairs, brica-brac, weathered oak, golden and fumed oak dining tables, chairs, buffets and china cabinets, mahogany, maple and oak; leather seat rockers, mirrors, platters, dishes, telephone tables and seats, wardrobe, Morris chairs and rockers, pedestals and tabourettes, lace curtains, breakfast set in oak, also mahogany breakfast table and four chairs, linens and silverware, bedding, extra good lot of brass and iron beds, steel springs and clean mattresses, oak, maple, white enamel and mahogany dressers, chiffoniers and other bedroom furniture, two drop-head sewing machines, 6 folding bed, sanitary couches and pads, wardrobe couch, large and small rugs of velvets, Brussels, Axminsters; carpets, hall and stair carpet, linoleum, several good gas ranges, heaters, refrigerators, kitchen wares, etc., etc.

These consignments are good, clean furnishings from Fidelity and Berger's Warehouses—and must be sold this day.

LUNCH AT NOON. REED & HAMMOND, Aucts.
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AUCTION, FRIDAY, DEC. 8
At 10 A.M.
At 120 South Spring Street.
Clothing, Furnishings, Shoes, Dry Goods, Hats.
$12,000 Worth of Clean Staple Merchandise
CONSISTING OF

The "MACEY" Stock from Elsinore; the "BRADBURN" Stock from Corona and the "BRAVER" Stock from Seal Beach.

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Dress Shirts	Hosiery	Shoes
Underwear	Hats	Girls' Dresses
B.V.D.	Shoes	Infants' Wear
Merit	(Large assortment)	Children's Shoes
Porosknit	Collars	Hats
Egyptian		Piece Goods
Hanes		about 5000 yards
Woolens		Silk Thread
Etc., Etc.		

ETC. ETC. ETC. ETC.

Also showcases, display cases, counters; clothing racks, 3 safes, adding machine, two cash registers, desks and chairs, display fixtures, forms, etc.
Stock can be inspected day prior to sale. Fixtures will be sold at 2 p.m. sharp.

J. J. SUGARMAN, Auctioneer,
Office and Salesrooms 142-148 North Spring St.
Phones: F4810; Main 3114.

AUCTION

Wed., Dec. 6 at 10 A. M.
3003 So. Figueroa St.

One Weber concert Grand Piano, 3-piece Turkish parlor sets, 1 antique mahogany parlor table, 1 hand-carved solid mahogany arm chair, 3 fur rugs.

DINING ROOM

One buffet, 8 pressed leather seats and back chairs, china cabinet, oak library table, mahogany book case, 25 volumes Encyclopedia Brittanica and other books, 2 Turkish leather rockers, 2 solid mahogany bedroom sets, 1 curly birch bedroom set, 1 Persian Antique rug, a lot of Indian Blankets, Navajo rugs, 1 combination pool and billiard table, velvet and body brussels rugs and carpets, 1 mahogany hall tree, 1 mahogany roll top desk, porcelain refrigerator, 1 side oven gas range and many other goods.

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ACUTION

Monday, Dec. 4th
At 10 A.M.
1740 Taft Ave., Hollywood.
EXTRA FINE FURNISHINGS of 10 ROOMS

Consisting in part of one Baby Grand Steinway piano, absolutely as good as new; a number of very elegant Oriental Rugs; Persian, Indian and Navajo rugs; finest quality of French Wilton rugs, Jacobean library table, one genuine Spanish leather Du-fold davenport, twenty sections of solid mahogany sectional book-case, genuine mahogany leather chairs and rockers.

DINING ROOM

Fumed oak extension table, 1 buffet and 6 leather chairs to match, brie-a-brac consisting of cut glass, sterling silver and finest plateware, fine dishes, 2 beautiful electric lamps, pictures, jardinieres, plants, very nice extra fine Japanese fire screen, hand painted china.

BREAKFAST ROOM SET

Consisting of white enameled table and 4 chairs, refrigerator, porcelain lined and white enameled gas range, utensils.

BED ROOMS

Circassian walnut bed room set, very finest quality; very fine ivory and cane bed room suite, white enameled bed room set.

PORCH

Porch beds, very fine Walnut Circassian single bed, baskets, electric vacuum cleaner, inlaid linoleum, about 30 or 40 yards; all curtains, rods and drapes, bedding, linens, portieres, stair carpets, Oriental hall runner.

Take Hollywood car, get off on Taft Ave.
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AUCTION

TUESDAY, Dec. 5th,
At 10 A.M., at 142-148 N. Spring St.

Consisting of general lot of iron enameled bed springs, mattresses, dressers, chiffoniers, commodes, sewing machines, linoleum, rugs, carpets, extension tables, chairs, rockers, bedding, sanitary couches, 2 pianos, showcases, counters, shelving, refrigerator, dishes, utensils, lots of other goods. This is our yearly clean-up, so it will pay everybody to be here and have their wagons with them.

J. J. Sugarman, Auctioneer.

AUCTION

923 BOWAN ST., Cor. Princeton, Boyle Heights. Take Stephenson Ave. car.
WEDNESDAY, DEC. 6, 9:30 A. M.

The entire stock of new, fresh groceries, consisting of sugar, flour, coffee, tea, spices, Mt. Vernon and Sego milk, cigars, tobaccos, confectionery, canned goods of every description, two dozen fine bred chickens, chicken feed, etc.

Fixtures consist of four showcases, 1 Toledo computing scale, 1 platform scale, 1 refrigerator, shelving, counters, etc.; 2 horses, 2 single harness and 2 delivery wagons.

The entire stock of groceries will be sold in small and large lots to suit public and dealers, without reserve or limit. Fixtures will be sold at 11 a.m.

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These Cows and Heifers are extraordinarily well marked and well-bred Holsteins, having been picked and bred from the best herds i nthe San Joaquin Valley.
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Thursday, Dec. 7,
At 9 o'clock a.m.
Free Lunch. Terms Cash.

It will pay you to make arrangements with your banker to take advantage of this sale to secure some of this excellent herd, where you do not have to bid against the time buyer.

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AUCTION

STOCK OF FURNITURE
1823 E. FOURTH ST.
Take East Fourth st. car to Glass St.
MONDAY, DEC. 4TH,
AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

Goods consist of one Washburn upright piano, cost $350; iron beds, iron springs; good mattresses, oak chairs, rockers, stands, dressers, commodes, combination and kitchen tables, sewing machine, sanitary couches, Crex rug, pillows, wash bowls and pitchers, steam table, large refrigerator, cost $45; gas plates and hundreds of articles too numerous to mention. These goods must be sold on above date to the highest bidders, without limit or reserve.

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Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. See that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Don't merely ask for Syrup of Figs, but ask for "California Syrup of Figs." Remember, "California."

AUCTION

Clean and Good Furniture—5 Rooms — Monday, Dec. 4th, 9:30 a. m.—2175 Lemoyne St. Take Echo Park Car to Donaldson St., Go 2 Blocks West

Two white enamel beds, mattress, springs, pictures, dressers, library table, rugs various sizes, center tables, rockers, dining table, chairs, gas plate, dishes, kitchenware, etc., etc.

AUCTION

Extra Nice Lot Furniture—7 Rooms—Tuesday, Dec. 5th, 9:30 a. m.—1305 West Ninth St. Take any W. Ninth St. Car or Jitney Bus.

Four Vernis Martin, also brass beds, mattresses, springs, dressers, chiffoniers, library and center tables, eight rockers, good rugs all sizes, new stair and hall carpets; 12x40, also smaller, mirror; writing desk and chair, reed rockers, McKinley rocker, draperies, curtains, bedding, pillows, pictures, small rugs, pedestal, jardinieres, box couch, antique, mahogany dresser 120 years old, electric drop light, dining table and chairs, sideboard, drop leaf table, gas range, hot plate, refrigerator, laundry outfit, dishes, kitchenwares, etc.; everything clean and nice.

AUCTION

EXTRAORDINARY — Magnificent furniture of six rooms including $450 Remington Upright Piano.
Tuesday, Dec. 5th, 2:00 p. m.
1017 Ingraham St.—Take West Seventh St. Car to Bixel

3 elegant Whittall 9x12 and other rugs, stair and hall carpets, two brass beds, good springs, floss mattresses, lot good bedding, pillows, sheets, etc.; exceptionally nice bedroom furniture in birdseye maple and mahogany; Napoleon bed, dressers and chiffoniers, rockers and chairs, all expensive; also other dressers and bedroom equipment; fumed oak dining outfit, pedestal table, chairs and buffet; set Jacobean dishes cost $50; glassware, elegant Battenberg curtains with Sunfast side drapes, silk portieres, cost $40 per pair; library table, rockers, center tables, pictures, set glass bath fixtures, new A-B high oven gas range, aluminum ware, cut glass, dishes, kitchenware, cutlery and hundreds of articles too numerous to mention. Everything nearly new and in excellent condition.

AUCTION

Clean Furniture of 7 rooms. Wed., Dec. 6th, 9:30 a. m.
1415 South Vermont Ave.

9x12 rugs, iron beds, clean mattresses, springs, dressers, commodes, center tables, portieres, curtains, rockers, box couch, mirror, stair and hall carpet, dress forms, bedding, pillows, carpet sweeper, dining table, dining chairs, 3-burner hot plate oven, kitchen tables, drop-leaf table, two sanitary couches, dishes, kitchenware, laundry outfit hose, etc. Owner going East.

AUCTION

Wed. Dec. 6, 2:00 p. m.
7276 Fountain Ave., Hollywood
Take Gardner Junction Car to Fuller Street.

To close the estate of SAMUEL MORAN. The personal effects, consisting of household furniture, lot of oil paintings, desk, mirror, andirons, dressers, tables, chairs, rockers, dishes, also lot of clothing. Lot of Harper's, Munsey's, Strand and other magazines dating back to 1870; lot lumber, doors, windows, carpenters' and garden tools, painter's ladder and fall and ladders, etc. Lots of other goods.

AUCTION

Desirable 9-room, 2-story Residence. Lot 43x143 to Alley.
Thursday, Dec. 7, 2:00 p. m.
1346 West Fifth Street—Take West Sixth St. Car to Bixel St.

House is located close in, suitable for home or rental investment. All conveniences; 5 bedrooms upstairs. Built-in features and hardwood floors downstairs. Furnace, garage, etc. See property prior to sale. Satisfactory terms.

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TEMPERANCE TEACHING.

W.C.T.U. To Discuss Work in the Sunday-schools.

The Los Angeles Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in the Sunday-school room of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Sixth and Hill streets, at 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, when Mrs. Belle Mulford will have charge of the programme. The topic will be "Temperance Teaching in the Sunday-schools."

James Edmunds, for ten years prominent worker and official of the Oregon State Sunday-school Association, but now of Los Angeles, and Miss Gabriella T. Stickney, of Pasadena, State superintendent of the W.C.T.U., will be the speakers. All Sunday-school workers are especially invited to attend this meeting.

SOCIETY MATRON BETTER.

After Grave Operation Mrs. W. W. Mines Rallies Favorably.

The condition of Mrs. W. W. Mines, prominent society matron and wife of the president of the Los Angeles Realty Board, who underwent a grave major operation at the Good Samaritan Hospital Thanksgiving Day, was reported to be very favorable last night.

The operation was performed by Dr. E. C. Moore and Dr. W. A. Edwards shortly after 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon. The patient rallied and has been resting as well as could be expected ever since. Mr. Mines is constantly at his wife's bedside. He is the only one allowed in the sick room with the exception of the nurse and doctors, although her mother has been allowed to see her.

Pimples Getting Very Uncommon

Stuart's Calcium Wafers Have Done Wonders for Society in Riding It of Pimples and Other Skin Eruptions.

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EQUALITY FOR RACES.

Americans Should Treat Foreign Born who Come Here as Strangers and Develop into Good Citizens in a Human Way, Declares Dr. Shiels.

Americans should purge themselves of patronages when dealing with foreigners, who come here first as strangers and then become residents and citizens, said Dr. Albert Shiels' superintendent of schools, who spoke on "The Foreign Born," at the City Club luncheon yesterday.

Dr. Shiels urged that the foreigners be treated in a natural, human way and Americans, who themselves were descended from people who came from foreign countries, should not adopt a superior attitude toward them.

With Judge Myers, president of the City Club, Dr. Shiels will attend the exercises at Los Angeles High School, Thursday night when a large clasm of foreigners will receive certificates of citizenship. Former Judge Bordwell will present the certificates and Rabbi S. Hecht will deliver an address.

Busted Romance.

MARRIAGE BROKER IS SUING FOR HIS FEE.

MATCH WASN'T WORTH PAYING FOR, SAYS BRIDEGROOM.

Bride Secured Through "Get Acquainted Club" Packs Clothes and Departs, and Deserted Man Doesn't Feel Like Putting up Good Coin to Wedding Promoter.

The end of a shriveled romance, emanating from a matrimonial agency, came to light yesterday when Benjamin W. Padley, a marriage broker, entered suit in the Justice Court to collect a fee of $5 from Charles Patton of No. 2418 Marengo street.

Mr. Patton, a widower well beyond middle age, becoming enamored of the idea of another wife, wrote to B. W. Padley, seeking his co-operation in this direction. The latter conducts a "get-acquainted" club at No. 521 West Tenth street.

"I wish to become a member of your club and I herewith subscribe to one year's membership. If through this medium I shall find one with whom I unite in marriage I will pay an additional $5," is what Patton wrote, and is the basis on which Mr. Padley is suing.

The aged man sat around the matrimonial club for a time, became acquainted with a widow and married her about last June. It was not long before the new Mrs. Patton apparently tired of her spouse, for she packed up her clothes and departed for some place unknown.

When the matrimonial agent came around to collect his fee about this time, Patton assured him the woman he married was not worth the $5 that was demanded. After considerable haggling the match-maker finally declared he would take the matter to court, and yesterday made good on his threat.

In Trouble.

A DOUBLE LIFE?

Police Investigating the Report that a Man Who Sold Shoes by Day also Operated as an Expert Automobile Bandit at Night Time.

Complications that may develop into a startling denouement for Edward Jones, beau brummel and suspected burglar, yesterday caused the police to investigate the report that the prisoner, now held in the City Jail, lived as a respectable shoe salesman by day, and employed his nights as an expert auto bandit.

Jones, who is 27 years old, was arrested several days ago on a charge of shoplifting. He gave bail and was rearrested on a charge of suspicion of burglary. He was on his way to the bank, where his deposit showed a balance of $7000, with Detective Walter Woods, when a passing well-dressed woman stopped the pair and identified Jones as the driver of the bandit car that robbed her home in Hollywood several weeks ago. The woman refused to give her name, but volunteered to be on hand when the case comes to trial.

Jones was arrested at No. 624 South Figuroa street. He said he lived at No. 924 Potter Park avenue.

BURNED B... Victim

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NEED CHRISTMAS BOXES FOR TROO...

SOLDIERS ON BORDER ... SUFFER MONOTONY.

The Red Cross Calls for ... ing Matter, Writing Material ... Games to Furnish the ... Cheer and a Hearty ... is Anticipated.

Maj.-Gen. Arthur Murray, ... (retired,) former acting ... of the Central Committee ... American Red Cross, is now ... Mexican border and has just ... mitted a report showing that ... there is no physical suffering ... the troops there, the long-con... monotony of camp life in ... places is a very real hardship ... the Red Cross can do much ... leviate. He has visited many ... camps and discussed the matter ... a large number of officers ... grades and branches of the ...

While, he says, the troops are ... cupied as far as possible ... and other military duties there ... necessarily many empty hours ... weather conditions and other ... cumstances leave them unen... and at every point in his ... there was a universal demand ... reading matter, writing materials, ... games. As these articles can be ... tained in large quantities at ... little cost, the Red Cross has ... out a call for books, magazines ... ticularly complete sets and ... volumes,) pens, pencils, ink, ... lopes and writing paper, ... such games as chess, checkers ... back gammon.

There are, as a rule, 100 soldiers ... a company, and it is suggested ... each box contain at least one ... ages for each soldier. All ... should be wrapped carefully ... daintily, marked with a card ... sent or taken to the office of the ... Angeles Chapter of the ... Red Cross, or addressed ... packed securely and sent, ... prepaid, or by parcel post, ... lows:

Care Commanding Officer, ... tive Expedition, Columbus, ...

Supplies sent to the Red Cross ... pot at El Paso can be sent for ... thirds rate, via Wells Fargo.

A list of individual packages ... shipping instructions can be ... the office of the Red Cross, ... solidated Realty Building, ... phone, A5826.

A hearty response is anticipated ... that the troops may enjoy a ... Christmas cheer, so far from ... "own folks."

LETTERS TO "THE TIME...

[The Times invites strong, clear, brief ... of interest on current subjects. ... must be signed, legibly, should be kept ... limits and, preferably, typewritten. ... ters are liable. Value is added to such ... by giving of the writer's true name ... be either published or withheld at the ... request. Letters signed for publication ... be performed in language, and are ... editorial supervision.]

Inheritance Law.

SIERRA MADRE, Nov. 29, ... the Editor of The Times:] ... sons who are deeply interested ... advancement of learning, the ... oration of the hard lot of ... fortunate, and lovers of perse... erty will most heartily thank ... for what you said in an editor... yesterday's Los Angeles Times ... gard to a portion of the inhe... law of the State of California. ...

I have good reasons for be... that thousands of dollars have ... lost to the State owing to ... just and foolish inheritance ... I have personal knowledge ... estate being lost solely on ... count.

There are a great many ... persons of means living in this ... and a prospect of many more ... ing to it. Now, is it not reas... to believe that a number of ... persons may have a desire ... all or a large part of their ... to educational, charitable, ... ligious institutions? Would ... be wise to permit them to d... We certainly need such inst... Just think how we compare ... other great States in this re... Under the present law ... will your entire estate to ... weighted down with money ... one who has been engaged ... "white slave trade," but you ... will it to the poor little orphans ... me beseech you, one and all, ... your legislators to repeal ... without further delay. De...

Yours most sincerely,
JOHN M. ...

Real Depravity.

PORTERVILLE, Nov. 30, ... the Editor of The Times:] ... in yesterday's issue of The ... item concerning the theft of ... kerchief police patrol. ...

Things have come to a pre... in this State when a decent, ... able police patrol is not safe ... of the police station. ...

Any man who would steal ... lice patrol is dead to all ... ings of life and if this ... ptured, something should ... m.

DENNIS O'ROU...

Repellent Laws.

BEAR LAKE ... To the Editor ... der California ... them the adop... amendment ... of the voters ... proposition ... all the wo... Innocents. ... California ... are no ... gets to ... and tail ...

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ONE W... is one place tha... commission sec... estate developme... is because we c... and land holder. ... manner to instru... ers to city and of small individ... way of thoroughly establish... Brings it is carried out in ... with a modern organ... poultry it is carried out th... ation. Just to be informed ... know what is being accomp... in a living from the soil, o... self or for any relatives o... able for you to inform pl... the wonderful country in ... minutes from Hill street. ... Rights.)

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...g the earlier of the midwin... ...g at the Hotel Maryland ... Joseph Homer, president of the ...rican Dental Society. He has ... apartments at the fashionable ... City hostelry, and is plan... an elaborate season of enter... Dr. Homer's dinner parties ... larger Pasadena hotels last ... were notable affairs, and giv... of being even more brilliant ...ason. The doctor has received ... that many prominent persons ... in the dental world will vis... ...dena during the coming winter ... many of these will be compli... ...ed with elaborate affairs.

...ts for men, women, children ... new shipment which has jus... ...d at Grace Nicholson's, 46 N. ...Robles. For the holiday trade ... mirrors, brasses, pottery, por... brocades, enamels, bronzes ... jewelry, Indian rugs, baskets ... Advertisement.

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...tel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena ...ertisement.

...ANT RADISH TAKES ...ON FORM OF TURKEY

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]
...EDLANDS, Dec. 2.—M. ... ...er of this city, who had ... ...sar Garden Grove, spent ... ...laying there and when he ...rned to Redlands he brought ... him the fruits of toil in the ... of a radish that weighs just ... pounds and one ounce. ... been conceded the prize for ... radishes by all who have ...

...t only is it a big radish, ...ug by Mr. Cramer on T... ...Day and it is prob... ...ing that the ver... ...and form resemble ... all puffed up be... the axe. ...main root furnis... radish-fowl a... ...growths that ... ...legs and tail ...

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The Red Cross Calls for Read ing Matter, Writing Material and Games to Furnish the Holida Cheer and a Hearty Respons is Anticipated.

Maj.-Gen. Arthur Murray, U.S. (retired,) former acting chairm of the Central Committee of American Red Cross, is now on Mexican border and has just s mitted a report showing that, w there is no physical suffering am the troops there, the long-contin monotony of camp life in isola places is a very real hardship t the Red Cross can do much to leviate. He has visited many of camps and discussed the matter a large number of officers of grades and branches of the serv

While, he says, the troops are cupied as far as possible in d and other military duties there necessarily many empty hours w weather conditions and other cumstances leave them unemploy and at every point in his itine there was a universal demand reading matter, writing material a games. As these articles can be tained in large quantities at t little cost, the Red Cross has out a call for books, magazines (p ticularly complete sets and h volumes,) pens, pencils, ink, en lopes and writing paper, puzzles, such games as chess, checkers back gammon.

There are, as a rule, 100 soldier a company, and it is suggested each box contain at least one p ages for each soldier. All pack should be wrapped carefully a daintily, marked with a card sent or taken to the office of the Angeles Chapter of the Amer Red Cross, or addressed pla packed securely and sent, exp prepaid, or by parcel post, as t lowest.

Care Commanding Officer, P tive Expedition, Columbus, N. M Supplies sent to the Red Cross pot at El Paso can be sent for a t thirds rate, via Wells Fargo.

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Inheritance Law.

SIERRA MADRE, Nov. 29.— the Editor of The Times:] A sons who are deeply interested i advancement of learning, the a oration of the hard lot of the fortunate, and lovers of persona erty will most heartily thank for what you said in an editori yesterday's Los Angeles Times gard to a portion of the inheri law of the State of California.

I have good reasons for thi that thousands of dollars have lost to the State owing to this just and foolish inheritance law. I have personal knowledge of estate being lost solely on this count.

There are a great many e persons of means living in this and a prospect of many more ing to it. Now, is it not reas to believe that a number of persons may have a desire to l all or a large part of their pro to educational, charitable, or ligious institutions? Would it be wise to permit them to d We certainly need such institu Just think how we compare other great States in this resp

Under the present law you will your entire estate to a weighted down with money, one who has been engaged i "white slave trade," but you c will it to the poor little orphan me beseech you, one and all, to pour legislators to repeal this without further delay. Do it Yours most sincerely,

JOHN M. L

Real Depravity.

PORTERVILLE, Nov. 30, the Editor of The Times:] I in yesterday's issue of The Time item concerning the theft of the ketsfield police patrol.

Things have come to a pretty in this State when a decent, re able police patrol is not safe in of the police station.

Any man who would steal a lice patrol is dead to all the ellings of life and if this pers ptured, something should be m.

DENNIS O'ROURK

Repellent Laws.

BEAR LAKE (Mi To the Editor of der California ha them the adoption amendment re of the votes of proposition, fa all the votes Minnesota. California re no law ts to be v majority o h amend w and the alifornia thro manu will a st a w ee w

o's West Coast Industries.



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ONE W a commission sent out to inspect la el, who saw the estate development. The principal tified that her father s, is because we consider the futu Chester and his and land holder. We have laid Chester, aged 35 years, n a manner to insure the perman at the ranch at the time y and of each individual in it. d threat was made. A wid thoroughly established and wor three small children sur e it is carried out in the Produc tel. with a modern cannery and quality it is carried out through ation. Just to be informed you know what is being accomplished n a living from the soil, or a sul lot or for any relatives or frien ake for you to inform yourself wonderful country in the minutes from Hill street. (Ag flights.)

COME AND SEE US.

W. P. V

Part Owne 621 Hollingsworth On Sherman Way a

Pasadena.

Y MANAGER LAN IS ALIVE.

City Advocates to Try Another Election.

Organization Formed to Further Cause.

Cards Sent Out to Get New Members.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ADENA, Dec. 3.—The move- change the present City sion form of government to manager plan is to be con- The fact that the proposi- defeated by only a few votes at the recent special gives new hope to the ad- of the change. Yesterday the ation of the Good Govern- League was announced. head of the league are C. ghton and J. S. McPherson, the most active leaders in manager campaign. Mr. has been chosen tempo- retary of the league and it stood that later Mr. Leigh- be chairman. cards have been sent out members. The league itself to work for a new ier that will have not only tiative and referendum, but e better and have the "pro- new governmental instru- some sort, regarded as the ing along this line. There advocated a board of five ctors who are to select the nager. city manager is to be sub- the recall and the "protest." tly a majority of the busi- of the city are opposed to e since the new scheme is d as somewhat fantastic with t on business conditions as own quantity. The business ing Colorado avenue con- to the campaign fund of ens' Committee, which con- the recent canvass against manager plan.

SURPRISE MARRIAGE.

al announcements were sent terday announcing the mar- of Miss Lucile McNabb and William Brandt on Novem- at the parsonage of the Ger- Lutheran Church in Pasadena. edding date had been fixed for pring and the early marriage as a surprise to their friends. ride is a graduate of the Pas- High School and is a talent- inist. Her parents are Mr. W. R. McNabb of No. 39 rd avenue. The groom's fa- A. C. Brandt, the contractor. morrow Mr. and Mrs. Brandt at home at No. 342 North an avenue.

NEW HOUSE.

d Macy, president of the Macy Company, will build, a ry frame residence of Span- h in the Rivera district of bara. Architect Reginald on is preparing plans and tions. Bids will be taken in days. The residence will rooms and three baths.

NEW ARRIVAL.

the earlier of the midwin- at the Hotel Maryland is h Homer, president of the Dental Society. He has artments at the fashionable City hostelry, and is plan- elaborate season of enter- Dr. Homer's dinner parties larger Pasadena hotels last ere notable affairs, and give of being even more brilliant n. The doctor has received hat many prominent person- the dental world will visit during the coming winter, ny of these will be compli- with elaborate affairs.

for men, women, children in shipment which has just at Grace Nicholson's, 46 N. bles, for the holiday trade— mirrors, brasses, pottery, por- brocades, enamels, bronzes, jewelry, Indian rugs, baskets. rtisement.

Elwood Allcutt's Shop, Hotel ad, Christmas gifts, Cards.— rtisement.

Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena. rtisement.

NT RADISH TAKES N FORM OF TURKEY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LANDS, Dec. 2.—M. L. of this city, who had a ear Garden Grove, spent iving there and when he to Redlands he brought the fruits of toil in the of a radish that weighs just pounds and one ounce. I conceded the prize f adishes by all who have s only is it a big radish, t by Mr. Cramer on T day and it is prob that the ver and form resemble all puffed up be the axe. main root furni radish-fowl a wths that m legs and tail

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MARINE FLOTILLA ADED FOR THIS PORT

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OS ANGELES HARBOR, Dec. 2. The first division of the Pacific ast submarine flotilla, with Lieut. B. Howe in command, sailed from ort Townsend yesterday for San edro for the winter.

The divers have been at the yards for four months undergoing extensive repairs. The H-1 and H-3 left with the monitor Cheyenne, tender to the flotilla. The H-2, which came out of drydock yesterday, joined them at Port Angeles.

One or two days will be spent in tests before taking to the open sea, unless the weather is very favorable.

light loads of 396 boxes and 462 boxes.

"We understand that the shippers usually have orders for cars with lighter loads, but it cannot be helped this year. The standard pack used to be 396 boxes, but if was increased to 462. If every car is loaded to capacity we can save one car out of every four. And the packers must demand only the cars they need and not keep any refrigerator cars on their tracks longer than necessary."

The officials say that if this is done the shortage can be averted and they also say that most of the shippers have agreed to give all assistance possible.

San Bernardino.

MURDER CHARGE.

Mexican Formally Accused of Committing a Murder—He Denies, but Three Alleged Companions Take Officers to Burial Place.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 2.—Faced with the bones of the man he is alleged to have slain four years ago, P. Magdelina, a jitney bus operator and restaurant proprietor, sat calmly in the Sheriff's office tonight and refused to impart anything in reply to questions of Deputy District Attorney Ben F. Warmer and Sheriff J. L. McMinn. The remains of Jesus Matrona, whom three Mexicans, who are held as witnesses against Magdelina, say was murdered by him as a result of a quarrel over a poker game in a county road camp in Santa Ana Canyon in 1912, were exhumed today when the three Mexicans took officers to the grave near Bellyache Spring above Clark's ranch. The gruesome display of bones seemed to make little impression on Magdelina, who denied his guilt. One of the witnesses declares that he helped Magdelina carry the body of Matrona to the grave and was threatened with death if he ever told of the murder. The bones of both legs from the knee down are still incased in the high boots which Matrona wore when he was stabbed. Magdelina will be formally charged with murder Monday.

GETS A JUDGMENT AGAINST AUTOIST.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 2.—After deliberating thirty minutes, a jury awarded Clarence D. Rankin, who was struck by an automobile driven by Bert F. Starry a year ago, a total of $5391 damages. Starry's wife, Alice Starry, was made a co-defendant with him in an action for $25,000 damages brought by T. M. Holliday as guardian ad litem for Starry. While attempting to cross Market street, according to the testimony, Rankin was struck by Starry's car. Among the injuries sustained was a fractured skull and four broken ribs.

CLUB WOMAN DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Stella Hicks Shaver, wife of H. G. Shaver of this city, member of the Wednesday Morning Club and a woman much beloved in the community, died at the home of Mr. Shaver's sister at Pasadena last night, a few hours after he had left the sick woman's bedside in the belief that she had taken a turn for the better. She is survived by two daughters, students in the Girls' High School, and two sisters, Mrs. W. R. Dowler of San Bernardino and Miss Louamie Hicks, a trained nurse, who cared for Mrs. Shaver during her last serious illness.

QUARANTINE WITH AID OF SHOTGUNS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 2.—The town of Glamis, Cal., northeast of here, was isolated tonight when the Imperial county health officers, with three automobile loads of deputies, enforced a quanatine with shotguns, and ordered the Southern Pacific station agent not to allow incoming or outgoing trains to take on or discharge passengers. The action was taken when it was learned one man was dead and four were dying in the Mexican quarter from smallpox.

The health officer found a dozen other Mexicans ill, and they were not expected to recover. The white residents of the town were vaccinated.

Bakersfield.

VETERAN ACQUITTED.

Jury After Held in the Hinc Upon Charg ose most competent t Mr various advantages—in art for its pleasing and harmon designs; in home circles for the est in reed furniture—"REED sale ONLY AT OUR SHOPS, 937-

Beaumont.

INDIANS PLAN FUNERAL PYRE.

Strange and Novel Ritual to be Given.

Invitations Issued Written Upon Bark.

Ceremonies will Begin Next Monday at Sunrise.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BEAUMONT, Dec. 2.—Elaborate preparations are being made by the Indians living on the Morongo reservation, located a few miles east of Beaumont, for a week of memorial services for their dead. There are more than 250 members of the Morongo band on the reservation and as invitations are being sent to all of the other Indian tribes in Southern California to attend and take part in the services the attendance is expected to be large, in keeping with the importance of the event in the list of religious observances followed by the Indian race.

FUNERAL PYRE.

Featuring the various ceremonies of the week, each of which has deep religious significance, will be the lighting and burning of a large funeral pyre. Dolls will be dressed to represent the bodies of such departed ones as it is particularly desired to honor. No expense is spared in costuming these dolls, various bands and families vying with each other in thus paying honor to certain favored departed spirits. After the fire is lighted the dolls are cast into the flames and, while they are being consumed the tribal orators in a wierd, sing-song tone, recount the prowess and heroic deeds of the mighty chiefs who have gone before.

TRIBAL DANCES.

Almost equally impressive are the tribal dances and chants which will also form prominent parts of the programme during the week. Most of the dances will be held at night and will be witnessed by many white visitors.

The week's ceremonies will begin on Monday, December 4, and will close with a sunrise service on Sunday, December 10. The beautiful "dance to the sun," it is expected, will be given at this closing ceremony. Custom requires that all of the Indians present participate in this tribute to one of their principal gods.

INVITATIONS ON BARK.

True to the traditions of their race, the invitations being sent to neighboring tribes are fashioned on the bark of trees and are printed in the sign languages, familiar only to those well versed in Indian lore. Modern means of transportation are scorned by the Indian messengers, who are carrying the invitations on foot, or in cases where the distance is extreme, are mounted bareback on ponies. The messengers are attired in full tribal costume from feathered headpiece to beaded mocassins.

William Pabio, chief of the Indian police, is at the head of the committee arranging for the ceremonial.

COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE IS PLANNED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

AZUSA, Dec. 2.—Two score representatives of every organization of Azusa met at the City Hall to discuss plans for a municipal Christmas tree and holiday celebration. The plan first broached by Mayor Roach was enthusiastically accepted and committees appointed to carry on the work.

A huge evergreen tree will be erected in the fountain of Library Park and a programme of Christmas music will be given on Friday night preceding Christmas. The tree will be lighted every evening during the holiday week and on New Year's eve will glow until midnight as a beacon for the dawn of 1917.

PLAN AN OUTFALL SEWER TO OCEAN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 3.—Within a few weeks Santa Ana will vote upon bonds for constructing an outfall sewer to the ocean.

At the present time the city's sewage flows to the ocean through line owned by the Southern Cali- coming ear Company. south, a contract with the com- other ty be ended within a year. not imated that the outfall will 60,000. At the same time the wer bonds are proposed there will e submitted a proposal for bonds or building a new concrete bridge on North Main street on the State highway.

LIFE SAVED BY ACT OF NEIGHBOR.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Ernest E. Day, wife of the new pastor of Plymouth Congregational Church, escaped serious injury by burning this forenoon by the quick work of a neighbor who threw her own coat around the burning clothes and extinguished the flames.

Mrs. Day's clothing had caught fire in passing a gas stove and she rushed out into the street. The lower part of her dress had caught fire, but help came soon enough to prevent serious burns. The Days arrived in Whittier only ten days ago, coming here from Minneapolis.

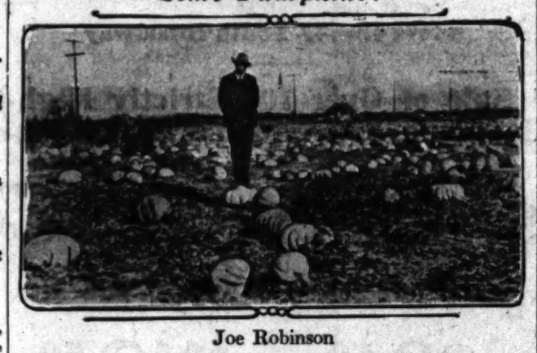
OVER A MILLION BAGS OF SUGAR.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OXNARD, Dec. 3.—Having manufactured 1,150,000 bags of sugar, about 250,000 more than any previous season, the American Beet Sugar Company's factory here closed for this season last night.

The increased production is due partly to the unusually high percentage of sugar in this year's beets and to the increased acreage, particularly in the San Fernando Valley.

"Some Pumpkins!"



Joe Robinson

Of Van Nuys, in his field of pumpkins, which he is selling to cannery at such figures as will net him $100 per acre.

JUNE DROP CAUSED BY PECULIAR FUNGUS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 2.—Experiments which were conducted here this season by P. J. S. Montgomery, who owns one of the largest orange groves in El Mirador, north of here, apparently has fully verified the announcement from the University of California that the so-called "june drop" of oranges is caused by a fungus. If these experiments are further borne out by more extensive work the annual saving to orchardists of this county will reach more than $1,000,000.

Montgomery declares that last spring he treated a portion of his orchard with a recognized brand of fungicide, and later in the season sprayed it again. On these trees thus treated, he says, practically every orange remained, and many of the trees required half a dozen props to keep them from breaking down. The trees averaged about twice the fruit on those untreated, and from which the oranges dropped about as usual.

Preparations are being made by a large number of the growers to use fungicides in their orchards on a large scale this year.

HOME OF ISLAND KING BLOWN AWAY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, Dec. 2.—Capt. Webster, who is King of Anacapa Island by reason of a lease from the United States government, had his home at Webster harbor on Anacapa ca ried away in bits, by the heavy win which struck the harbor recently.

All that remains of the house is the concrete floor, the building was situated on a low ridge which forms the backbone of the island, when the wind came down from the mainland, it simply picked up the house, completely demolishing it. Mrs. Webster with their two sons was away at the time of the occurrence. Mr. Webster will rebuild.

Ideal resort for winter season—the famous "Hotel del Coronado."—[Advertisement.

KRUTTSCHNITT BOOSTS PORTERVILLE DISTRICT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 2.—"Another Southern California, with Porterville occupying the position in relation to it that Los Angeles does in the south—that is what you will have here one day." This was the statement of Julius Kruttschnitt, chairman of the board of directors of the Harriman lines, on a tour of inspection of new interurban extensions tributary to Porterville. Mr. Kruttschnitt's prediction was made after he had been taken to the summit of Breen Hill, just south of the city limits, from which point of vantage he could see orange orchards for miles in every direction.

With Mr. Kruttschnitt was President Sproule and Vice-President Campbell of the Espee system. They declared there will be no delay in carrying out plans for further extensions of their interurban lines in the southern portion of Tulare county.

SHY OF APPLES, SEEK ORANGES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 3.—Representatives of apple firms, who are large factors in the market in North Yakima and other Washington and Oregon districts, are here making a study of the orange situation, with the purpose, they say, of handling some of the Tulare county crop. Due to the damage done the late apple crop in Washington it will be impossible for them to supply their trade with Christmas apples and they propose to sell them Porterville district oranges instead.

According to statements made by some of the fruit brokers who are investigating here, a serious car shortage retarded picking of the late varieties of apples in many parts of Washington, the early freeze caught much of the fruit, and the resulting loss to the growers of the State will aggregate more than $3,000,000.

San Luis Obispo.

HEAVY QUAKES.

Four Very Distinct Shocks Felt on Coast, and Glassware is Shaken from Shelves—Landslides Reported on Railways. Conditions Unusual.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Dec. 2.—Four heavy earthquake shocks of a local nature were felt here yesterday afternoon. Vibrations were from east to west, extending to the ocean front, nine miles distant. People rushed from buildings. Shocks were heaviest on the coast, where everything movable was jarred from shelves, much glassware and china being broken. At Avila plaster shook from the cottages of the Union Oil Company, and some stacks at the refinery toppled over.

Port San Luis Obispo had a large landslide in Dairy Canyon, along the tracks of the Pacific Coast Company. Small slides are being removed by the section gangs.

Van Nuys.

BIG PUMPKIN FIELD.

San Fernando Rancher Finds Profit in Raising the Common Garden Pumpkin for the Cannery; Seeds from Prize Winner at St. Louis Fair.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VAN NUYS, Dec. 2.—"Some pumpkins," exclaimed every one who sees the field grown by Joe Robinson at Van Nuys. Pumpkins of the common or garden variety have always been sneezed at more or less, but the fact remains that pumpkins are a profitable crop.

Twenty to thirty tons to the acre, without irrigation, is not an exceptional crop and they pay $5.50 per ton in the field and $6 delivered on cars at the present time. Pencil and paper will prove that this will yield about $100 per acre. Not so bad, when you consider that there is nothing to planting pumpkins otherwise than just sticking the seeds in the ground.

One grown by Joe Robinson weighs 140 pounds, and there are literally thousands in the field that will weigh over 100 pounds each.

Thousands are being used for canning purposes at the canning plant in Van Nuys, and the stockmen from all over the country come here to buy them. The large specimen shown in the picture is a member of the F.F.V.'s of the pumpkin family, having been produced from a direct descendant of the famous 450-pound prize-winning pumpkin at the St. Louis Exposition, seeds from which sold for $1 per seed. Mr. Robinson purchased six at the time nd is now in possession of several pounds of this excellent variety of seed.

The shell or meat of this particular kind is from six to twelve inches thick.

YOUNGEST LIFE GUARD IN ALL THE WORLD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDONDO BEACH, Dec. 2.—This city claims the distinction of having the youngest life guard in the world. Little Edward Dodge, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dodge, of this city, aged 4 years, is the champion overhand, backstroke, under stroke and high diver, in his class.

Ray Henderson, life guard of this city, has put little Edward through all the tests of life guard service and claims he can stand the actual proof and meet the requirements. He can swim forty feet in less than one minute and can tow 162 pounds, when rescuing a man, supposed to have drowned. He seems to be fearless and is anxious to make high dives from the springboard. Ray Henderson, his tutor, claims the youngster will be a wonder and will not let him try the high dive, for fear that he will be hurt and be afraid afterwards.

"Hotel del Coronado."—brilliant and gay with social activity.—[Advertisement.

SERIES OF ACCIDENTS OCCUR IN VENTURA.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENTURA, Dec. 2.—As a result of a series of accidents here on Meta street, one person may die. William Pryor, of Nordhoff, who sustained a basal fracture of the skull when he fell from the rear end of an auto truck, striking fairly on the head, scarcely has a chance for recovery.

Walter Johnson, manager of the Southern Milling Company, riding his motorcycle on Meta street, fell from his machine, fracturing an ankle; he will be laid up for a long time.

F. Murphy sustained injuries so that he is under a physician's care, through the reckless driving of a car which struck him as he was alighting from another machine, on the avenue, when more speed was put on, leaving the unfortunate victim where he fell.

Coronado Agency, 527 Spring st. Phones: A2789; Main 3917.—[Advertisement.

SURVEYORS AT WORK UPON COAST ROAD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OXNARD, Dec. 2.—Surveyors have been working for the past two days on the coast road from Hueneme toward Ventura. Charles T. Steele, in charge of the crew, stated that another force is working between Santa Monica and Hueneme. He refused to say whether or not rights of way had been secured for this road, the construction of which has long been discussed.

BALD-HEADED EAGLE NOW IN BALBOA PARK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 2.—A huge bald-headed American eagle shot and disabled by David Goldbaum of Ensenada, while it was in the act of carrying off a live sheep, arrived here on the British motor vessel Gryme. Goldbaum presented the eagle to the city of San Diego to be placed in the aviary at Balboa Park. Goldbaum's bullet tore through one of the eagle's wings, crippling it. The bird put up a terrific fight before it could be subdued and placed in a cage.

Fallbrook.

GIVES BULLOCK FOR BARBECUE.

Railroad Entrance to Town Cause of Celebration.

Jerome O'Neil Furnishes Meat for the Occasion.

Ancient Valley to Listen to Toot of Engine.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

FALLBROOK, Nov. 29.—By courtesy of Jerome O'Neil of the great Santa Margarita ranch, extending from the San Luis Rey River at Oceanside on the south, to the Orange county line on the north, and to within a short distance of the townsite of Fallbrook on the east, the fattest bullock of the domain will be slaughtered for the barbecue to be held in connection with the celebration of the completion of the Santa Fe railway from Oceanside to Fallbrook early in the new year.

Months ago, when the agitation was on for the discarding of the old route of the Santa Fe up the Temecula Canyon, from a point near the Santa Margarita ranch-house, with the depot site in the canyon, nearly two miles west of the townsite, and instead the adoption of an easy grade out of the canyon and leading into the townsite itself, the proposition was heartily indorsed by Mr. O'Neil, who co-operated with the people of Fallbrook in interesting the officials of the Santa Fe to make the change.

When the building of the line over the new route was assured Mr. O'Neil promised Fallbrook that it should have the fattest steer on his ranch for the barbecue of the celebration. The bullock is now retained on a special diet, subject to the call of the Fallbrook Commercial Club, under whose auspices the celebration is to take place, and which is making active preparations for the event. According to President H. V. Alexander of the club, it is the intention of the town "to put the big pot in the little one, close up shop, throw the keys of the city away and have one high old time."

With the celebration of the coming of the railway will be coupled that of the initiation of an olive factory, a packing-house for the Citrus Union and the entrance of the electric light and power utilities, the current being brought from the plant of the San Diego Consolidated Gas and Electric Company at San Diego. Fallbrook will start the new year with bright prospects.

Porterville.

MISSING BEER.

When Court Held Evidence was Insufficient Plaintiff Tried to Find the Beer Which the Officers Seized When They Made the Arrest.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 2.—Whether or not the City Council will be compelled to pay for three dozen bottles of the brand of beer which is alleged to have established the reputation of Milwaukee, together with as many pint flasks of whisky, is the weighty problem which has been put up to the City Attorney for solution. Last week the city police officers raided the home of W. W. Welch, a nurseryman, resident of Garden street, and seized the liquor on the allegation that he had been violating the liquor laws. Judge Schuhl dismissed the case for lack of evidence. The court ordered the liquor returned to Welch. Then it was discovered that the beer and whisky could not be found. Attorneys for Welch have filed a claim against the city for the value of the liquids. Members of the Council have ordered an investigation.

ZIGZAGGING ON ROAD CAUSES AUTO SMASH.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OXNARD, Dec. 2.—One automobile was demolished, a second badly smashed up, and six people had narrow escapes from serious injury in a head-on collision yesterday evening. In one car were Joe Bordenare and Peter Fondre of Oxnard, in the other were Harry Tico and Harold Duckham of Oxnard and Misses Anna McAdams and Helen Short of Ventura. Tico claims that Bordenare was zigzagging in the road and that he could not miss him. Miss Short and Duckham were thrown some distance from the telescoping cars and sustained considerable injury. Duckham's head struck on a sharp rock and a gash to the bone was cut from his forehead to his neck. Bordenare was pinned between the two autos and was crushed and bruised.

PALM FRUIT RANCH BRINGS BIG PRICE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 2.—One of the largest real estate transfers to be reported in the past several months was in the sale of the Palm fruit ranch of 640 acres in deciduous fruits and alfalfa, situated in the Wasco district, south of here, which was sold to M. Henderson and associates of Los Angeles.

The property formerly was controlled by a syndicate of Southern California owners, who received $350 per acre for the tract. For the past two years it has been under lease to a Japanese partnership. The fruit crop of last season, it was stated, brought in $50,000 to the tenants.

WILL SUE COUNTY FOR AUTO HURTS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MENTONE, Dec. 2.—Relatives of Mr. and Mrs. I. Pollard of Mentone, who were struck by one of the county auto trucks driven by W. Kincaid, may bring suit against the county for damages. Mr. and Mrs. Pollard were both injured and the latter is now in the hospital at Redlands.

It is said that the truck, which is used in carrying supplies to the prison camp in Mill Creek Canyon, got away from the driver and ran up on an embankment, where Mr. and Mrs. Pollard were walking and struck them.

FILLMORE LAUNCHES CIVIC CENTER PLAN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

FILLMORE, Dec. 2.—A Civic Center plan for Fillmore was launched this week by President Archie Sharpe of the Chamber of Commerce and others. The plan is that the city acquire the option on a large tract of ground opposite the high school, for a city hall, fire department quarters, Carnegie library, and the Fillmore Ebell Club Building. Tentative plans have been under way for some time for all of these buildings. Only the group idea is new, and it is arousing much favorable comment.

MUNICIPAL RECREATION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLENDALE, Dec. 3.—Plans to establish in Glendale a municipal recreation center were discussed at a civic meeting, which was called by Mrs. C. E. Hutchinson, president of the Federated Parent-Teacher Associations of Glendale. Among those present were City Manager Watson, Mrs. Nanno Woods, president of the Garden Society; Prof. H. Howe and Rev. C. Mottern. They urged the need for healthy recreation for the younger generation.

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For Catholic University.

In all the Catholic churches of the diocese of Monterey and Los Angeles today collections will be taken for the Catholic University of America. The purpose is to help raise a fund for the extension of the work of the university.

Overseas Club Ball.

The British Overseas Club will give its annual masquerade ball on Wednesday evening in the Fraternal Brotherhood Hall, Lincoln and Figueroa streets. Four prizes are to be awarded, two to the most original ladies' and gentlemen, and two to the most descriptive costumes. All "Britishers" are invited.

Druid Benefit Ball.

Called upon to help a worthy cause the Druids and their friends responded in large numbers at the benefit ball given by Magnolia Grove No. 97, United Ancient Order of Druids, last Friday night. A Druids' evening was recorded on the committee's calendar, which will encourage them to greater efforts. Dancing was indulged in and refreshments were served.

Baroness not Sick.

The report that Baroness Rosa von Zimmerman is lying seriously ill at her home, Castle Rosamond, in Oak Knoll, and that she is making a brave battle for her life, was emphatically denied yesterday afternoon. Word from her home was that she was at that time in town shopping and would attend a dancing party last night. Members of the household expressed surprise at the report.

Federation Elects.

At a meeting of the Federated Improvement Association last night the following officers for the coming year were elected: H. M. Lannan, president; H. S. McCallum, first vice-president; Benjamin Groves, second vice-president; H. M. Chapman, secretary-treasurer; John H. Martin, attorney. Arrangements have been made for a social to be given at Redman's Hall on South Hill street December 15. Members of the allied associations are cordially invited to attend.

In Woodcrest School.

The Vermont Boulevard Association has issued a call for a meeting Friday night in the Woodcrest schoolhouse. It also announces that Vernon avenue, between Manchester avenue and Vermont heights, has been extensively repaired and is now in good condition for auto travel. In order to reach the meeting place, autoists are instructed to turn west at Lincoln or 108th street. Persons going by street car should take the "Vermont heights cars' marked West Athens, get off at Lincoln and walk two blocks west.

Fumigation.

SHORT ON CYANIDE.

Citrus Growers in San Antonio District Find Themselves Out of Cyanide and thus are Unable to Complete work of Cleansing Trees.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 3.—With six-sevenths of its work accomplished the Growers' Fumigation and Supply Company, which controls the sale for the co-operative citrus growers' of the San Antonio Fruit Exchange, had been forced to knock off work and wait for a fresh supply of cyanide. The chemical will be shipped from the Atlantic Coast and it will be from three to four weeks on the way.

Every fumigation outfit in the valley and most of those in the Inland country will have a loafing spell after this week, because they are all out of cyanide. Some of them will be unable to get a fresh supply, but the big concerns which brought their supply on contract a year ahead will be able to get it whenever the supply houses can get cars to transport it.

This year the Growers' Fumigation Company got an early start on a 4500-acre run. It ran into a wet and foggy spell at the start but has since had excellent weather, and during the past fourteen weeks it has treated 2900 acres of trees. There are only 600 acres of trees left to treat, and if work continued uninterrupted the gangs could finish by the middle of December, but the delay in cyanide shipments will run the work well into January and more rainy weather may retard the work. However, a good share of the work is done and the weather has been so favorable that the fumigating has been unusually effective. The trees which have been treated are much cleaner than usual, and the splendid quality of the fruit this winter is mighty good evidence of the benefit that the trees derived from doses of gas in former years.

FRUIT ORCHARD SELLS FOR HIGH FIGURE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WASCO, Dec. 3.—The Palm fruit ranch near here consisting of 640 acres in fruit and alfalfa, has been sold to M. Henderson of Los Angeles, who paid $250 per acre for the property. It belonged to a syndicate of capitalists from the South.

The Hotel Pepper in Los Angeles was traded in on the deal.

For the past two years the ranch has been leased to Japanese tenants. A $50,000 fruit crop was taken from the Palm ranch this season.

THE FIRST CAR OF LEMONS ON ITS WAY.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OXNARD, Dec. 3.—The first shipment of lemons from his young orchard in Pleasant Valley, near Camarillo, was made this week by W. P. Daily. He has between thirty-five and forty acres of two and three-year-old lemons just beginning to bear.

Mr. Daily has had lemon trees in his yard for over twelve years, which have never been hurt by frost. The big freeze of 1913 did not touch the trees, and this first caused the belief that in Pleasant Valley was a new frostless belt for lemons.

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Roofs—Roofs—Roofs are needed all winter. Now is the time to prepare. Weaver Roof Co., Manufacturers, 341 East Second st., F2825. Broadway 2855.

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 2.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.00; at 5 p.m., 30.07. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 51 deg. and 55 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 91 per cent.; 5 p.m., 81 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., southeast, velocity 9 miles. Highest temperature, 59 deg.; lowest, 45 deg. Rainfall for season, 2.64 inches; last season, 1.35 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The pressure is high east of the Rocky Mountains and the weather is fair and moderately cool. Frost is reported from Florida and Louisiana. The northwestern area of low pressure is moving eastward along the northern boundary of the United States, giving general precipitation in the Pacific Coast and the first rain for many weeks to Southern California. The heaviest rainfall in this district was .17 of an inch at Escondido. The skies of Southern California are partially covered this morning and the rains are not entirely over.

ORCHARD REPORTS.

The following minimum temperatures were reported for the past twenty-four hours: Santa Ana, 50; Corona, 44; Escondido, 48; Mt. Wilson, 30; Pasadena, 48; Pomona, 47; Redlands, 46; Riverside, 50; Santa Barbara, 47; San Bernardino, 49; San Fernando, 42; Tustin, 40; Porterville, 40; Lindsay, 41.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain Sunday; southwesterly winds.
For Southern California: Rain Sunday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity, Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Continued unsettled weather Sunday, with occasional rain; moderate southerly wind.
Southern California: Continued unsettled weather Sunday; probably with occasional rains; light southwest winds.
Arizona forecast.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Forecast for Arizona: Sunday fair, cooler; Monday fair.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

ANDERSON—CONNOLLY. Elmer G. Anderson, 30; Miss Connolly, 28.
BECKER—TROWBRIDGE. Bruno J. Becker, 30; Ada Trowbridge, 23.
BOWLING—CRAWFORD. L. Emory Bowling, 28; Phoebe D. Crawford, 21.
BROWN—RICH. Harold D. Brown, 26; Georgia R. Rich, 22.
BURGESS—JOHNSON. Robert M. Burger, 27; Rita M. Johnson, 24.
CRITCHLEY—BLANDING. Daniel M. Critchley, 28; Pearl V. Blanding, 24.
DODD—BOUNDS. William C. Dodd, 28; Elizabeth J. Crowder, 28.
GAGE—HALLARD. Fred W. Gage, 30; Ernestine M. Hassel, 29.
GALLARDO—LUNA. Frank L. Gallardo, 22; Rosa Luna, 20.
GRAY—MAXWELL. James H. Gray, 37; Lora L. Maxwell, 34.
GRECO—FINOCCHIARO. Tony Greco, 26; Maria Finocchiaro, 18.
HANEDA—NAGASHIMA. Kinosuki Haneda, 23; Yaei Nagashima, 23.
HAWKINGS—SMITH. W. Reginald Hawkings, 21; Nola J. Smith, 17.
KOCH—PAPE. Albert Koch, 27; Marie Pape, 22.
KOPP—JOHANSEN. John Kopf, 59; Rosa Johansen, 60.
PAQUETTE—BINKERHOFF. Ralph A. Paquette, 21; Jessie V. Binkerhoff, 20.
PITCHIE—MOLIN. Charles V. Pitchie, 24; Josephine C. Molin, 24.
SHADWICK—KENNEDY. Rexie Shadwick, 22; Helen Kennedy, 19.
STURGEON—HUNTER. Leo J. Sturgeon, 27; Leona J. Hunter, 23.
TALKINGTON—HADLEY. John L. Talkington, 26; Coral Hadley, 18.
WALTERS—RADLAM. Julius Walters, Jr., 22; Phyllis Radlam, 20.
WOLFE—JONES. Ernest A. Wolfe, 24; Ruth L. Jones, 22.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ARMSTRONG, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest K. Boy. 1126 Randall court, November 27.
BLOEDEL, Mr. and Mrs. August B., Daughter. 1416 Griffith avenue, November 25.

"TIMES" CIRCULATION FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1916.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Henry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of October, 1916:

OCTOBER, 1916.		Copies.
October 1	(Sunday)	101,490
October 2		60,916
October 3		60,760
October 4		60,916
October 5		60,760
October 6		60,440
October 7		60,760
October 8	(Sunday)	101,700
October 9		60,943
October 10		60,916
October 11		60,602
October 12		60,916
October 13		60,445
October 14		60,916
October 15		60,907
October 16	(Sunday)	101,700
October 17		60,488
October 18		60,916
October 19		60,916
October 20		60,760
October 21		60,916
October 22		60,916
October 23	(Sunday)	102,010
October 24		60,916
October 25		60,444
October 26		60,916
October 27		60,916
October 28		60,754
October 29		60,916
October 30	(Sunday)	101,700
October 31		60,021

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HARRY CHANDLER,
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BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

BROWN, Mr. and Mrs. James A., Boy. East Washington street, November 25.
BUNDES, Mr. and Mrs. Bert R., Boy. [illegible] Hospital, November 28.
CLARKE, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert, [illegible] East Forty-eighth street, November 27.
CLEMENT, Mr. and Mrs. Edward, [illegible] South Burlo avenue, November 26.
CROSBY, Mr. and Mrs. Harold F., [illegible] Florin Hospital, November 27.
FERN, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest [illegible] Jessup street, November 27.
GELB, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E., Boy. [illegible] Fifty-fifth street, November 28.
GILLINGWATER, Mr. and Mrs. Fred, [illegible] 182 North Alexander street, November 28.
HAGGLUND, Mr. and Mrs. John P., Boy. [illegible] 1931 West Forty-first place, November 27.
HUGHES, Mr. and Mrs. Walter C., Boy. [illegible] West Fifty-fifth street, November 28.
LOTZ, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] West Florence avenue, November 27.
BARKER, Mr. and Mrs. J. F., Boy. [illegible] Forty-third street, November 28.
MEINCKE, Mr. and Mrs. Christian, [illegible] Fourth Alvarado street, November 27.
REITER, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan, Boy. [illegible] street, November 27.
ROSS, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob J., Boy. [illegible] Agnes avenue, November 28.
RYAN, Mr. and Mrs. John F., Boy. [illegible] Fifty-first street, November 28.
THROOP, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G., Boy. [illegible] Pasadena avenue, November 28.
WEBSTER, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip, Boy. Clara Barton Hospital, November 28.
WILSON, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Boy. [illegible] Fourth street, November 26.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

BAUER, Mary against Edward J.
HOLLIDAY, Nelle E. against G. B.
JEELL, Mary F. against Turner Lloyd.
LOCKWOOD, Olive G. against Charles S.
TILTON, Merle against Clarence Lee.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST

Names and places of death—

ALLEN, Edward E., Los Angeles.
DUFF, Robert C., Los Angeles.
GRAVES, Edward, Los Angeles.
GREY, Hester A., Los Angeles.
MARTINEK, Maria, Los Angeles.
MIRKEY, Peter, Los Angeles.
MYERS, Anna, Los Angeles.
SEXON, Greenbury, Los Angeles.

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

ADAMSON, December 2, Grace Adamson, [illegible] years. Remains at parlors of Cunningham & [illegible] mer. Funeral notice later.
BAKER, In this city, November 29, [illegible] Baker, mother of Mrs. Lucy Frank Grover Baker, [illegible] and Mrs. Arlie Abbott, all of Pasadena. Funeral from Vosper & Hart's, 1930 East First street, Wednesday, 2 p.m.
BATHA, In this city, Anna Laura, beloved wife of Max F. Batha, [illegible] years. Funeral later by E. K. Overholser.
BOEHMER, At his late residence, No. [illegible] street, December 1, 1916, Anton Boehmer, [illegible] of August Boehmer, [illegible] and Mrs. W. A. Schmidt, who are in the East, and Mr. F. A. Boehmer, of this city. Funeral services from the residence of Frank A. Boehmer, [illegible] Lucas, Pa., Monday, December 4, at 10 a.m. Interment private.
BRONCO, At No. 311 South Hoover street, Bronco, aged 91 years, [illegible] R. Bronco. Funeral services from the late residence Monday, December 4, at 2 p.m. Interment Evergreen. E. K. Overholser in charge.
BRUNER—TROUTMAN. In this city, November 29, Jesse Louis Bruner or Trouteman, aged 21; Jessie V. Bruner, [illegible] Bruner, & Co., Monday, December 4, at 2 p.m., from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.
BURTON, Mrs. Isabella Burton, [illegible] Australia, aged 57 years, [illegible] 1731 South Grand avenue. Funeral from residence, No. [illegible] avenue, at 9:30 a.m., Monday, December 4, at 10 o'clock, at Church of [illegible]. Interment Rosedale Cemetery. (Montreal and Toronto papers copy.)
CAREY, Thomas, beloved husband of Mary, aged 52 years. Funeral from the parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co., 1127 South Grand avenue, Monday, at 9:30 a.m. Requiem mass at St. Patrick's Church at 10 o'clock. Interment Calvary.
COMER, At his late residence, [illegible] Elm Creek, aged 54 years, beloved husband of Theresa B. Comer, [illegible] native of England, [illegible] Funeral from the English Lutheran church, Boyle avenue and [illegible] Tuesday, December 5, at 2 p.m. Interment private. Funeral Directors Chapel, [illegible] Boyle avenue.
DE FORE, At her late residence, No. [illegible] Park, December 1, 1916, Mrs. Ivy Fore, aged 30 years, a native of Nebraska and a resident of this city for nearly thirty years. Funeral services will be held at the residence, No. [illegible] Park, December 4, at 2 p.m., Rev. Robert Sharp, [illegible] from the parlors of the Morris Alexander Company, Inc., 1127 South Main street.
GLICK, At her residence, No. [illegible] avenue, December 1, 1916, Lucy Glick, beloved wife of John H. Glick, and mother of Mrs. Edward Bennett and Mrs. Howard and Albert Bennett and Mrs. Ralph Bellman, Gr., a native of Wisconsin, aged 58 years, a resident of Harvard, Wash., and Los Angeles 30 years. Funeral services will be held at the residence, No. [illegible] Angeles Crematory at 2 p.m. Interment at 2 p.m. Robert Sharp & Sons, directors. (Portland, Or., and San Diego, Cal., papers please copy.)
GRONNEWALD, Margaret, December [illegible] years. Funeral 10 a.m. Monday from [illegible] of J. H. Redmond, No. 1618 Boulevard. Interment private.
HANSEN, In this city, December 2, [illegible] aged 74 years. Funeral from chapel of Pierce Bros., Tuesday, December 5, at 10 a.m. Interment private.
HUMBERT, At the residence of [illegible] and Mrs. G. Smith, No. 1415 [illegible] December 3, Mabie Humbert, [illegible] Funeral from the late residence, December 4, at 2 p.m. Pierce Bros., directors.
LANG, Carrie B., beloved wife of [illegible] loving daughter of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] mother of Mrs. Ethel Lang, [illegible] Services at W. H. Mead's, No. [illegible] Broadway, 2 p.m. Monday, December 4. Interment Evergreen.
NORMARK, December 1, 1916, [illegible] mother of Fannie Normark, [illegible] Remains at Morris Alexander Company, Inc., 1127 South Main street, [illegible] Mr. Roberts. (Kingman Miner, Kansas, copy.)
PAYNE, In this city, December 1, [illegible] V. Payne of Los Vegas, Nev., [illegible] of Mary M. Payne, [illegible] Funeral from the parlors of Masonic Fraternity, [illegible] Monday, December 4, at 2 p.m. Interment private.
PEW, At No. 2515 Wabash avenue, [illegible] Pew, aged [illegible] years, a native of Vermont. A Mason's funeral notice later.
PRIDMORE, In this city, November 29, [illegible] Pridmore, native of Ohio and aged 71 years. Remains at parlors of The Home, No. 1127 South Grand avenue.
SEPULVEDA, At No. 2720 Mozart, December 2, Ignacio Sepulveda, [illegible] a native of California. Funeral notice later.
STROUDE, December 1, Hattie M. Stroude, [illegible] of [illegible] Funeral Monday, December 4, from parlors of Cunningham & [illegible] Interment Evergreen Cemetery.
STEVENS, At No. 107 Mayago avenue, Mary A. Stevens, [illegible] Stevens. Remains at funeral chapel of Conner.
STRATMAN, December 2, Helen, [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Stratman, [illegible] years. Funeral Monday, December 4, from the residence, No. 1410 [illegible] Requiem mass at Assumption Church of Mary [illegible] Santa Monica boulevard, at 9 o'clock. Interment Hollywood Cemetery.
TITTLE, At Atlantic City, N. J., [illegible] 1916, Mary Martin Tittle, aged [illegible] loved mother of Ernest D. Tittle, [illegible] City, Mrs. Harry H. Turner, [illegible] Christopher of Los Angeles, and [illegible] of San Francisco. Funeral services from the residence of [illegible] Tittle, [illegible] Monday, December 4, at 2 p.m. Interment [illegible]
TURNER, At his late residence, No. 1830 East First street, Wednesday, December 1, 1916, Mr. John [illegible] aged 71 years, a native of Ireland and a resident of this city for [illegible] years. Funeral services will be held at the residence, No. [illegible] Monday, December 4, at 2 p.m. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.
VAN NUYS, At his late residence, [illegible] Van Nuys, December 2, 1916, Isaac [illegible] Van Nuys, aged 72 years, a native of Indiana and a resident of California for [illegible] years. Funeral notice later.
WEAVER, At his late residence, No. [illegible] Hill street, December 2, 1916, Mr. [illegible] Weaver, aged [illegible] years, a native of Pennsylvania and a resident of this city for [illegible] years. Funeral notice later.
WHITE, At his late residence, No. [illegible] Hill street, December 2, 1916, Mr. [illegible] White, aged [illegible] years, a native of Ohio and a resident of this city for [illegible] years. Funeral notice later.
WILLIAMS, At his late residence, No. [illegible] Hill street, December 2, 1916, Mr. [illegible] Williams, aged [illegible] years, a native of Wales and a resident of this city for [illegible] years. Funeral notice later.
WOOD, At his late residence, No. [illegible] Hill street, December 2, 1916, Mr. [illegible] Wood, aged [illegible] years, a native of Ohio and a resident of this city for [illegible] years. Funeral notice later.

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XXV[TH] YEAR. SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 3, 1916. POPULATION

Warning.

NOT RECEPTION'S PREPARED HERE FOR INCOMING HORDE OF I.W.W. AGITATORS.

Advance Guard that Seized Train Declares Big Army of Trouble-makers is On its Way to Los Angeles from the North and East, Bent on Terrorism—Officials Ready to Strike Hard.

HERE IS WHAT Los Angeles authorities have to say of the threatened invasion by I.W.W. agitators and their hobo following:

"I shall take every step necessary to prevent this horde entering the county and shall, by legal procedure, expel all those who ... my guards. I am going to keep them out if it means fight. They are not going to overrun this community; they will find Los ... a poor winter resort. The advance warning they have sent to officials will not frighten us, and we are prepared to enforce the ... and fully protect the citizenry."—Sheriff Cline.

"Panhandlers, yeggs and I.W.W.'s who have been run out of the northern cities, and are said to be coming here, had best take ... They will not be allowed to make Los Angeles a hang-out. They must stay away unless they want to work on the ... gang. The city police are working in harmony with the county officers and those of other municipalities, and we are in a ... to give these fellows a warm reception. And if they come on they'll get it."—Chief of Police Butler.

If it is to be war, Los Angeles ... Twenty-two I.W.W.'s now ... County Jail are, according to ... advices from authorities ... on the Coast, the advance ... of a gang of hundreds, headed ... and intent on a campaign of ... The fellows in jail con... this information. And the au... of both city and county de... that if the trouble-makers want ... they will get it, of a sort and ... they will not relish.

All authenticated advices indicate ... sabotage crowd has planned ... trouble at Seattle, San Fran... Los Angeles and in the Im... Valley. It has already started ... with loss of life and property, ... Sound. When deputy ... hauled twenty-two bums ... commandeered train at ... last Sunday, they effectively ... the opening attempt at ... in the south.

"I shall make every effort to keep the acknowledged trouble-makers out of the county, as they are only a detriment to the laborers. All those we have so far had to deal with are, to use a common phrase, 'no goods.'

"I will get all the deputies I require to keep the peace and put down rowdyism. I will go the limit in keeping out toughs and preserving the peace of the community. I have a number of excellent officers and I am informed that the Supervisors will give me as many men as I may require to round up these undesirable fellows who are endeavoring to secure a foothold in the Southland and injure the reputation of the workers."

WANTS MORE MEN.

Chief Butler has been preparing for the invasion of the hobos for several weeks, but is at present crippled in the matter of number of policemen. He said:

"If Council can be awakened to the fact that we are in danger we will probably get some extra policemen. I have asked for fifty men, but have received no encouragement. The Council say they have no money for the extra men.

"I want to re-establish the riverbed squad and patrol the 'jungle' haunts of the I.W.W.'s and other menacing tramps. The advancing horde of tramps will be handled, if necessity compels, by the present force of men, but we are really greatly handicapped. No one learns this more quickly than the criminals. They know perfectly well which districts are well-policed districts and which unprotected. If the Council refuses us the needed men the public will have to suffer."

THEIR "JUDGMENT."

Early in November, in response to an appeal in an I.W.W. publication for volunteers, 300 rowdies embarked on the steamer Verona at Seattle, for the avowed purpose of "teaching the citizens of Everett, Wash., a lesson" and "showing the lumber kings that they cannot trample I.W.W.'s in the dust." The appeal called on the 300 volunteers to arm, go to Everett and there use their judgment. That judgment was the killing of six men and the wounding of forty others.

Just such an appeal has been made to invade Los Angeles and "use your judgment." The reds, suffering from their defeat in the North, are coming south, without arms, so that when arrested they cannot be convicted of carrying concealed weapons. Ragged and unkempt, each supplied with the literature of their kind, they are coming to live on the workers of the south. What they hope to obtain, other than food, for which they will not work, is a matter of conjecture.

From the statements of the advance guard it would appear that the men, by force of numbers, intend to stir up the workers here and persuade them to provide food and clothing, shelter and entertainment, until the warmer days arrive, when they can return to the north and again become a menace to the citizens there.

The Sheriff has made application for additional deputies and the chief has asked for fifty extra policemen, to meet a possible emergency. The recent street murder by two young men, scores of hold-ups and other crimes of violence point to a rising wave of crime that must be stemmed at the start.

SHERIFF DETERMINED.

Feeling the gang is a menace and has an evil purpose in moving on this city, the Sheriff has declared he will not permit the I.W.W.'s to congregate here.

"I am informed," the Sheriff said last evening, "that a gang of 300 I.W.W.'s is en route here from Seattle and another mob is coming in from the South. They have no good intentions and are bold enough to boast they will make things hot in this section this winter.



George Ryan

Harry Reynolds

Fred Baxter

John Benson

"If it is to be war, Los Angeles is ready."

At the top is a composite photograph of the gang now awaiting trial on vagrancy charges in the Los Angeles County Jail and scattered around the edges are individuals of the same group. In the center is a drawing made from a description of the manner in which they seized a train, and below of the gun fight on the docks of Everett, Wash., between I.W.W.'s and officers.

The I.W.W. and What They Mean.

Joe Wajack

Jeff Applewhite

Special.

CALIFORNIA LEADS WAY TO DYE-STUFF FREEDOM

Product of Lowly Moss, Orchilla, Has German Monopoly at Grips.

A REVOLUTION in the dye industry that, it is expected, will forever free the United States from dependence on the dye factories of Germany and the rest of Europe, has actually begun in Southern California. What is thought to be the first factory ever erected in this country for the manufacture of vegetable dye, commenced operation last week at National City, and the first carloads of the finished product that will eventually furnish color for the rugs, clothes and other commercial fabrics of the country have already started to pass through this city en route to the East.

This industry, operated by the Lower California Chemical Company, promises to develop into one of the largest in the country, and is devoted to making dyestuffs from orchilla, a moss-like lichen found in great growths along the western coast of Lower California. As the supply of orchilla is practically unlimited, and the process used by the chemists of the new company efficient and cheap, the products of the new factory can, it is declared, undersell the aniline dyes of Europe even in times of peace. The results obtained by use of these dyestuffs, experts have agreed, is the equal if not superior to those achieved with the foreign products.

GERMAN ORIGINATOR.

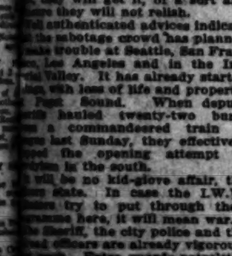
Perhaps the strangest part of this gigantic move to take a world product, the trade in which has heretofore been universally considered Germany's right, is that the originator of the process by which the dye is created from the orchilla is a young German chemist, educated and initiated in one of the great aniline dye factories of Berlin, who found himself stranded in this country at the outbreak of the war.

This young German, George V. Heyl, is now superintendent of the new laboratories at National City, and is directing the work of development of the industry with as much fervor as if he had been building a new trade for his fatherland.

The use of orchilla for making dyestuffs antedates the discovery of aniline dyes by many years. In fact,

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CITY MONEY IS KEPT IDLE AS OFFICIALS SPLIT HAIRS.

THE sum of $117,179.11 in favor of Los Angeles is awaiting collection at Sacramento while City Treasurer Powell and State Controller Chambers settle a little controversy as to how it shall be turned over to the city. Treasurer Powell suggested what seemed to be a simple way, viz., that Chambers mail it to him. The State Controller says the law and the rule of his office prevent him doing this. He says all the Treasurer has to do is to ask T. M. Eby, secretary of the State Board of Equalization, or some equally trustworthy person at Sacramento to call for the warrant, receipt for it and mail it. Treasurer Powell retorts that City Attorney Stephens has advised him he has no power to do that.

Meanwhile the money, which is the refund due the city by the State because of outstanding bonded indebtedness on November 8, 1910, when the new tax system went into effect, is lying idle in the State treasury. Controller Chambers thinks that, were it not for the amount involved, the difference of opinion might be called a tempest in a teapot.

This is not the first difference of opinion the State Controller has had with city officials. Recently he refused to accept a city warrant and demanded a certified bank check. City Auditor Myers pointed out that Los Angeles city warrants are as good as gold and are accepted everywhere, being cashed even in London, New York, Paris and other big cities. The Auditor sent the warrant back and finally the State Controller accepted it.

Legislative.

WOULD BROADEN POWERS OF COUNTY GOVERNMENT.

Local Officials Plan to Make Strong Effort for Removal of State-wide Uniformity Restriction, Now Linking Los Angeles with Alpine in Matter of Organization and Administration.

WITH the commencement of the biennial session of the Legislature close at hand, officials of Los Angeles county are preparing to submit to the State law-making body a number of recommendations to govern the handling of this county's business. The initial step was taken at a recent conference in the County Counsel's office, attended by the members of the present Board of Supervisors and one of the Supervisors-elect and members of the County Counsel's staff.

Among the several matters discussed, one of chief importance was a proposed change in the Constitution of the State whereby it would be possible for this county to obtain for its government laws, it is said, which would be better suited than those now in force, to the great complexity and diversity of its governmental needs.

Under the present Constitution it is required that all legislation affecting county government be uniform throughout the State. Legislation cannot be adopted for Los Angeles county, with its nearly 1,000,000 inhabitants, and its annual expenditure for county government of more than $10,000,000, which is not at the same time applicable to little Alpine county, with its small popula-

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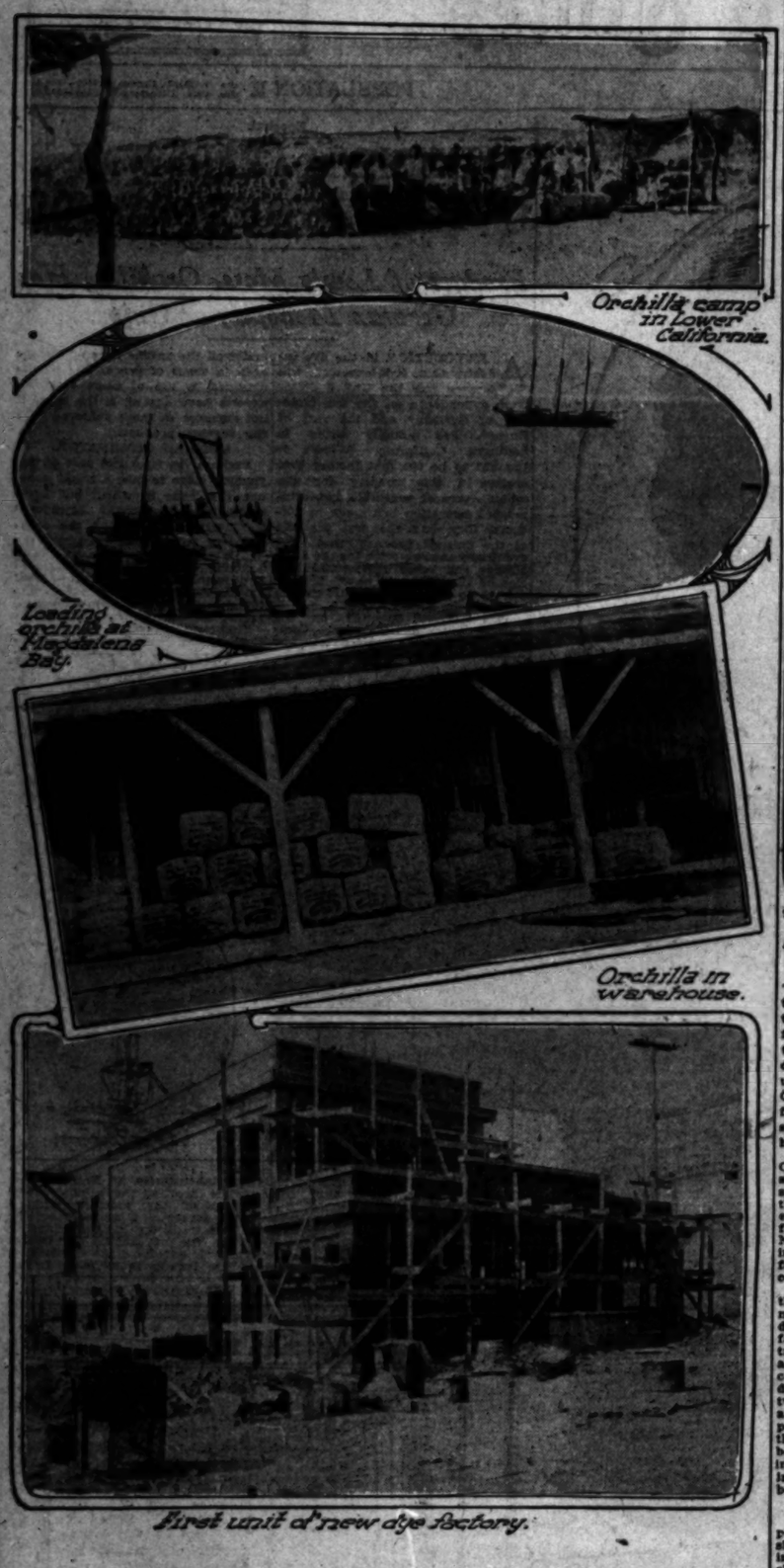
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These views show how the Lower California Chemical Company is utilizing a once-despised lichen of the great peninsula, in establishing a real American dye-making industry, that is expected to break forever German control of the market. The lichen, known as orchilla, grows plentifully not far south of the California line, is harvested in great quantities, shipped by schooner to the company's plant, the first unit of which has just been put into operation at National City, and is manufactured into pigments of thirty-two shades. Already the first carloads of the product, which can undersell and is said to be fully equal to the aniline dyes, are moving to markets in the East and long-term contracts have been secured from American textile manufacturers and other domestic users of coloring materials.

County Government

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tion and its proportionally small annual expense for county government. The powers of the Board of Supervisors and of other county officers must be the same in both counties; the governmental machinery for the construction and maintenance of highways, for the auditing and disposition of claims and other accounting, for the purchase of supplies, for the handling of public charities, is under the present law necessarily the same for both Los Angeles and Alpine counties.

PARALLEL DISPARITY.

It is said to be as if the city of Los Angeles, for instance, were required to operate under the same municipal corporation law as the city of Tropico, or any other of the small municipalities of this county. Probably county population in California at the time the constitutional provision requiring uniformity of county government was adopted, was sufficiently uniform to justify the requirement, but with the great disparity in population which has come now to exist between the larger and the smaller counties of the State, this requirement of uniformity is declared to be absurd.

There is a popular idea that the situation was completely relieved by the adoption of the Los Angeles county charter. This, however, is declared, a mistaken notion. The county charter is restricted in its operation, broadly speaking, to the subjects of manner of selection, term of office and compensation of county officers. It did not and could not under the Constitution reach the field of powers and duties of county officers. There is found a possible exception in the provision allowing boards of supervisors to create offices not known to the general law.

SCOPE DOUBTFUL.

It is doubtful, however, Authorities say how far this provision goes, and it is not available, in any case, to change existing general-law requirements as to the powers and duties of officers. Notwithstanding the charter, the county officers are still to a large extent working under and are bound by uniform State laws in the discharge of many important functions. Road construction and maintenance, administration of charities, auditing and accounting systems, are examples. While these county activities are at present conducted, it is said, in a satisfactory manner, it is in spite of laws long since outgrown. Improvements could readily be made in the direction of greater economy and facility of operation if the uniform law provision did not stand in the way, according to proponents of the amendment plan.

Two possible remedial measures are pointed out. One is to amend the constitutional provision under which county charters are framed or amended, so as to enable this county in its charter, in appropriate cases, to prescribe powers and duties for officers different from those laid down in general laws adopted by the Legislature. The other is to remove, in part at least, the present constitutional prohibition on the Legislature, so as to enable it to classify counties by population and legislate separately for each class in matters pertaining to powers and duties of officers, as it has the right to do, and has done, in the case of municipalities.

UNIFORMITY NEEDS.

There are some matters, possibly, it is argued, as to which the requirement of uniformity might with advantage be continued, for example, elections, taxation, schools, administration and other like activities in which the county acts largely as a unit in a State system. Even here, however, it is believed the Legislature might be trusted to determine for itself those cases wherein uniformity is necessary or desirable.

It is only by one of these two methods, local officials say, that Los Angeles county can secure the desired legislative changes in its government. Efforts to have uniform county laws amended to the advantage of Los Angeles county have failed frequently in the past, and unless a change in the power of the Legislature is made along the lines indicated, will fail in the future, it is said, because of the opposition from smaller counties which do not find the changes proposed suitable to their conditions.

Los Angeles county has its own cement plant, rock quarry, oil pits and tools necessary for road making and a mechanical department equipped for constructive buildings. If such a constitutional amendment were passed, it would be possible for the Legislature to so classify counties that road building or other public work might be done in Los Angeles county by force account or day labor, without like power necessarily being granted to other counties.

Safety First.

HOLDS UP ACTION.

Councilman Wright Refuses to Suspend Rules for Immediate Action On Ordinance Designed to Reduce Speed Limit on Broadway from Temple North.

Councilman Wright yesterday refused to agree to the suspension of the rules to allow the immediate passage of an ordinance which would include North Broadway, from Temple street to the bridge over the Los Angeles River, within the area controlled by a speed limit of twelve miles an hour.

Councilman Conwell said the ordinance is urgently needed because a large number of accidents have occurred along that stretch of Broadway due to speeding by automobiles. He said even with the twelve mile limit, automobiles would run about twenty miles but even this would be safer than the dangerous thirty-mile pace which many travel now.

Councilman Roberts said he favored extending the twelve-mile limit to College street, but Councilman Wright opposed this. President Betkouski said the ordinance is necessary and will be passed next Saturday, he expects.

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Dye-Stuff Industry.

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the use of aniline dyes as a substitute for the vegetable dye made from orchilla was the real cause for the latter's sinking into obscurity during the past twenty years. But until the Lower California Chemical Company started operating in California the manufacture of the dyestuffs in this country was almost unheard of.

As early as 1880 the Flores-Hale Company of Lower California was shipping orchilla from the peninsula by the thousands of tons. But the moss was taken from the property and shipped in raw form to foreign countries for manufacture. No concerted action was taken to investigate the possibilities of manufacturing the vegetable dye in this country.

With the discovery of aniline dyes, the sale of orchilla fell off to almost nothing. By the time the raw product was shipped to Europe, manufactured and reshipped to this country, the selling price had become almost prohibitive in the face of the competition offered by the aniline dyestuffs. Experts testified the two methods of creating dyes were about equally good from the standpoint of the consumer, and although the vegetable dye was perhaps the best, in view of the purity of its ingredients, still the difference in price gave the aniline dye the best of it.

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS.

As a result, the Flores-Hale Company gradually ceased its great shipments and when, in 1907, the immense property of the company changed hands, the exportation of orchilla had stopped. Since 1907 practically nothing has been done with the moss, the new owners preferring to develop the property for colonization. Then came the great war and the shortage of dyestuffs in the United States.

When the new owners of the property were urged to reopen the orchilla industry to alleviate this stringency, they were inclined to believe it useless, as no precedent in the manufacturing of the moss in this country had been established, and it was thought the industry could last only as long as the war continued. However, the matter was referred to the Hill Chemical Company of this city.

It happened the young German chemist, Mr. Heyl, was temporarily employed by that concern, living as best he could until the war ceased and he could return home. He advanced an offer to manufacture the dye by a process he had evolved while in the aniline factories of Berlin.

Taking the orchilla he developed from it an archil liquor, with which he created his dyestuffs. These base colors, red, violet and blue, were created, and from these he developed thirty-two shades. These colors were made at a cost less than that of aniline dyestuffs in time of peace.

PLANS REALIZED.

As soon as these experiments were completed a Los Angeles architect, Thomas Fellows, was retained to draw plans for a huge factory at National City. The first unit of the factory was nearly enough completed so that it could be put into operation last week. Other units will be erected as the business develops. It is estimated that the present unit will turn out over 20,000 pounds of the finished product each week.

The factory is situated in an admirable location on San Diego Bay. Two railroads, the Santa Fe and the San Diego and Arizona (the new road recently turned over to the Southern Pacific by John D. Spreckels) pass less than 300 yards away. Switches from both lines run to the factory.

John E. Blackman, general manager of the company and owner of the controlling interest in the company that holds title to the property where the orchilla grows, has already started operating the first of what is intended to be a fleet of schooners, running between Magdalena Bay and National City, to carry the moss. The Mexicans of the peninsula have been put to work, and the accompanying prosperity had dispersed all thought of revolution in that section.

And so well has this movement been received by the great woolen mills and fabric manufacturers of the East that the entire output of as many units of the factory as can be erected, has been contracted for during the next ten years. As there is about 150,000 tons of the orchilla now laying on the peninsula ready to be picked and shipped, and as this plant renews itself every three years, the new industry is said to be limited only by ability to add units to its factuory.

Inquiry.

PERJURY ALLEGED.

Grand Jury Investigates Charge of False Swearing in an Important Civil Action — Vote Fraud Matter Still Far from Being Cleared Up.

In addition to continuing an investigation into alleged election frauds in various parts of the county, the grand jury is making inquiry into allegations of perjury on the part of a witness in an important civil action recently tried here.

It was indicated yesterday that the vote-fraud matter will require several days, and possibly even weeks, for thorough investigation. A number of Pomona election officials were again closeted with the jury and several tomes of registration statistics were carted to the jury room by Registrar of Voters McAleer and his assistants.

SIZE OF THE CITY.

"The Size of the City" will be the subject of an address this evening in Park Congregational Church, Bellevue avenue and Douglas street, by George Dunlop, member of the Municipal Annexation Commission. This is one of a series of addresses being given in Park Church on the general subject of "Know Your City."

Xmas Suggestions



Xmas Gifts for the Whole Family
Buy now while lines are complete.



Baby Walkers $1.75 up
Large assortment Nursery and Children's Goods



Upholstered Rockers $8.75 up
Complete Lines of Upholstered Furniture.



Electrical Week Dec. 2nd-9th
Full Line Electrical Appliances
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Stewart Phonograph $7

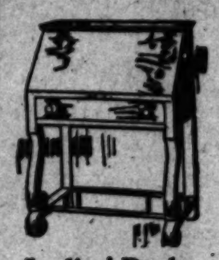


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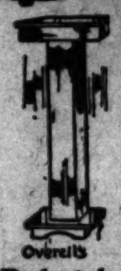
Parlor Suites $22.50 up
Large Showing of Latest Designs in Parlor Goods



$8.50 26-Pc. Silver Set
$4.75
Complete with chest with drawer, well lined; has a neat engraved pattern, one of the latest eastern designs.

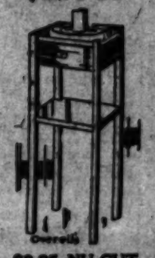


Ladies' Desks $7.50 up



Pedestals $2.50 up

$3.50 Plaid BLANKETS. SPECIAL PRICE $2.69
Full-sized, close woven, Scotch plaid Blankets in assorted colors; also plain white, grays and tans. The warmest blanket for the money.



$2.25 NU-CUT SALAD BOWL 95c



OVERSTOCKED
We are making a sensational effort to reduce our Tremendous Rug and Carpet Stock before Christmas, and in keeping pace with our well-known reputation for low prices, we quote a few bargains from the multitude of money-saving values that will be offered during December.

$3.00 ORMOND CHINTZ RAG RUGS; SPECIAL PRICE $1.75
Entirely new line of beautiful and artistic Chintz patterned Rag rugs in plain or mottled colors. 27x54-inch size.

$3.25 MAGARA AXMINSTER RUGS; SPECIAL PRICE $2.90
Unusual opportunity to secure superb Magara silky pile Axminster rugs at a remarkably low price. Great variety of Oriental and Floral designs. 27x54-in. size.

$20.00 KARMAN SEAMLESS TAPESTRY RUGS; SPECIAL PRICE .. $14.25
Exceptional low price on one of the best grade of Seamless Tapestry Rugs in attractive Oriental and Conventional patterns. 8¼x10½-foot size. Make your selection early.

$25.00 CORONATION VELVET RUG; SPECIAL PRICE .. $18.35
Special this week, Coronation Velvet Rugs with small all-over designs in the best two-toned Green and Brown colors with the Stairborder effect. 9x12-ft. size.



$19.50 Peninsular Gas Range! $14.75
Made of Rust-Resisting Armco Iron
A reliable and efficient range, sanitary and economical, with guaranteed baker. Same as cut except with black finished doors.

For Linoleum Use
Barrett's Celebrated Neponset—
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Tile and Conventional Designs in the Long-wearing Neponset floor-covering, that is Sanitary and waterproof and most of all, is inexpensive. Cover your kitchen and Bathroom floors now.

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Nothing But "GETS-IT" Will Re... Corns and Callouses.
If you're over head corns, you've lots of things to get rid of—... that eat your toe and leave the ... maining, rotten things that make corns linger out like poverty, ...



You Can't Hide Corn Misery. Step... Around. Use "GETS-IT" ... See the Corn Vanish.
Knive that makes corns bleed and harnesses and bandages that ... shoe, press on the corn and make foot feel like a paving block. ... use? Why not do what millions now ... take 2 seconds off and apply ... It dries, you put your stocking ... away, and wear your regular shoes. ... corn loosens from the toe. It lifts right ... it's painless. It's the commonest sense ... the simplest, easiest, most effective ... in the world. It's the national corn ... Never fails.
"GETS-IT" is sold and recommended by druggists everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent on receipt of price, by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.
Sold in Los Angeles at all stores of the Owl Drug Co.

Avoid the Congestion
... The Times telephone switchboard is ... ing your Sunday ads. Phone or ...



Told by the Christmas Bell
White Wool Blankets $6 Pr.
Thick, soft, warm blankets that will be a credit to anybody's bed. Pink, blue or yellow borders. Of fine selected stock. 2nd floor.
Neckwear
A special value in boas of fine, curled ostrich feathers in black, white and combined white and black with tassel ends—$3.95.
Corsage Bouquets
Beautiful formal bouquets made up in large variety of flowers. Some lace trimmed, others with cords—$1 to $5. (Millinery.)
Jewel Garters
Fitted with 1, 2 and 3 pockets—50c and 75c. More elaborate ones at $2.50. (Notions.)

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The section where ... for folks who have the s... the out-of-the-ordinary ... curious gifts that will ...
And the prices are ...
Vases—dozens of sizes and ... —25c to $1.50.
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Individual Plates—30c to $1.
Powder Jars—35c to $1.35.



Corns Loosen, Lift Right Off

Nothing But "GETS-IT" Will Do This to Corns and Calluses.

If you've ever had corns, you've tried lots of things to get rid of them—tried that cut your toe and leave the corn untouched, cotton rings that make pressure bulge out like puppy-eyes, salves that



You Can't Slide Corn Right. Step Further Around. Use "GETS-IT." Twinkle and See the Corn Vanish.

Knives that make corns bleed and sore, harsapers and bandages that fill up your shoes, press on the corn and make your feet feel like a paving block. What's the use? Why not do what millions are doing—take 2 seconds off and apply "GETS-IT." In 2 drops, see your stocking as it goes away, and wear your regular shoes. Your corn loosens from the toe, it lifts right off. It's painless. It's the common-sense way, the simplest, easiest, most effective way in the world. It's the national corn method. Never fails.

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The Merry Christmas Store

Shop by Mail—It's Convenient

Convenient because we make special effort to serve our mail customers carefully and it is time-saving for you who live out of town. Free Parcels Post deliveries to all points in California, Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico, Utah. On purchases of $5 or over express charges prepaid to within 100 miles of Los Angeles.

Shop Early—Business Hours
9 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.

Gift Bazaar—1st Floor

VILLE DE PARIS

317-325 SO. BROADWAY — 312-322 SO. HILL STREET

Oriental Booth—1st Floor

The Merry Christmas Store

Glove and Merchandise Orders

Busy folks who have little time to shop around for Christmas gifts will find it of distinct advantage to give glove or merchandise orders for any amount they wish to spend. And such an order from the Ville carries with it the knowledge that it will purchase nothing but quality merchandise.
—Accommodation Desk—First Floor—

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9 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.

Christmas Draws Nearer---Shopping Becomes More Brisk---Ville de Paris Makes Gift Selection Easier by Giving Splendid Service and Showing Full Stocks

Charming New Christmas Blouses Attractively Priced



Beautiful Georgette crepe blouses in flesh and white. While some are exquisitely hand embroidered, others are plain and still more of them combined with Venise lace. All with popular deep collars. The newness of the styles and quality of the materials make them exceptionally good values at $6.95.

Suit blouses of dark color chiffon and Georgette crepe waists in all new shades and styles at $7.50 and upwards.

Charming lace blouses for dress wear specially boxed for holiday gifts—$5 to $15.

Special Purchase of Fine Crepe de Chine, Net and Georgette Waists $4.95

Perhaps as good a waist value as was ever offered here at such a popular price. Made by one of the best waist manufacturers in New York City, they are wonderfully good styles and of superb materials. Really made to sell for a higher price.

Mostly flesh and white, but there are a few high colored chiffons among them. Some trimmed with pretty Val. lace.

—Waist Department—First Floor—

New Wool Sweaters at $5

Handsome assortment of ribbed and brushed wool sweaters in all light and dark shades. Trimmed in white. Some with white belt and cuffs.

All have deep sailor collar which may be worn either high or low.

—First Floor—

Albatross Gowns for Christmas

Made of fine pure wool, they are just as warm as can be. Pink and white albatross gowns with kimono sleeves; with Cluny edge—$5; with satin ribbon binding and lacing—$6.50.

ALBATROSS NEGLIGEES—kimono sleeve style, fitted at waist, large sailor collar and cuffs of white nainsook; lace edge—$3.50.

One style embroidered in silk is collarless; satin ribbon binding; light and dark blue, pink, rose, lavender—$5.

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Jewel Garters

Fitted with 1, 2 and 3 pockets—50c and 75c. More elaborate ones at $2.50. (Notions.)

Splended Gifts Are Undergarments of Soft Crepe de Chine or Satin

Pink satin knickerbockers, hemstitched ruffle, Dresden embroidery, $5.

Pink or white crepe de chine knickers—hemstitched ruffle, ribbow bow, rose-bud trimming—$3.50.

Plain style crepe de chine knickers in pink, cream or white—$2.95.

Camisoles to match knickerbockers—$1.50 to $4.

Pink crepe de chine gowns; Empire styles; pink satin ribbon beading—$5.00.

Fancy pink gowns; wide lace top at front and back and lace sleeve; trimmed with satin ribbon and rosebuds—$5.00.

—First Floor—

Special Purchase of $2000 Worth of Samples Beautiful Madeira Linens

Fine materials and exquisite embroidery

Selling Monday Greatly Below Real Value

One of the most wonderful lots of merchandise we have ever had to offer in our Linen Department arrived late Friday afternoon was unpacked and marked with dispatch for Monday's selling. You who have made Christmas lists in advance may take advantage of absolutely marvelous prices for such goods.

Center pieces, buffet and dresser scarfs and table covers. Of the finest round thread white art linen. Beautifully hand-scalloped and eyelet embroidered. We shall sell them out in one day's sale if the people of Los Angeles but realize what an extraordinary Christmas gift opportunity is placed before them.

Center pieces underpriced at $3.75
Madeira Scarfs underpriced at $3.95, $4.35, $4.95.
Dressing table covers at $3.95

93 Dozen Sample Madeira Tea Napkins 65c Ea.

These included with the lot above. Scores and scores of beautiful patterns. Almost all different because these napkins were taken directly from travelers' sample books. There are a few patterns that you may find a dozen of if you look the lot through, but it's becoming more and more customary to buy embroidered napkins of this kind in assorted designs. Sale held in Linen Department—First Floor.

Gift Comforters

Soft lamb's wool filled comforters, have prettily figured satin covers with plain color borders to match. Priced $12.50.

Silk mull covered comforters in dainty designs and good colors are filled with mixed wool and cotton carded together. Very soft and warm, $5.75.

Splendid Gift Bedspreads

Full double bed size satin Marseilles spreads with hemmed ends; pure white. Beautiful new designs in these close-weave bed covers—$3.95.

Satin Marseilles bed spreads with scalloped edges and cut corners; fine weave; good designs; heavyweight; full double bed size—$5.25.

—Bedding Dept.—2nd floor—

All Discontinued Models in Art Needlework Regardless of Worth

Now Marked at Cost



The prices that now mark these goods are cogent reasons for your first interest, and the beauty of the pieces themselves should complete the buying impulse.

Pillow slips, scarfs, center pieces, dresser scarfs, women's undergarments, infants' wear, sewing bags and charming novelties—each piece worked by hand on finest quality materials.

With such a buying opportunity so very near to Christmas you should not delay purchasing.

Some slightly soiled. Packed in handsome gift boxes if desired.

—Art Needlework Dept.—2nd Floor—

Smart New Coats for Children 2 to 6 yr. Sizes $6.50



Velvets, broadcloths, zibelines, mixtures, corduroys and chinchillas. Fine materials that will keep their little wearers warm as toast.

Flare skirt styles, belted and semi-belted; high and V-necks; some trimmed with velvet, others with plush, while a few have large Astrachan cloth collars and cuffs. All wanted shades.

Substantially reduced in price.
—Infant's Wear Dept.—1st Floor—

Coats---Suits---Dresses

The Season's Fairest Beauties of Dress

Materially Reduced

$25--$35--$45

Every suit in our entire Fall and Winter stock at one of these three prices.

Many beautiful model dresses and scores of fine street coats—all have been re-priced. We advise early selection before the best are gone.

Told by the Christmas Bell

Plaid Wool Auto Robes at $5.50

Large size heavyweight robes in a good assortment of colorings; made with fringed ends.

(Blanket Dept.—2nd Floor)

Handkerchiefs

Pure linen handkerchiefs are embroidered in the new bluebird design. Very soft quality fabric. Packed 3 in a box—$1.

Boxed Waist Patterns

A gift that most every woman will appreciate. Very best quality materials including Viyella flannels, challis, silk mixtures, madras, voiles and new Japanese crepes. Prices for boxes of sufficient material for a waist range $1 and upwards.

(Wash Goods)

Basement Salesroom Enters Whole-Heartedly Into This Merry Christmas Selling With a Remarkable Variety of Appropriate Gift Articles at the Lesser Prices

Wonderful Wares from China & Japan

The section where are displayed these wonders from the Orient will be a treasure-trove for folks who have the spark of originality in them. It is a place where people who want the out-of-the-ordinary gift will find not one, or a dozen, but literally a hundred and more curious gifts that will answer their demand for unusual things.

And the prices are exceptionally moderate as the following brief list attests:

Vases—dozens of sizes and shapes—25c to $1.50.
Rose Jars with pedestal—$1.75 to $3.25.
Individual Plates—50c to $1.75.
Powder Jars—35c to $1.35.
Ramekin Sets—2 and 3 pieces—50c to $1.
Salad Dishes—50c to $1.
Rice Cups—15c to 50c.
Cracker Jars—75c to $2.
Water Lily Bowls in all sizes and colors—40c to $1.75.
Dolls' Tea Sets—25c, 35c, 50c.
Japanese Baby Dolls—five different styles of head-dress at 75c.
Japanese Baby Dolls—3 styles of head-dress at 25c.
And hundreds of other smaller and larger pieces.



Men's Silk Ties Special—25c

—Underprice purchase of good silk ties marked low at 25c. Dozens and dozens of pretty attractive patterns in good colors.
Best ties we've ever had in the Basement at this price.

Cretonne and Sweet Grass Novelties

Cretonne boxes—2 drawers, 49c.
Assorted cretonne pin-cushions, 65c.
Collar boxes, 35c.
Tie-racks, 35c.
—The delicate odor of sweet grass scents whatever these baskets contain.
Pin cushions, 25c, 50c.
Work boxes, 65c.
Fancy boxes, 25c.

Beautiful Silks in Comprehensive Variety

—Exceptional values in many qualities and weaves for fancy work as well as garment making.

36-in. guaranteed lining satin—all shades, 98c yd.
36-in. Chiffon Faille—23 shades, 79c yd.
36-in. Crepe de Chine—over 30 shades, $1.09 yd.
36-in. Fancy Silks—assorted stripes, $1.39 yd.
36-in. Persian Faille—for Kimonos, waists, etc., $1.29 yd.
26-in. Satin Messaline—all good shades, 98c yd.

Pretty Silk Dresses—Priced Special $9.75

Taffeta messalines and combinations of velvet and satin. Black, navy, brown, wine. Full shirred skirt; some belted.

Wool dresses at same price—$9.75. Black, navy, brown serge. Several attractive styles to choose from. Both wonderful values.

47 Fine Wool Suits Sent From 1st Floor $15

Reduced from a price much in advance of $15 and transferred to the Basement Salesroom for quick disposal. Navy, brown and black. Velvet collar and cuffs or fur trimmed; semi-tailored and fancy styles. Every model a new one for Fall and Winter wear.

Bedding, Table Linens, Towels

Always Welcomed by Present and Prospective Housewives. Savings Afforded Here, too.

White Wool Blankets $5.95
Large size; silk bound in pink, blue and gold; heavy weight.

Wool Blankets $4.95
Double bed size; assorted gray; silk bound; assorted colored borders; heavyweight.

Damask Sets $2.39
68x72 inches; hemstitched; mercerized finish; assorted pretty patterns; ½ dozen napkins to match.

Pattern Cloths $1.95
2½ yd. long; rich mercerized damask; assorted floral designs; hemstitched or plain ends.

Bath Mats 95c
Large sizes; pretty patterns; pink, blue, lavender, green, gold; mill purchase; slightly imperfect.

Seamless Sheets 85c
81x99 inches; bleached; soft finish. Special value.

Bleached Cases 19c
45x36 inches; made of sterling sheeting casing to match above sheet.

Wool Batts $2.95
72x84 inches; lamb's wool; well carded; full 3 lbs. When finished with silk coverings will make beautiful Christmas gifts.

Fancy Comforts $2.95
Large size; pretty silkoline coverings; plain sateen borders; filled with 3 lbs. fluffy clean white cotton.

Fancy Bath Towels 49c
Large sizes; fancy stripes, checks and figured designs; ends finished for monograming; mill purchase; some slightly imperfect.

Embroidered Cases 29c
45x36 inches; scalloped edges; initials embroidered in old English letters. Also unfinished cases for hand work.

Satin Spreads $4.75
Large size; rich satin finish; Marseilles patterns; hemmed or scalloped ends.

Satin Spreads $3.65
Large size; beautiful assorted patterns; soft finish; hemmed ends.

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COMPANIONS.

We know a man who always carries in his pocket a book written by Emerson, Marcus Aurelius, Carlyle or some other giant intellect who in times past scattered broadcast the blossoms of his thought that future generations might inhale their fragrance. In this age of hurry and feverish achievement, when men seem to have little time for sober reflection, it is good to be able to summon, at will, such blessed companions to one's presence.

SELF STINGERS.

Up to this time we thought the scorpion was the only insect which ever stung itself to death. To the scorpion we now add the food speculator. In attempting to boost food prices these men have stirred up a storm that threatens to blow them higher than Mr. Gilderoy's kite. They are charging these awful prices, in many instances, because there is a lot of money in the country and they think they can get it.

IMPOSSIBLE.

Occasionally there may be found in this fair America an immigrant who refuses to become a citizen of the United States, claiming that he is sadly disappointed with the country and its government. He smiles cynically at our customs, sneers at our charity, asserts that our churches, courts and public schools are dominated by "predatory capitalists" and, in other ways, gives us to understand that he considers America no whit better than the land which is so happily rid of him. Such a man always looks for mud and never fails to find it. The man who cannot love the land of his birth can never learn to love another country.

CHINESE LABOR IN EUROPE.

The Old World is falling back on "Chinese cheap labor," which a generation or so ago was a disturbing element in California and the rest of the United States. France and Russia are importing Orientals to work in the munitions factories and arsenals. About 20,000 of these easterners are already at work in France, 20,000 more are under contract and Russia is to have 20,000. However, this labor will not be as "cheap" as that of which complaint used to be made in this country. Most of the eastern workers are said to be selected because of skill, and many are paid $5 per day. They replace Frenchmen and Russians who are needed on the firing line.

FORTIFYING CATALINA.

The proposed fortification of Catalina Island, making of it an American Helgoland, is a brilliant idea.

The theory of defending Southern California is this:

The forts at San Pedro will compel the enemy to land at one of the open beaches like Santa Monica. The proposed railroad batteries at Santa Monica and other beaches will compel the enemy to stand off shore with his warships and send his landing parties in small boats.

Catalina, fortified, will make uncomfortable the position of the enemy warship standing offshore acting as a base for the small boats carrying the landing party.

WHOSE FEET WERE COLD?

Did J. Pierpont Morgan really yield to the opinions of the Federal Reserve Board or did the Federal Reserve Board help J. Pierpont let go of the bear's tail? There is much upon which to base the latter theory. The defeat of Rumania indicates that Germany has slipped out of the trap the allies had set for the Kaiser. If the war is to go on they must, in a measure, begin all over again.

There is some limit to the money in this world, and it looks as though the limit was dangerously close. It is all very well for the allies to say they will "find some way to do it." As it happens to be our money, we in America would like to see the way first.

WHOM THEY LOVE.

An indignant lady writes to The Times disputing the conclusions of an editorial writer who pooh-poohed the chicken in short skirts. She says that man will turn away from any sensible woman to pursue a chicken with her "boots running up to her waist line."

We stoutly deny this. Chickens have no attraction for men. Girls only wear high boots out of friendliness for the leather trust. The kind of women that men like are those with beautiful souls and high power intellects. They love the highbrow girls with a mind on geometery and angles—and other shapes.

If they sometimes appear to warm toward the chick with short skirts, this shows how the Christian loveth the naked and the lonely.

CAUTION.

While on his way to visit a friend a well-dressed man in an eastern city was robbed of money and a valuable jewel because he was imprudent enough to pass through a rendezvous of rogues at a rather late hour. Although it is well to guard against the danger to one's peace of mind in becoming oversuspicious, caution is always necessary for safety in a world inhabited partly by vicious and irresponsible persons. Everything in nature, including plant life and animals of the lower orders, protects itself against the elements that would destroy it, and man belongs as much to the natural order of things as does a bird or a flower. If you possess a precious gem keep it only where friends and lovers may see it. Do not wear it in your hair nor on your shoe-cap.

THE SEASON'S BOOKS.

The Annual Book Number of The Times is a part of this issue, and contains in addition to the usual reviews of the season's fiction, verse and dramas, a number of articles on distinctive and unusual books of biography, economics, history and theology. The number appears as "Part III-B" of The Times today.

Among the most remarkable of these books reviewed is Mark Twain's posthumous work, "The Mysterious Stranger," which embodies a philosophy so pessimistic and at the same time so brilliantly expressed, that it will undoubtedly amaze all who have known and loved his work.

Few people know that O. Henry was an ex-convict. All who did know it, and it was known by various people engaged in literary work, have, out of respect for the great story writer, preserved a conspiracy of silence. But C. Alphonso Smith, in the first biography of O. Henry to be published, tells the whole story and shows that O. Henry was unquestionably innocent of the charge upon which he was convicted.

Dr. James A. B. Scherer, president of the Throop College of Technology, Pasadena, has embodied in "Cotton as a World Power" his lectures delivered at Oxford and Cambridge which trace from the earliest times to the present the well-nigh unbelievable influence of the "vegetable wool," as it was called by the ancients, upon civilization.

The first of Rabindranath Tagore's short stories have been translated under his supervision into English, and very surprisingly show that he is a complete master of the narrative technique valued by English writers.

For the first time Treitschke's militaristic teachings have been translated into English, and show how the great German historian exhorted his countrymen to put their faith in the sword and to abhor the "blessings" of peace.

Other books which have received special attention deal with Bernard Shaw, "the man and the mask;" the Bible, as interpreted by a Syrian who came to this country as and immigrant and now fills one of the distinguished pulpits; the most gorgeous period of French history as described by a rigorously veracious historian; the reminiscences of a veteran statesman who served under three American administrations.

SOME ELIMINATED PATRIOTS.

The Times observes that three members of the pay-roll brigade have tendered their resignations as members of the Legislature. They evidently trust that by so doing they may evade the new section, added to the Constitution in the last election, providing that no member of the Legislature may hold any appointive office under the State for the term for which he has been elected. Several others have organized to fight the new amendment in the courts. They will contend that it is not in the province of the people to pass such class legislation, that a man cannot be penalized legally because the people have seen fit to elect him to State office.

There is no question as to the intent of the amendment or the intent of the voters who adopted it by a majority of a little more than two to one. But the holders of State sinecures are concerned a great deal more about their salaries than about the will of the people. It is all very well to assert that the people rule while the campaign is on; but when it comes to having the people rise up and pass legislation that separates good friends of the administration from $5000-a-year jobs, then it becomes a question of safety first.

Twenty-eight members of the old Legislature are directly affected; but there are twenty others who received occasional fees from State boards and commissions. The real number who were drawing pay from the State in addition to their salaries as members of the Legislature is forty-five. Most of these declined to run for reelection, and most of those who did run were beaten, so that the actual number of new members holding State positions is but eight. Two of these, Houser and Lyon, are in Los Angeles. The country voters seem to have watched these pay-roll parasites closer than those of the city; not a member of the Legislature from a country district, holding another State job, was reelected. Only in San Francisco, Los Angeles and Alameda counties were they able to win.

All these patriots are eliminated today from the State pay roll. It is generally understood that they are all to be reappointed by Gov. Johnson after the first of the year. This refers to the ones whose terms as legislators expire on January 1. The others seem to be left out in the cold.

Gossip from the State capital has arranged a number of new jobs for the early part of the new year. Al McCabe, private secretary to the Governor, the dispatches say, is to receive a place on the Railroad Commission. Gov. Johnson has been forced reluctantly to the conclusion that McCabe is too much of a rough neck to be permitted to appear in Washington society. McCabe is a South-of-Market product and was a Democratic boss before he changed his political garments to get in with the Johnson administration. Paul Herriott of the Board of Control is said to be slated for the place as secretary to Senator Johnson in Washington. Mr. Herriott was press agent for the Governor during the last two campaigns; he is a natural-born lackey and suits the Governor well.

Gov. Johnson is reported by the correspondents to be preparing to take a place in the law firm of Sullivan & Roche of San Francisco, the firm to be Sullivan, Johnson & Roche. This firm has enjoyed a political practice worth probably $25,000 a year during the last five years. E. A. Dickson, a Los Angeles newspaper man, is reported to be the choice of Lieut.-Gov. Stephens for private secretary. Dickson now holds a place as member of the Tax Commission with a salary of $5000 a year. He is also a regent of the University of California—appointed of course by Gov. Johnson. What a triumph for pure, holy, disinterested and pious journalism!

NOT NECESSARY HERE.

The Los Angeles twenty-nine-cent-a-day diet squad was demoralized by Thanksgiving lures. Southern California is a poor country in which to attempt to inaugurate a diet system. There's always plenty to eat here, and the bright sun and sweet air never allow the appetite to flag.

Gunning Again.



ABSURD ANTI-WOMAN MOVEMENT.

Since July, 1914, the number of women employed in banking and financial firms in Europe has risen from 9500 to 30,000. Of these women 26,000 are directly replacing men.

There are now employed in Europe in the metal trades 332,000 women, in the chemical trades 77,000, and in government arsenals, shell factories, etc., 69,000. Between 200,000 and 400,000 women are probably on munition work, excluding the large number who are making other goods for the use of the forces, such as food and clothing in the food trades there have been many cases of substitution. In grain milling the number of women has risen since July, 1914, from 2000 to 6000, in sugar refining from 1000 to 2000, and in brewing from 8000 to 18,000. The increase in these trades is almost entirely due to the direct replacement of men by women.

Women are doing men's work to an appreciable degree in tanning and leather working, sawmilling and wood-working, glass, china, earthenware and rubber.

Women have directly replaced men even in building, mining and quarrying. Pierce C. Williams, American commercial attache in London, reports that in the British Islands 866,000 more women were employed in July, 1916, than in July, 1914, and 766,000 of this number have directly replaced men workers. This report is corroborated by the October issue of the Board of Trade Labor Gazette, a British government publication. The Gazette further states that before the war the railway companies only employed about 11,000 women, clerks, cleaners, attendants, etc., now 33,000 are employed. "Women," reports Mr. Williams, "have been adapting themselves remarkably to positions formerly held by men. The men are going to encounter much competition for these positions when they return. This will be one of the most important problems to be solved after the war."

The Illinois State Federation of Labor at its recent session adopted a resolution which it forwarded to Sam Gompers's Federation of Labor, setting forth that conditions in all the warring countries have filled trades, hitherto supplied by men workers only, "with tremendous numbers of underpaid women, unorganized and voteless." Fear is expressed that these exploited women will be used to lower the wages of men as well, permanently and everywhere." To prevent such a calamity the Illinois Federation demands that the government of the United States shall enter into international agreements with the nations of Europe that "the wage paid for definite work must be absolutely independent of the sex of the individual performing it." Nothing more utterly absurd could be proposed. If it were possible to make such an international agreement and enforce it, as it is not, the European nations would not make it because it would increase the cost of producing commodities in Europe, and the one hope of Europe of geting back its gold, repairing the ravages of war, and paying the enormous interest on its public debt is in recapturing its foreign trade. This it cannot do if high wages are paid to its workmen.

There is but one way by which the workers of America can preserve their great home market from being wrested from them by foreign pauper and female labor. That way is by a return to the Republican policy of a protective tariff. There are signs on the political horizon that the Democrats are coming to this conclusion, though they are coming to it slowly, gritting their teeth as they advance and consoled only by the reflection that it is the only way by which they can hold on to the Federal offices.

THE MAYOR DISPLAYS VIGOR.

The liveliest satisfaction is expressed throughout the city at the promising stage which has been reached in the negotiations for the purchase by the city of two out of the three company power distributing systems. The only regret expressed is that the third company should have felt compelled to withdraw, owing to unfair tactics adopted by employees of the city in connection with the wasteful paralleling scheme.

It is an open secret that no small credit is due to Mayor Woodman, who at a time when the negotiations seemed to be at a deadlock, stepped in and made some of the city officials recede from their position of biased antagonism to the power corporations.

Some months ago The Times showed how Engineer Scattergood had failed to carry out his promises in regard to municipal power, yet it was this engineer who seemed to take a delight in throwing all the cold water possible on the proposed arrangement with the power companies, which will result in Los Angeles securing a practical and profitable monopoly.

But the engineer reckoned without the fact that in recent months Los Angeles has obtained a Mayor with a determined chin. It is believed at the City Hall that Mayor Woodman read the riot act to the engineer. At any rate a change came over the spirit of the Scattergood cogitations after he had had a seance with Mayor Woodman. It is gratifying to have a Mayor who knows how to put recalcitrant officials in their places.

HIGH JINKS ON BORROWED FUNDS.

President Wilson proposes to borrow money to meet the cost of his prospective Mexican war. An early bond issue is projected. Wilson's "waging peace" in Mexico has cost the United States about $200,000,000 already. Meantime the treasury balance to meet this $2,000,000,000 government is only $142,000,000. Internal revenue to date has brought in $15,000,000 more than last year, while the Underwood tariff law has brought in $4,000,000 more than in 1915. It is estimated that the "admirable" new income tax will yield a hundred millions more than last year. The treasury expects to gather in $17,000,000 inheritance tax this year and at least $54,000,000 when the law is fully operative. The Treasury Department has the Panama Canal bonds up its sleeve, under which $230,000,000 of new funds can be raised. It is thought that the twelve Federal reserve banks will fill the gap. Evidently, remarks the Lewiston Journal, there is money to burn under the spoils system of Democratic government, high finance and high jinks.

Liliuokalani, one-time Queen of Hawaii, is seriously ill. Remember when President Cleveland sent his "Paramount Commissioner" Blount to Hawaii and took down the American flag from the Capitol Building and was addressed by the ruling monarch as "my great and good friend?" Do you also recall that with the administration of Benjamin Harrison that flag was put back and that it is still flying. The ex-Queen is 78 years of age.

Almost time for some other potentate to set Poland free. Pancho Villa is yet to be heard from.

STREAKS OF WIT.

When Living Cost Is High.

[Judge:] Mr. Harduppe: Let us hang a piece of suet out in the yard and see if it will not attract the birds.

Mrs. Harduppe: Rather let us hang it near a grocery store and see if it will not attract the other ingredients of a plum pudding.

Needed Excitement.

[Houston Post:] "I saw a war picture, and one of the soldiers on the firing line, amid bursting shells and dead and wounded men, was yawning."

"He was probably a football player to whom his surroundings seemed tame."

Art Comparison.

[Washington Star:] "He is always talking about his family tree."

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "I have been interested in it. It is one of those trees which get shadier as they grow older."

Where Socialism Fails.

[Judge:] "I tell you, comrades," cried the socialistic orator, "if you will only give socialism a chance, you will find it works—"

"Aw, go wan!" replied the cheer leader in the audience. "What we want is suthin' that abolishes work."

Must Obey Orders.

[Harper's Magazine:] With but three minutes to catch his train, the traveling salesman inquired of the street car conductor, "Can't you go faster than this?"

"Yes," the bell-ringer replied, "but I have to stay with my car."

Ulterior Motive.

[Boston Transcript:] Customer: I want to get a collar for my wife's poodle.

Dealer: Something plain, sir?

Customer: No, something showy and expensive looking. I want some one to steal the little beast.

Indicted.

[Pittsburgh Post:] Husband: You charge me with reckless extravagance. When did I ever make a useless purchase?

Wife: Why, there's that fire extinguisher you bought a year ago; we've never used it once.

Self Protection.

[Washington Star:] "Yes," said Mr. Growcher, "I intend to keep up the idea of Santa Claus in my family as long as possible."

"What for?"

"I don't want the children to blame me when they don't get just the presents they were looking for."

RIPPLING RHYMES.

OUR DESTINATION.

he poorhouse has no Persian rugs,
no costly chandeliers; and there
we'll dwell and chase the bugs in
our declining years. On bread and
meat and spuds and pie there's an
unroly price; the cost of coal has
gone so high the poor are burning
ice. The butchers used to give away
the liver of the cow; today they
wrap it up and say, "Cough up a
quarter now." The poorhouse has
no movie stage, no joyous minstrel
troupe; and there we'll spend our
wintry age, and live on cabbage
soup. When o'er the daily sheet we
glance, we drop it with a frown; the
price of everything's advanced, and
nothing has gone down. The printer
howls because his stock more precious is than gems; the tailor wets
with tears the frock which drearily
he hems. Man wears his sweater in
his bed, because he has no shiwt, and
cries aloud, while seeing red: "Oh,
whither do we drift?" The poorhouse
has no plutocrats, no closed or open
cars; and there we'll dwell and swat
the rats until we climb the stars.

WALT MASON.

Synthetic Jewels.

Nearly all artificial gems, that is to say, stones that are really made by artificial means, are compounds of alum crystallized under special conditions. The metallic salts that are added during fusion determine whether the stones produced shall be sapphires, rubies or oriental topazes, amethysts or emeralds. Early attempts to manufacture artificial gems on a commercial basis failed because of the difficulty in obtaining the tremendous heat necessary, but the oxyhydrogen flame solved the problem, and producing artificial gems is now an important industry. According to La Chronique Industrielle, the basic material is ammonia alum, which is converted into calcined alum, by heating it in muffles. To that is added the coloring matter in suitable proportions—oxide of chromium for rubies, titanic acid for sapphires. The finely divided powder is permitted to trickle down into the oxyhydrogen flame, which attains a temperature of 1800 deg. The powder fuses into a pear-shaped body that weighs from ten carats to 200. The ruby is also manufactured by fusing together natural rubies too small to be of value in their original condition. Since great quantities of rubies are used for the bearings of watches and other instruments of precision, the synthetic rubies find a ready market among manufacturers as well as among dealers in gems.

Land Shark Beaten.

[Topeka State Journal:] Because of the prices the owner of the townsite of Keystone, a thriving village in Logan county, placed on town lots, the residents of the village and officers of the Scott City Northern Railway decided to move the town.

A new townsite, two miles northwest of the present village, was quietly purchased and the city began its move overland. The station, sidetracks and shipping docks of the railway already have been moved and business houses on moving trucks are on the way to new site.

For a One-term President.

[New York Herald:] The experiences of the last four years—indeed, of the last twelve years—have driven home to the American people the need of legal provision against a President succeeding himself in office. A single term of six or seven years would seem the best solution of the problem.

Con Cuchillo.

CHILE CON CARNAGE.

BEING THE PARTICULAR PEPPER IN SOME PERSONAL OPINIONS

Of Don yo de Chiltepin.

I had the comfort to know Tom Nast, when his dollar-mark cartoons drove "Boss Tweed" into the hole, and to know Keppler when his "Tattooed Man" lost Blaine the Presidency. And like every great artist I have known, they were lovable as they were great—poets, friends, Real People. They were generous and gentle not "as a woman" but as The woman—tender as Mother—but not afraid of anything on this bald earth. And, luckily, there was no "Business Office" to hold down their genius. The only limit they had was their own sense of decency and fitness. And that was enough. In all their thousands of cartoons, they never transgressed the boundaries of good taste and patriotism. Their pencil was as a lash—but it was in the hands of a Thackeray, not of a Legree.

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Peace to their dear ashes! I hope neither of them is aware of modern cartooning. The technique (largely borrowed from them) might make them willing to come back to this tiresome world and "give lessons." But the modern Taste, I am sure, would often make them Glad they Went. If they could see, for instance, in one of the leading weeklies of this our neutral country—our land made up of all lands—if they could see a double-page, Gibsonesque cartoon: John Bull, Johnny Crapaud and Czar Nick on the platform with glad thumbs each to an electric button; and the Kaiser in the electrocution chair; and Columbia sitting in front of the "victim" and saying, "Get hung, Nigger! Get Hung!"

Luckily, these great men never saw so indecent a debasement of the cartoonist's art. Nor did I ever, save once. In a hot political campaign in Peru, some twenty-three years ago, a mongrel sheet pictured its native land as a dead jackass; and the candidate it disfavored for President of Peru, it showed in the role of a turkey-buzzard attacking the carcass in the fashion familiar to all who have watched turkey-buzzards, but not discussed in society.

"Life," of New York (thank God it's so far from life in California!) has prizes out for "the best epitaph on the Kaiser," and has printed many delicate contributions—such as: "An execrable monster . . . assassin . . . murderer . . . despised and detested of all men. . . . Judas, Pontius Pilate and Herod."

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Tut, tut, "Life." It's a little too day-after-tomorrow to be writing epitaphs on the Kaiser, already yet. When England and her chestnut-pullers shall have succeeded in putting him away (if they ever do, which grows no nearer) it will be time for angiomaniacs to make as many tombstones for him as suits their apite, and erect said marbles beside their own hearths as monuments to their own un-Americanism.

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For it is un-American to hate any other nation. We are a nation compound of all nations, and we have good will to them all. A very few of us came from England; and we owe her the rudiments of our speech (but have improved.) We owe her also our Independence—because we walloped her into allowing it to us. In fact, all we owe England we have taken out of her jaws, despite her teeth. And not one Briton-born out of every 10,000 living in the United States is a fellow-citizen.

We owe France much—and never had to fight for anything we have of her. She helped us, out of sheer gallantry (and hostility to England) when England was trying to crush England's thirteen first colonial infants. And about one France-born resident of every 500 here is a citizen.

We owe a great deal to Russia. In our Civil War probably nothing did so much to dissuade England from backing the Confederacy, and disrupting the Union, as a nice, careless-like visit of the Russian fleet to our harbors. And about one in every five of the Russians that come here to live, becomes an American citizen as fast as he can.

We owe a great deal to Italy. Nearly all her sons take out their "papers." And a good deal to Austria. I am not talking of the "neutral nations."

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But it is not only silly but sickly to talk of England "Giving us our Language and Literature." England never gave anybody anything. Or of France and Italy "giving us Art." We have paid for all we got—to England in bloody toll, from Lexington onward; to Italy and France in hard American dollars at five times the price their paintings would have fetched at home. That's the reason their Art is in America. They would have preferred to keep it at home—but "The jingle of the guinea helps the hurt that honour feels."

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But we owe as much to Germany—which is standing off the world in arms (including our munitionmakers.) Ever hear of a German in the United States who wasn't a citizen thereof? Ever hear of an English, French or other European-American, "hyphenated" regiment fighting for America, as the German-Americans "fought mit Sigel?" So, isn't it sort of decent and American to let our European neighbors settle their own family quarrel, with a sane remembrance that it's no skin off our shins; and not call names or write epitaphs untimely?

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Like my Fellow-Groucher, Harry Carr, I view with alarm the female vote, and confess it a flat failure. But if women have to vote at all, anywhere, there's one lady I'd give the ballot—even in a State where she can't have it. There have been a thousand righteous thunders against our "Mexican Policy" (if you chance to know what this is.) But the purr of this little woman is the most damning indictment I now recall. And this will be part of next Sunday's sermon.

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MASTERY.

I would not have a god come down
To shield me suddenly from ill
And set my house of life to rights
Nor angels with bright, beating
wings
Ordering my earthly thoughts and
things;
Rather my own frail gutterings
Wind-blown and nearly blown out
Rather the terror of the night
And long sick groping after light
Rather be lost than let my will
Slip vaguely from my own control
Of my own spirit let me be sole
In sole though feeble mastery.

—[Sara Teasdale in

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Nor angels with bright, burning wings
Ordering my earthly thoughts and things;
Rather my own frail guttering light
Wind-blown and nearly beaten out
Rather the terror of the night
And long sick groping after doubt
Rather be lost than let my soul
Slip vaguely from my own control
Of my own spirit let me be
In sole though feeble mastery.

—[Sara Teasdale, in Bellman.

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8:30 to 9:30

No Phone or Mail Orders.

$1 Laces, 39c—Gold, silver and colored novelty edges and bands for trimmings. 1 hour, 39c.

10c Hdkfs., 65c Doz.—Soft cambric, hemstitched. Size 18x18 inch for men. Aisle 6.

$1.25 Silk Bags, 49c—Black moire, lined and fitted. 8-in. frames. 1 hour, 49c.

19c Brassieres, 3c—Of plain muslin, embroidery trimmed. Soiled, 1 hour, 3c.

75c, $1 Blankets, 39c—Single blankets for 3-4 and full beds. Soiled 1 hour, 39c.

8:30 to 9:30

No Phone or Mail Orders.

Girls' $8.50 Coats, $3.98—Of astrakhan and cut chinchilla in black. 6 to 12 years. 1 hour, $3.98.

$2.98 Fur Sets, $1.50—Brown bear muff and scarf for children. 1 hour, $1.50.

50c Sleepers, 25c—Of outing flannel, in plain and blue stripes. 2 to 8 years.

$2.50, $3 Rugs, $1.69—Throw rugs in colored patterns. 21x36-inch. 8:30 to 9:30, $1.69.

$1, $1.50 Sweaters, 69c—Clean up of men's and women's medium weight styles. All sizes.

$5 Bags $2.98

Christmas Lines. Variety of Styles.

AND what an inexpensive and satisfactory expression for one's esteem for a friend is the gift of leather. New bags of real polished pin seal, heavy silk lined. Size 3½x8½ inches. In back strap style, also including the new tulip shape beaded velvet bags at $2.98.

$1.50 Leathers 98c
Comb and hair brush sets in genuine seal grain leather case. Good bristles set in imitation black ebony backs.

$2 Handbags $1.19
Pouch shape in pearl and seal grain leathers on Dutch silver frames. Also novelty back and top strap purses.

$1.50 Kid Gloves $1
Real lambskin, full pique sewed; in tan or white. Also gloves of suede with one-clasp wrist. Navy, red or champagne.

$1.75 C'pe Gl. $1.25
Very dressy one-clasp wrist gloves with spear point or embroidered backs. The famous Meyers make.

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In Old Colony, Windsor, Vintage, Cromwell Patterns.

Medium knives, set of six, $3.00.
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Dessert forks, set of six, $4.25.
Salad forks, set of 6, $4.65.
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In mahogany finished, moire lined chest — Six knives, 6 forks, 6 teaspoons, 6 tablespoons, 1 butter knife and 1 sugar shell. Rogers Bros. 1847 ware.

Jewelry 25c

A Manufacturer's 50c Lines.

WHAT a pretty lot of gift jewelry this great 25c sale includes. Brooches, rings, bar pins, clasps, tie pins, ear rings, lavallieres, etc. Many jeweled with brilliants, rhinestone, birth stones and novelty settings.

$2.50 Knives $1.50
A most acceptable gift for son, father or gentleman friend. Gold-filled knife attached to Waldemar vest chain. In Xmas box.

Deposit Ware 59c
Creamer and sugar, salt and pepper in caster, bud vases, pickle and olive dishes, sugar trays, etc. To $1 values, 59c.

Flower Beads 69c
Genuine hand-made scented flower beads, 15 inches long and with gold-filled clasps. Blue, black, rose, etc.

$1 Ear Rings 50c
A manufacturer's sample lines, including gold-filled mountings set with jet drops, dangles and pearl combinations.

85c Ribbons 49c

Floral Patterned To 7 Inches Wide.

BOLTS of these beautiful ribbons will melt away so popularly will they be chosen for the many Christmas things that women are now making for their friends. Heavy quality satin taffeta, 49c yard.

19c Ribbons 10c
Black grosgrain ribbons, very heavy and in widths Nos. 3, 5 and 7. Nearly half price in the "Shop Early Sale."

20c Ribbons 12½c
The new Dresden and floral ribbons of silk in pretty color combinations. Nos. 40 to 120 widths. Yard 12½c.

35c Ribbons 19c
Black or brocaded velvet ribbons in rich watered and Persian designs in color combinations. Satin backs.

50c Ribbons 25c
Our popular Christmas lines of metallic ribbons in bright and dull gold shades. Widths to 1 3-4 inches. Sale 25c.

Toy Kingdom

Entire Third Floor, South Building.

No. 2 American Model Builders, at...$2
Full jointed kid dolls, 22 inch.....$2.98
Unbreakable dolls, cloth body.....50c
Imported character dolls, at.....$1.50
Wicker doll carriage, rubber tires..$2.98
Steam engine, brass finished boiler...$1
$1.25 rubber bladder footballs.....$1
Steel-tired velocipedes for boys...$1.75
Irish Mail, 34 inches long, at.....$3.75
Little Buick rubber tired auto.....$4.50

15c Elastic 5c
White Only.
25c Sanitary Aprons 19c
15c Oriental Pearl Buttons 10c
10c Bias Tape, 12 yds., 5c
25c Shell Hair Pins, 19c
25c, 35c Needle Books, 19c

10c Sp. Silk 5c
100 Yards. Colors.
25c Sanitary Belts, 10c
3 1-3c King's thread, 2½c
15c Sanitary Aprons 10c
To 25c Trimming Buttons, 5c
5c English Pins, 2½c
15c Hose Supporters, 7½c

Christmas Garment Sales



$12.98 & $14.98 Winter Suits

$8.75

Greatest Value of the Season.

FOR $8.75—stylish new suits of serge, cheviots, twilled suitings and gaberdine, all beautifully made and lined, and many velvet or silk braid trimmed. In colors and black. One of the greatest values we have announced this season.

More Than 2000 New Dresses

$5.00

$7.50 and $10 Models.

AND at $5 they are indeed a revelation in value-giving, as well as a surprise in style. Of serge, wool brocades, satins, poplins and lustrous taffeta in colors and black. Belted, pleated and straight-line effects becomingly trimmed.

Agency Standard Patterns

Coats for $7.50

$10 and $12.98 Styles.

A GREAT Christmas sale of new zibeline, Matalamb, boucle, Kersey and coats of novelty mixtures. Lined or unlined, belted or flaring. Some in lot with fur collars. Colors and black.

Suits $11.75

$16.50 and $22.50 Lines.

FASHIONED of serge, poplins, plain and checked velours, gaberdine and whipcords. Collar and cuffs edged with coney fur or sealette, etc.

$25 Suits $14.75

Chiffon broadcloth, plain and checked velours, serge, poplins, gaberdine and whipscords. Belted or semi-belted, plain tailored or Norfolk cut. In colors and black.

Dresses $12.50

$16.50 to $22.50 Styles.

OF FRENCH serge, satin, crepe de chine, silk poplin, and combinations in ruffled or three tier effects and many with Georgette sleeves. Host of colors and black.

$12.98 Dresses $7.95

Included in pleated or straight line effects are winter dresses of serge, taffeta, velveteen, corduroy, silk poplin and tub silks. Trimmed.

Coats at $10.50

$15 and $18.75 Garments.

GREAT warm, full, sweeping coats, some with collars of fur or velvet and in the season's wanted colors and black. Of wool velours, corduroy, novelty mixtures, matalamb, chinchilla and zibeline.

Skirts $5.75

$7.50 and $10.00 Lines.

Sport, street and dress styles of heavy satin, diagonals, serge, poplin, plaid and wool velours, corduroy and taffeta in a great range of colors, black and white. Latest winter styles.

BEDDING SALE

Skirts $1.98

$2.98 and $3.98 Lines.

Most unusual variety of fine new winter sport, street or dress skirts in a full line of colors, black and white. Prettily fashioned of serge, poplin, gaberdine and corduroy.

Large Bed Spreads $1.39

Regular $2 Lines. In Good Patterns.



IT'S the gift practical that after all is most appreciated at Christmas time. Why not enrich the home with a new bedspread? These in large size, pure white.

17½c Cases, 12½c—Good weight muslin in size 42x36 inches.

$1.10 Sheets, 90c—Extra large seamless sheets. 81x108 inches.

25c Bath Towels at 19c
Heavy absorbent towels in good practical size and finished with hemmed ends. Many people will make this a towel Christmas with this opportunity theirs tomorrow.

12½c CRASH 8 1-3c—Heavy natural color absorbent crash.

25c DAMASK 42c—Pure white, heavily mercerized, handsome patterns.

Woolnap Blankets $2.19

$3.00 Lines. Extra Large Size.

PREFERRED above all others for the cool winter season, both for warmth and for service. The ends are finished with colored yarn. Plain tan white or gray with colored borders.

$3.50 Bath Robe Blankets $2.89
Plenty of time now to make them up into bath robes. Wool finished and in checks, plaid, floral and scroll designs.

$2.50 PILLOWS $1.39—Twilled and denim ticking over duck and geese mixed feathers. 21x27-inch.

$4.50 COMFORTS $3.39—Double bed cotton, silkoline covered.

$1.50 BLANKETS 89c—Double for ¾ bed. Medium weight cotton. White, gray or tan.

$6 BLANKETS $4.98—Plain white or plaid wool blankets. Double bed size.



Dress Goods in Great Christmas Sale

$1.75 and $2 Wool Dress Goods $1.25

IN 50 to 54-inch widths are included many of the winter's most popular weaves for a great Shop Early Sale, Monday. Two toned taffetas, fancy light serge in plaids, pin stripes and fancy checks, all-wool pongee, etc. Dress, skirt, suit and coat materials at $1.25.

$3.98 Velour Suitings $2.69
Silk mixed quality in dark shades and 56 inches wide. Also including plain white broadcloth at $2.69 the yard.

89c SUITING 59c—Black and white medium size checks of fine serge quality. 42-inch.

59c LININGS 39c—Plain or floral designed mercerized sateens. Yard wide.



$1.50 and $2 Weaves—54-In. 95

A PATTERN length of these new winter materials will solve the gift question with women tomorrow who shop early. Included are leather brown bayadere or striped suiting, golden brown or navy blue broadcades, black imitation chinchilla and boucle, cheviots in champagne, fancy checks, etc.

$2.50 Wool Coatings $1.39
White lambs all wool coating and fancy stripe or waffle checks. Good weight materials for short or long coats, and they make up without lining. 54 inches wide.

$2 to $3 Dress Goods $1.49
Including golden brown broadcloth, red ladies' cloth, gray and tan mixed raincloth, black and white checks, Scotch plaids, balmacaan tweeds, etc.

Men's Suits $12.85

$17.50 and $20 Christmas Lines.



THERE is one thing on the Christmas list that men must buy for themselves and that's their new winter suits. Most opportune is this Shop Early Sale. New winter suits of worsteds, cheviots and cassimeres, all tailored, even the buttonholes, pockets and the little things that make or detract from a suit are given expert attention. Snappy patterns and colors and in all sizes.

Overcoats $6.50
—Genuine $10 and $12.50 Kenreign waterproof overcoats of tweeds in gray and brown shades. Sizes to 44.

Youths' $15 Suits $7.50
—For the young man so particular in matters of dress we've a new line of suits to interest them. Cheviots, worsteds and cassimeres in latest patterns.

Smoking Jackets $5.98
For lounging in the house or for devotees to the jimmy pipe. Of velours and cassimeres in a variety of shades, prettily trimmed and corded. Sizes to 44.

1 to 2 p.m.

No Phone or Mail Orders.

To $20 Suits $4.98

JUST 28 suits in lot. Late summer styles of silk poplin, white wool jersey, one of plaid mixtures and one of wool serge with black coat and striped skirt. Also Palm Beach suits and a few of shepherd checks. 1 to 2 p.m. $4.98.

$1.69, $2.00 Georgette Crepe, $1.19—Good heavy quality in 40-inch width for waists and dresses. 1 to 2 p.m., $1.19. 3rd floor.

$1 Silk Poplin, 49c—Heavy quality in shades of green, brown, blue, gray, old rose, etc. 36-inch. 1 to 2 p.m., 49c.

$1.25, $1.50 Wool Suiting, 69c—Including Scotch tweeds, diagonals, homespuns, and fancy mixtures. 1 to 2 p.m., 69c.

Sample Line of Middies 79c

Appropriate & Inexpensive Gifts.

MADE of extra heavy galatea and twill—a great sample line that manufacturers everywhere wholesale to sell for $1.25. Cut in regulation and Norfolk styles with large, square or circular collars. Braid trimmed.



$7.50 Sweaters $5



Brushed wool and pure worsted sweaters for men and women. In assorted color styles and colors and all sizes.

$2, $2.50 Sweaters $1.50
Medium or heavy weight ribbed sweaters for men. Included or both ruffneck and V-neck styles, all finished with two pockets. Dark and light gray only.

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BEAUTIFUL three-piece sets, including comb, brush and mirror. Some with round or oval French plate glass and all in fancy lined box. Other sets range from $5 to $8.75.

French plate glass ivory mirror bonnet or round, $1.75 to $4.98.
French ivory hair brushes, $1.98 to $4.98.
French ivory puff box, 75c to $2.50.
French ivory hair receivers, 75c to $2.50.
French ivory picture frames, 35c to $1.98.
75c French ivory combs, 49c.
25c ivory puff boxes for 19c.
$2.00 ivory hair brushes, $1.49.
35c ivory trays, Monday, 25c.
Perfume bottle in ivory box, 25c.
50c and 75c perfumes, assorted ounce, 25c.
$2.00 Hughes' ideal hair brush, $1.50.

$1 to $2 Gift Books, Sale 75c

WHAT hours of interesting reading for some friend at Xmas time. Slightly scratched. Reprints, including scores of titles for a great Shop Early Sale, Monday, at 75c each. 3rd fl.

Gift Linens 50c

Finished Pieces; Dozens of Designs and Sizes.

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Royal Society Pkgs., 25c to $1.50—Including almost every article you could wish to embroider.

$1.50, $2 Bath Mats, 98c—Heavy Turkish toweling mats with pink or blue borders. Stamped.

25c Towels, 15c—Stamped on fine quality huck, with edges to crochet or embroider.

Stamped Gowns, 50c—Of nainsook or longcloth. Round, square or V neck. Stamped.

$3.98 Centers, $1.98—Large 72-inch Battenburg centers. Also 45 and 54-inch sizes.

Picture Frames in Asst. Sizes and Finish, 50c

Xmas Lace 5c

10c, 15c and 19c Lines. To 4 Inches Wide.

OF COTTON cluny in white, cream or ecru shades and in patterns that are so dainty for making Christmas corset covers, boudoir caps, etc. A great Shop Early Sale, Monday, at 5c yard.

25c Shadow Lace, 10c—Edges and insertions in fancy mesh patterns to 5 inches wide.

50c, 69c Shadow Flouncings, 25c—White, cream or ecru laces in 18 and 27-inch widths. For camisoles, etc.

$2 Lace Flouncings, 98c—Gold and silver laces, 18 and 27-inch. Patterned on silk nets.

$1.50 Fur Trimming, 98c—Coney fur in black or brown; 3 inches wide. For trimming coats and dresses.

$1, $1.39 Dress Nets, 69c—Small mesh cotton dress nets for overdrapes, foundations, etc.; 72 inches.

$1 Val. Lace, 49c—Edges and insertions in 12-yard bolts; ⅜ to 1½ inches wide.

Handk'fs 50c

Embroidered Corners. 3 in Box.

VERY practical and inexpensive gifts for mother, sister or lady acquaintance. Handkerchiefs of fine sheer quality. Neatly embroidered and three in a box for 50c.

Hdkfs. 25c Box
Of sheer lawn with white or colored embroidered corners. Three neatly boxed for 25c.

10c Hdkfs. 5c
These, too, are daintily embroidered and with plain or hemstitched edges. They launder perfectly.

25c Hdkfs. 12½c
Plain white or with colored embroidered corners. A great sample line to sell at half price Monday.

Hdkfs. 98c Box
Three in a box, handkerchiefs of linen, each daintily embroidered. Make yourself and your friends both a gift.

Umbrellas $1.98

8 Steel Ribbed Frames—Assorted Handles.

ONE of the most popular gifts for men or women is an umbrella; and especially practical is the new suit case style that folds. Covered with gloria silk and with very pretty handles.

$5 Umbrellas, $3.98—Eight steel-ribbed frames covered with water-proof silk taffeta.

$5 Feather Boas, $3.98—Fine ostrich boas in popular colors and good length. Sale $3.98.

$2 and $2.50 Broadcloth and Crepe Collars $1.50
And the new net collars are here in both fancy and plain shapes.

25c Hdkfs. 8 1-3c
8:30 to 9:30 A.M.
Sample line of sheer embroidered handkerchiefs for women. And they'll make most suitable Xmas gifts. Three for the usual price of one, 8:30 to 9:30.

$2.98 Suits $1.98
8:30 to 9:30 A.M.
A nobby new line of Oliver Twist styles for boys 2 to 8 years. Plain blue or Shepherd plaids. Sale 4th floor, 8:30 to 9:30, $1.98.



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Point of View.

BEATING THE COST OF LIVING BECOMES ZESTFUL ADVENTURE.

Anybody Can Spend Money, but Making a Dollar Stretch is a Feat that Takes Brains and Heart—What a Casserole and Glorified Stew Can Mean.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

"ISN'T the high cost of living simply scandalous?" snorted the lady who always wears an atmosphere of affluence wrapped round her, she who considers a georgette crepe negligee and silk "undies" essential items of her wardrobe. "Fourteen dollars for a pair of shoes that I should have considered dear at $8 a couple of years ago!"

"Yes, indeed," agreed the prominent club woman, "and all my clubs have considered this a suitable occasion on which to raise all their dues. George's clubs are costing him nearly twice as much, too. It is simply outrageous."

"Myron says we shall have to part with the car if this sort of thing goes on," sighed the society matron with two eligible daughters. "Oh, I simply hate economizing, don't you? It's so hard on the girls."

"Seems to me a little economizing would not hurt some of us," remarked a thrifty dame, who is suspected of Scotch descent. "It is about time the rising generation had a little lesson in the gentle art of doing without. Such extravagance as we have seen for the last few years would have been considered little short of criminal in my young days."

"Yes," murmured the quiet little Englishwoman, shyly. "I do think things are getting awfully dear, but somehow, you know, I rather like economizing. I was awfully poor once and learned a lot of little economical tricks. It used to be a matter of pride to me to make a dollar go as far as anyone else's five. But, of course, when living was cheap and money plentiful, it seemed rather indecent to practice my talents. One felt so scandalously tightwadish. I always maintained I should have been absolutely wasted on a millionaire. I should never have done him any sort of credit. But now, you know, I can indulge my taste for economy to my heart's content. I suppose that sounds rather disgusting to you affluently-trained Americans. You see, I never could make money—no head for business at all. But I did learn how to make a little go a long way. And now, of course, I am absolutely justified in all my little stinginesses."

SHE EVEN LIKES IT!

"You don't mean to say that you like economizing," came the shocked, incredulous chorus of voices. "Listen to this, girls—she says she likes economizing."

"I expect it does sound rather cheap of me," smiled the renegade, "but I will confess to taking a secret pride in my ability to make the very most of my modest income. You see, anyone can spend money, waste money, dribble it away, but it takes both a head and a heart to economize gracefully."

This was such a new and disconcerting point of view that we simply gazed at the unique creature in amazement. With sugar up to eleven pounds for $1, with meat out of sight, and with eggs at 65 cents a dozen, with shoes at the price of diamonds, with 30-cent brooms at 65 cents, with bread up to 12 cents, with underwear in our carefully cultivated taste for silk at the place where we had to consider an ignominious resort to longcloth, with even our magazine rates raised on us and father cussing at the cost of tobacco and imported wines and gasoline, with war taxes on long distance calls and tickets to Europe, with club dues raised on all sides, and Lucille et Cie charging us $49.50 for a $10 hat, and here a woman daring to say she liked it. What plebeian taste! And yet . . . well, there was the attractive zest of adventure in her point of view.

"Any fool can spend money." That rankled a bit. "But it takes a head and a heart to economize." Well, there was a certain amount of logic in that, we had to admit.

She continued to press her advantage home. "One feels something like a soldier, you know," she was saying. "They like war because it tests their pluck and endurance and gives them a chance to show their grit. That's why I like economizing. It gives one a chance to display one's talents for the good of the family. It's a sort of triumph over conditions, if one can show a credit balance at the end of the month."

BEHOLD THE LUXURIES.

So that is how we came to embark on our adventure in economy. We left off cultivating our culture for a bit and sat down to readjusting our ideas on essentials. If only economizing were as fashionable as spending, it can prove every whit as enticing.

We decided it came under the head of domestic science and invited the plebeian economist to discourse.

"Well, the first thing to do is to review one's expenditures and carefully segregate the luxuries from the necessities," she said. "You'd be surprised what an awful lot of things can conscientiously be placed under the heading of luxuries. And it isn't necessary to begin on father's tobacco and drinks either, although one can tactfully work round to that. And one doesn't have to hurl a cereal-vegetarian diet at the family stomach and start nagging the grocer, or take a violent drop from silk or flannelette, or put a drastic brake on one's charities. Your clever economist does not apparently alter his style of living at all—he only makes his dollar do its utmost."

Thereafter she proceeded to details. Some of them sounded pretty petty to us, I can tell you. For instance, about matches. By lighting the old match whenever there is a burning gas jet we could save a box a month. By seeing that the gas was turned low directly the saucepan boiled, by watching that only just enough and no more water was heated for the bath, by seeing that lights were never left burning in rooms not in use, by keeping a careful tab on wasted water, dripping faucets and the like, by insisting that the family teeth exercise themselves on the crusts so that never a crumb of bread was wasted, by sharing up magazine subscriptions with a friend, by reinforcing new stockings at the heel and toe with a slender silk darn, and the same with underwear at the weak spots, by putting the patch in Johnny's pants on the inside directly they were purchased, by cleaning and pressing most of the clothes at home, by washing and ironing one's own shirtwaists and neckwear, by reserving white petticoats for special occasions, by cleaning one's own gloves, by keeping a watchful eye on the butter and seeing that the members of the family do not leave chunks on their plates, by using lard and shortening instead of butter on numerous legitimate occasions, by lighting the fire for sociable purposes and keeping an oil heater for the ordinary times when one is busy about other things, by cultivating a taste for careful mending, by washing one's hair oneself instead of sallying forth for a luxurious shampoo, by cutting out expensive face creams and trying what cold water and pure soap will do, by eschewing perfumes—in short, by exercising vigilance and thoughtfulness and cultivating a certain enthusiastic busyness, it proved possible to save $20, $30, $40 a month without feeling it, according to the size of the household.

CASSEROLE MAGIC.

Then on the food. What we learned about casserole dishes was illuminating. We found that a casserole could make 15-cent steak tender and savory, transform 10-cent lamb stew into a delicacy, turn cold mutton into a curry de luxe, make rice au gratin at a cost of about 10 cents for a family of six, seem like an epicurean feast for the gods; produce the most wonderful, savory head cheese out of any old scraps with the subtle addition of a sprinkling of the right herbs, and, as for fish, well, 20 cents worth done a la casserole, properly flavored, proved sufficient for five of us, and the Los Angeles Country Club chef would not have scorned to claim it for his own. There are about twenty ways of making cheap fish an epicurean dish, and, when served with the suitable vegetables, they make an adequate repast for a king.

And what that woman knew about soups! She could make a dozen nourishing, savoury soups, all with distinct flavors, with 10 cents' worth of materials, and glowed with pride as she divulged their cheapness. She managed to win us all round to a pride in economy; there wasn't one of us who could ever have the face to brag of how much, but rather of how little, things had cost after that.

One dish she taught us was essentially English—the boiled meat pudding. For four people it takes a piled-up cupful of flour, a piled-up cupful of finely chopped suet, a pinch of baking powder and salt, mixed into a dough with cold water. A basin is greased and lined with the dough. Fifteen cents' worth of round steak and two lambs' kidneys are cut up into small pieces and piled in. Half a small onion is chopped up, a dash of pepper and salt, a tiny piece of mace—fill it up with water, cover tightly with dough, tie in a pudding cloth, plunge into boiling water, boil for an hour and a half, and you have such a savory, nourishing dish for 25 cents that the family will be demanding it. The same procedure is good for the lean of the cheap parts of lamb, but instead of mace use a sprinkling of thyme, and behold another dish for the gods!

STEW TRANSFORMED.

In her hands, too, the stew of evil fame became a banquet. Our respective families insisted upon giving it fancy names, since they could not bring themselves to believe it was common stew. The cheapest cuts of beef and mutton present themselves on the table with melting tenderness under responsive treatment, and, by the judicious addition of the right kinds of herbs and spices, vegetables and cereals, easily vie with the vaunted chickens and turkeys. The old fashioned stews, that taste all alike and in which the hasty housewife thinks

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Oh, I simply hate economizing.



"Review one's expenditures."

Preliminary Hearing.

PURE FOOD VIOLATORS FACE BAR OF JUSTICE

Over Hundred Dealers and Manufacturers, Many of Whom Were Merely Careless of the Manner in Which Their Package Goods Were Marketed, Must Answer State Board of Health Charges.

MORE than 100 violations of the Pure Food and Drug Law came up for preliminary hearing yesterday before the State Board of Health in Sacramento. Many of the cases were those of dealers and manufacturers who were honest in principle, but careless of the manner in which their products were handled, thus giving rise to many improper packages. Los Angeles was represented by over a score of cases.

Thirty-nine cases of eggs, sold as fresh eggs, but containing from one to three rotten eggs to the dozen, were considered; eleven cases of drugs, consisting of cure-alls, with false statements on the labels, and four cases of walnut meats, in which the nuts were either rancid, moldy or infested with parasites, were investigated.

SPECIFIC CASES.

The 115 specific violations investigated by the board were:

Four cases walnut meats; nuts rancid, moldy, or infested with insects. Two of these samples were collected from an ice cream manufacturing plant and were used in the making of nut ice cream. The other two samples were taken from wholesaler, who sold this class of goods to ice cream manufacturers and bakers.

One case of pork sausage, containing sodium sulphite, a prohibited preservative.

Seven cases of fish, canned sardines; decomposed. Cans swelled and corroded.

Thirty-nine cases of eggs, sold as fresh eggs, but consisted of some eggs, storage eggs and in many cases, one, two or three rotten eggs to the dozen.

One case of milk; condensed skimmed milk; decomposed and contained excessive bacteria.

Two "egg custard powder" cases made from starch, gelatine and coal tar dye, without any eggs.

Seven cases of gluten bread, made largely from common flour, materially below standard.

One case of bread, labeled and sold as "Butter Bread, Pure Creamery Butter Used." The shortening in this bread consisted almost entirely of cottonseed products, with only a trace of butter.

Two cases of maple nut ice cream made with imitation maple extract and rancid nut meats.

One case of gluten flour, materially below standard.

Two cases of macaroons, consisting a large amount of wheat flour. Genuine macaroons are made from almond meal, sugar and white of egg, without any flour.

ADULTERATED COFFEE.

Three cases of coffee, containing chickory, roasted cereals or dried fruit. These samples were collected from restaurants where a cheap grade of coffee, mixed with the above adulterants, was served. Restaurants which serve coffee with chickory, etc., should indicate the fact on the bill of fare.

One case of gelatine, inferior and refined product containing glue and excessive bacteria. This gelatine was used in ice cream.

One case of jelly, made largely from exhausted apple stock and dyed as raspberry jelly.

Two cases of prepared mustard, artificially colored with turmeric and adulterated with cereals.

One case of mace; inferior, worthless mace substituted for true mace.

Eight cases of tomatoes and tomato pulps, consisting of decomposed and moldy stock containing excessive bacteria.

One case of canned strawberries, consisting of decomposed and moldy material.

Three cases of extracts, deficient in strength.

Two cases of vinegar, consisting of watered vinegar, in one case a cheap, imitation vinegar in the other.

One raspberry syrup case; contained coal tar dye in imitation of the genuine product.

Three cases of orangeade, made with water, sugar, coal tar dye, citric acid and orange extract, with a slight amount of orange juice.

Two cases of cider, consisting entirely of imitation products; artificially colored.

Three cases of ginger ale, containing capsicum (red pepper), not declared on the label.

One case of absinthe; the sale of absinthe is prohibited in California.

One case of beer, label defective.

Four cases of liquor, consisting of cheap imitations, sold under an imported label.

Eleven drug cases, consisting of cure-alls with false and misleading statements on the labels; proprietary pasts, with misleading statements on the label; two mineral waters with false and misleading statements on the label, and acetic salicylic acid adulterated with starch and sugar.



"Father cussing at the cost of tobacco."

Solution.

ADVOCATES BOYCOTT OF ADVANCED FOODSTUFFS.

THE only solution to the high food prices in Los Angeles which can be recommended by County Sealer of Weights and Measures Fuller to Mayor Woodman tomorrow, will be a general boycott on the articles that have gone way up. After making the investigation requested by the Mayor, Mr. Fuller yesterday stated that there was some speculation in food stuffs, but not as much as has been suggested by those who have been crying most loudly against the advances.

Not only did the sealer study local conditions, but he secured the co-operation of the Department of Agriculture and was informed that the crop production of the nation was 13 per cent. lower than that of a year ago while the exportation has more than doubled in two years, thus causing the shortage.

Here in California, the shortage of such products as potatoes, beans and other vegetables and dried fruits might be higher now if it had not been for the shortage of transportation to get these products to eastern points where quotations are higher than in this State.

California might well emulate the example of the great Pharaoh, Potiphar of Egypt, who established huge granaries and storehouses at the advice of Joseph, and thus had ample supplies during the seven years of drought and want, following the seven years of plenty, according to Sealer Fuller. He will recommend that municipal storehouses be established and that products be stored at the time they are low in price and then held for release during the periods of shortage, thus preventing speculation on the part of dealers and keeping the average cost of food nearer a level from one end of the year to the other.

Mr. Fuller has written the various women's organizations, such as the Friday Morning Club, the Ebell Club, the Million Club and others, suggesting the boycott be placed on eggs, butter, potatoes and a few other products until the men holding supplies of these things are forced to let go at a fair price.

URGES EVERYONE TO QUICKLY GET ON WATER WAGON

Drink Glass of Hot Water Before Breakfast to Wash Out Poisons.

To see the tinge of healthy bloom in your face, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, to wake up without a headache, backache, coated tongue or a nasty breath, in fact to feel your best, day in and day out, just try inside-bathing every morning for one week.

Before breakfast each day, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it as a harmless means of washing from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate will cost very little at the drug store, but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses, sweetens and freshens the skin, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the blood and internal organs. Those who are subject to constipation, bilious attacks, acid stomach, rheumatic twinges, also those whose skin is sallow and complexion pallid, are assured that one week of inside-bathing will have them both looking and feeling better in every way.

NO WORK; HE STEALS.

Needed Jap's Money for Food, is Italian's Defense.

"When I asked him for work, he told me to beat it," said Vincent Marsigale yesterday when arraigned before Justice Forbes on a charge of having burglarized the home of Y. Hashimure at Bendino Station. "I needed the money that I took, to get something to eat, and that's why I went into the Jap's house," he declared.

Marsigale was willing to have this considered his preliminary hearing and admitted he had served time at Ione for a similar offense several years ago.

He is an overgrown Italian youth and his capture was effected by the Jap, who jumped on his back and stayed there despite efforts of Marsigale to unseat him.

He was bound over to the Superior Court on bail of $2500.

In January.

HOG-RAISERS COMING AS HERALDS OF STOCK SHOW.

AS a forerunner of the national stock show for Los Angeles, which now appears certain to be accomplished, steps have been taken within the past two days to make definite arrangements for the Swine Breeders' of California convention, to be held in this city on January 18 and 19. It is expected that during this convention, which will draw to Los Angeles many of the most prominent stockmen of California and the great Southwest, definite arrangements will be made for the launching of the greater project—a national annual stock show.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday the following committees were appointed to arrange for the swine breeders' convention and to carry out the programme for a two-days' meeting:

THE COMMITTEES.

Entertainment: Frank Hauser, Herbert Newcom, Charles F. Hardy, N. R. Vail, Herman Janss, S. R. Dixon.

Reception: B. A. Benjamin, O. B. Fuller, Stoddard Jess, Harry Chandler, A. T. Brant, H. J. Hauser.

Attendance: Frank H. Thomas, Mr. Hall, LeRoy Holt, A. L. Hobson, C. S. Johnson, E. F. Sanquinette, Roy Farr, F. E. Peck.

Executive Committee: Herman Hauser, chairman; S. R. Dixon, J. C. Good, John Woodward, N. Russell Vail, Herbert Newcom, John E. Maurer.

The tentative programme for the convention is as follows:

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18.

9 a.m.—Business session.

10:00 a.m.—"The California Swine Breeders' Association," by President C. B. Cunningham, Mills.

10:30 a.m.—"Feeding, Growing and Market Hogs," Leon L. Hamson, Holtville.

11 a.m.—"The Breeding Herd and the Pure-bred Business," William Bernstein, Hanford.

11:20 a.m.—Discussion: Feeding Problems, Self-feeders, etc.

12 m.—Luncheon.

1:30 p.m.—"Why the Prices of Swine in California are Lower than in Oregon or in the Middle States," representative of one of the packing-houses.

2:30 p.m.—"Why Strictly Grain-fed, Milk-fed, Alfalfa-fed and acorn-fed Hogs all Bring About the Same Price in California," representative of one of the packing-houses.

3:30 p.m.—"What is Being Done and What Should be Done for the Good of the Swine Industry in California," D. O. Lively, San Francisco.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19.

8:30 a.m.—Killing demonstration at Cudahy Packing Company.

10 a.m.—Curing display at Wilson & Co's.

11:30 a.m.—Inspection of plant and luncheon at Hauser Packing Company's.

1 p.m.—Visit to moving picture studios and other points of interest in Los Angeles.

Educational.

DISPLAY OF BOOKS.

Juvenile Volumes Shown at Public Library Main Office and the Branches This Week, that Parents May have Good Guide for Gifts.

With the object of informing parents on the proper choice of gift books for their boys, an extensive display of appropriate Christmas volumes for "Young America" will be shown this week at the main office of the Public Library and also at the various branches.

The realization that boys should have books which relate wholesome adventures rather than those which describe the shedding of blood in indiscriminate quantities, is responsible for the exhibition. Economy is also considered in the displays—better reading matter but less expensive bindings.

An effort is being made all over the United States by the Boy Scouts of America to have this week observed as "Good Book Week." The movement was originated by Franklin K. Mathiews, chief scout librarian, and has been indorsed by numbers of prominent educators.

Why it Sells.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the largest-selling cough medicine in the world today, because it does exactly what a cough remedy is supposed to do. It stops the cough by curing the cold, and does it speedily and effectually.—[Advertisement.

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Beating H. C. of L.

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After a month of this economic ...adventure we are inclined to agree ...with our tutor. We positively like ...economizing. With living costing ...prices as much as it did three years ...ago, we are saving many dollars a ...month on our housekeeping bills. ...Some people's idea o feconomy is ...letting the other chap pay for the ...lunch, using the other chaps' car, ...letting the other fellow provide the ...cigarettes and drinks, and owing the ...grocer and the butcher until the last ...possible date. But any sincere adherer in economy would scorn ...these graceless means. We prefer ...to take it put in vigilance and ...thought.



Miss Vivian Haynes, ...and the $2.50 sandals with which she ...has replaced boots costing ten ...times that. A hint relative to our ...old friend the H. C. of L.

The Paris ½ Price Suit Sale



Beginning Monday, 9 A. M.

The sale unrivaled—for which Los Angeles women have been waiting. An event that gives the fullest meaning to the word bargain, for it includes the grouping together of all the broken lines of wonderful Paris Store suits, with the addition of many special purchases.

The selling will continue Tuesday, and as much longer as there are half-price suits to be closed out. Our opinion is, however, that the sale will be over by Tuesday night. Such values as these will be snapped up quickly.

$19.50 Suits, $ 9.75
$25.00 Suits, $12.50
$29.50 Suits, $14.75
$32.50 Suits, $16.25
$37.50 Suits, $18.75
$42.50 Suits, $21.25
$49.50 Suits, $24.75
$55.00 Suits, $27.50
$65.00 Suits, $32.50
$75.00 Suits, $37.50
$85.00 Suits, $42.50

Nearly every good material is represented in this sale and there are all sizes for misses and women. Smart models in broadcloth, plain or checked velour, gabardine, serge, chiffon velvet, kitten's ear cloth, duvetyne, suede cloth and Vicuna velour. Many are exact copies of high priced originals, novelty styles, Norfolk and Empire models, belted and fitted-at-the-waist models. Colors are the winter's most fashionable, such as plum, Burgundy, green, seal brown, navy, mustard and black. Collars, cuffs, bandings and trimmings of Hudson seal, moleskin, skunk, opossum, raccoon, beaver and Kolinsky. And there are plain styles for the women who want to wear their own separate furs.

This sale usually does not come until after Christmas, but this year we can supply all your holiday suit wants at half what you expected to pay.

The Paris CLOAK & SUIT HOUSE 607-611 So. Broadway

Coats

The Reduction Spirit Has Brought 200 Fine Styles Down to $13.50, $16.50 and $19.75

These are rich Bolivia, kitten's ear velours, plain or checked wool velours and dyed chinchillas, mixtures, bouclettes, broadcloths and Zeruvian cloths, made especially for us from selected materials and fur trimmings. Burgundy, plum, mustard, green, brown, navy and black are the colors and they are full, loose flaring models.

$4,000,000 Saving.

SANDALS ARE REPLACING MILADY'S DEAR BOOTS.

FOUR million dollars saving in one year in the shoe bills of Los Angeles women is the ultimate possibility represented by nifty and wholly comfortable Grecian sandals that nowadays adorn the feet of Miss Vivian Haynes and other Southern California society women. In this day when $25 boots have become everyday shoes, there is a serious movement afoot to discard from the styles dictated in the East, and to wear abroad the "comfy" sandals now very common in homes and kitchen.

According to comparatively accurate estimates made last year, the women's shoes sold for $10 a pair or more in this city alone spent more than $3,000,000 for her footwear. But now eastern dispatches have brought the information that no longer a woman's shoe can now be made to sell for less than $25 and $30 a pair. Leather of all kinds has become exceedingly scarce and the prices have soared out of sight, and there is said to be no relief in sight, because the warring European countries have contracted for the South American supply, which formerly furnished this country with shoe leather.

Not with any thought of economy, but women of the motion-picture colony some time ago adopted for street Grecian sandals, and found them so becoming and so comfortable that $15 and $20 shoes were speedily shoved.

Then other women seeking grace and beauty and comfort in their footwear began to don Grecian sandals in the house. But when the news was flashed broadcast that women's shoes were to sell at prohibitive prices this year, they said why not wear these shoes on the street? Why pay $25 when we can appear in something much more beautiful and much more comfortable and pay only $2.50 or $3 a pair, at the most?

If such a style should be generally adopted, it is said, it would be a godsend to the less fortunate women, who can ill afford to pay even $5 or $6 a pair for their boots. When they pay $25 it is evident they must suffer, for the difference in the price of their shoes they must take from necessities.

Besides the 150,000 women in Los Angeles affected by the high cost of shoes, there are about 200,000 children.

In California there are no snows and no bitter cold to nip my lady's toes. On the other hand, the votaries of the sandal declare, there is every inducement to cure corns, give the feet a fair chance and woo health from the sole up.

Economy.

WOMAN'S WIT WINS.

Clever Bachelor Girl Sells Goose Grease to Provide a Spread on Thanksgiving for Herself and Four Friends; has Twenty-three Cents Left.

Miss Lloyd Garrison, bachelor girl and artist, handed the high cost of living bugaboo a swat Thanksgiving Day and proved that even a girl can earn a good dinner when put to it.

Miss Garrison had four friends, who felt they could not afford a turkey at 40 cents a pound, but were willing to put in $1 each for the dinner. Miss Garrison could not afford even $1, she said, but would provide a bountiful meal. Here is how she cast up the account, purchasing the fowl through a restaurant man and getting the benefit of the wholesale price:

Four diners	$4.00	10-lb. goose at 25c	$2.50
Goose grease	.50	Soup (canned)	.15
		Celery	.05
		Sweet potatoes	.15
		Stuffing	.15
		Cranberries	.15
		Salad	.25
		Cheese	.20
		Plum pudding	.50
		Mince pie	.25
		Coffee, buns, etc.	.25
		Wine	.75
Total	$4.50	Total	$4.75
Balance, 25 cents.			

The goose grease was sold to the corner druggist for medicinal purposes. In addition to securing an excellent dinner for herself and 12 cents in cash, Miss Garrison had remaining sufficient food to make two luncheons.

WHEN IT PAYS TO BE UGLY.

Use of Carmine and Rouge is Multiplied by Five Because of War.

"Heavens, Mabel, isn't it dreadful!"

"What?"

"Why, the high cost of beauty!"

The Chicago Retail Druggists' Association has just announced that carmine, used to make the lips of feminine ... more tempting, and rouge ... makes the sallow cheeks to ... as the rose, has been ... to five times the ... for which it sold three ... ago. This is "on account of the war."



"—— the cheapest cuts of beef."

Legal.

BONDS IN DOUBT.

Contractor Refuses to Begin Work on Drainage System Until the Validity of Rominger-act Issue is Determined; Court Writ Sought.

After signing a $92,000 contract for the Signal Hill drainage system, in Los Angeles County Drainage District No. 1, Contractor Kennedy refused to go on with the contract until the validity of the bonds to cover the expenses of construction had been passed on by the courts.

The contract was let under the Rominger act. In order to ascertain if the bonds are salable, a Supreme Court decision will be necessary. Deputy County Counsel Haas will go to Sacramento this week to learn if a writ of mandate will lie. The Supreme Court has never passed on this question, and as there are three additional districts contemplating work under the act, it is important to determine the validity of the bonds.

Ordinance Proposed.

FOR HEALTH CONTROL OF PUBLIC EATING PLACES.

ALL public eating places are to be regulated by the Health Commissioner, if an ordinance he proposed to the Council yesterday is approved. The Health and Sanitation Committee will examine it before action is taken.

It is planned that permits shall be required for restaurants, hotels, cafés and boarding-houses and also cafeterias, lunch stands, delicatessen places, soda fountain establishments and all other places where food and drink are sold.

The proposed ordinance makes it a misdemeanor to offer for sale any unwholesome, impure, unclean, corrupted or adulterated food or drink, or to serve any "comebacks" or anything which has been returned from a table except unbroken slices of bread, unbroken rolls, muffins, crackers and portions of French bread, potatoes in unbroken skins and a few other things. No butter once returned can be used for any purpose other than cooking.

Every floor of every dining-room must be clean and tight and every eating place, including lunch stands, must have toilet facilities, if this ordinance goes through. All table linen, tableware and utensils are to be sterilized and no dog, live rabbit or any other animal will be permitted in any room or enclosure in which there is food. The provisions of the ordinance will not apply to saloons.

Distribution.

BUY A CHRISTMAS SEAL TO AID THE RED CROSS.

DISTRIBUTION of more than 1,300,000 Red Cross seals, this city's share of the 500,000,000 Christmas seals to be sold in the United States to aid the fight against the white plague, will start in Los Angeles this week. These little seals, which designate the insignia of one of the largest organizations in the world, an organization composed of citizens, will be placed on sale in almost every store in the city where they may be purchased for the price of 1 cent.

The purchaser of the stamp soon forgets the expenditure and, sticking it on a Christmas parcel or letter, thinks, perhaps, for an instant, of the meaning of the unneeded stamp and then forgets in the whirls of Yuletide. But the cent expended has just begun its long journey, acting in accord with other such tiny units in swelling the fund that is constantly in use in fighting the battle of the world against consumption.

Last year more than $3,000,000 was received from the sale of these stamps. An added sum of thousands of dollars was received by the officers of the American Red Cross Society from memberships in the organization. Yet even this great sum dwindled rapidly as it was thrown into the trenches in the effort to stop the onrush of the dread disease.

But it did its part, and this year the society reports a large and favorable development of the work, with the opening of new outdoor schools and the erection of sanatoriums.

Nearly 1500 anti-tuberculosis associations are now enrolled as allies of the American Red Cross Society in all sections of the country. The State of California, as well as Los Angeles county and city, have joined the local branch of the society in the fight here. Miss Sydney Maguire, secretary of the Los Angeles branch of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis is conducting the campaign for aid through the purchase of stamps here. With her at her offices at 111 Normal Hill Center, will be associated Miss Margaret Scott, local secretary of the American Red Cross Society.

WAR'S GRIM TOLL.

Local Hotel Assistant Manager Loses Relatives at Front.

H. W. Wills, one of the assistant managers of the Alexandria, yesterday received a cablegram from England announcing the death last Wednesday of his brother, Ernest Jerrard Wills, son-in-law of Sir Robert Cadenhead of Kent.

Within the past two months Mr. Wills has received three cablegrams from England, each announcing the death of a member of his family. During the fighting along the Somme in the recent allied offensive Harold Lindley Wills, a nephew, was killed in the trenches. A few weeks later news was received that another nephew, Eric Fitzwalter Wills, had been horribly mangled and subsequently died, as the result of helping capture a mined trench.

The father of the two boys, according to the cablegram, weakened by grieving over the loss of his sons, failed to rally from a cold.

HANDIWORK ATTRACTS.

Craft Study Club's Annual Exhibit Wins Gratifying Success.

The second annual exhibit of handiwork by members of the Craft Study Club was held yesterday at the Clark and attracted considerable attention. Mrs. I. de la Monte, president of the club, superintended the exhibit.

Fifteen members of the club entered exhibits, making a display much larger than that of last year. Most of the exhibits consisted of art metal and leather work, hand-made textiles and jewelry. There were also several noticeable pottery exhibits.

MAKE MONEY OUT OF EGYPTIAN CORN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

TULARE, Dec. 3.—Tulare county's banner Egyptian corn crop is awaiting shipment from here under contract to brokers in San Francisco. Forty thousand sacks of the grain, representing the output of this section, by far the largest in the history of this district, will be sold at an average price of $40 per ton.

Kidney Disorder

(By Dr. L. C. Babcock.)

Simple methods are usually the most effective ones when treating any disorder of the human system. The mere drinking a cup of hot water each morning, plenty of pure water all day, and a little Anuric before every meal has been found the most effective means of overcoming kidney trouble. Death would occur if the kidneys did not work day and night in separating poisons and uric acid from the blood.

The danger signals are backache, depressions, aches, pains, heaviness, drowsiness, irritability, headaches, chilliness, rheumatic twinges, swollen joints, gout.

It is such a simple matter to step into your favorite drug store and obtain Anuric, which was first discovered by Dr. Pierce, of the Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. Every druggist dispenses it.

All people in America and especially those who are past middle age are prone to eat too much meat and in consequence deposit uric acid (uratic salts) in their tissues and joints. They often suffer from twinges of rheumatism or lumbago, sometimes from gout, swollen hands or feet. Such people are not always able to exercise sufficiently in the outdoor air in order to sweat freely and excrete impurities through the skin. Anuric will overcome such conditions as rheumatism, dropsical, swellings, cold extremities, scalding and burning urine and sleeplessness due to constant need of getting out of bed at night, by carrying off the uric acid poison.

To Keep Your Skin Free From Hairs

(Beauty Topics)

If you are willing to spend a few minutes time in your room using a delatone paste, you can easily banish any ugly, hairy growth without discomfort or injury. The paste is made by mixing some water with a little powdered delatone. This is then spread over the hairy surface and after about two minutes rubbed off and the skin washed. You will not be disappointed with this treatment, providing you get real delatone.

Try This If You Have Dandruff

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and four ounces is all you will need. This simple remedy has never been known to fail.

TODAY'S BEAUTY TALK.

You can make a delightful shampoo with very little effort and for a very trifling cost, if you get from your druggist a package of canthrox and dissolve a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water. Your shampoo is now ready. Just pour a little at a time on the scalp and rub briskly. This creates an abundance of thick, white lather that thoroughly dissolves and removes the dandruff, excess oil and dirt. After rinsing, the hair dries quickly, with a fluffiness that makes it seem heavier than it is, and takes on a rich luster and a softness that makes arranging it a pleasure.

DR. G. E. HILL
DENTIST

Graduate Royal College Dental Surgeons, Toronto, Canada. Specialist in Crown and Bridge work and extracting. High class work at reasonable prices. Rooms 1 to 4, 6 ... 611 Baker-Detweiler Bldg. Phone Main 6667



One Thousand Pretty Bath Robes

In a Big Sale—Prices Remarkably Low

$2.50 $2.95 $3.50 $3.95

Hale's 341-343-345 Broadway

These bath robes were bought at a very special price—in fact, at a price so low that we are able to sell the made-up bath robe at very little more than the regular retail price of the materials. They are comfortably big and warm—in Navajo, floral and plaid patterns in every color. Made of fine heavy blanket robings finished with silk trimmings and cords. Prices range—$2.50, $2.95, $3.50 and $3.95. Hale's—third floor.

Beacon Robe Flannels New Designs 40c Yard

A big new shipment of bathrobe flannels has just arrived and they will go on sale Monday. A variety of the beautiful patterns and colors that are to be had only in this grade. The price—40c a yard. We have cords and frogs to match if you desire them. Hale's—Fourth Floor.

Beacon Robe Blankets $2.95

The famous Beacon bath robe blankets—each one large enough to make a robe for the largest person. Frogs and cords are included. There's a variety of patterns, including conventional and Indian effects, every color that is in demand. Wonderful values at $2.95. Hale's—Fourth Floor.

Silk Blouses $3.45

Values Up to $5.95

Handsome waists of crepe de chine and Georgette crepe and others of nets. In white, flesh color, ivory, blue, rose, and black. All sizes. Many of them are actually worth $5.95. Your choice of the lot Monday for $3.45. Hale's—Third Floor.



Smart New White Waists $1.00

Waists that possess snappy style and modishness—in fact they are exact copies of blouses that were designed to sell for $2.00 and $2.50. Dainty voile and barred marquisette waists with big collars and cuffs, some pleated effects and a score of other styles. All sizes. They are nothing short of wonderful at this price—$1.00. Hale's—Third Floor.

Silk Negligees and Silk Underwear for Christmas Gifts

As a Christmas gift the exquisite daintiness of this silk underwear will charm. Some of the garments are elaborately trimmed with laces and embroideries, also very Frenchy garments simply adorned with hemstitching. Made of crepe de chine or washable satin in pink or white.

Silk Camisoles at.....$1.00 to $2.75
Silk Bloomers at.....$2.75 to $4.00
Silk Petticoats.....$3.95 to $7.50
Envelope Chemises.....$2.45 to $5.95
Silk Nightgowns.....$4.50 to $7.95

Hale's—third floor.

Warner's Dancing Corset $1.50

This corset is made of pink brocade with an elastic top and free hip. A corset that allows freedom with every motion. The price is $1.50. We also carry a complete line of Warner's corsets ranging in price from $1.00 to $3.50.

Hale's—third floor.

$1.75 Satin Striped Taffetas $1.19

Pure silk taffetas, white and colored grounds with satin stripes. 36 inches wide. Worth $1.75. Sale price Monday—$1.19 a yard.

—Regular $1.50 serges in black and navy blue, 54 inches wide, strong and firmly woven. The yd... $1.25
—All wool serges, worth $1.00. Black and the colors that are in demand. Sale price, the yd..... 79c
—Black broadcloth with a rich satin finish, 54 inches wide and worth $3.00. Special, the yd..... $2.25

$2.50 Switches for 79c Of Human Hair

Three strand switches of human hair, 20 inches long. Worth $2.50. Special Monday—79c each.
$4.50 Switches, three strands, 26 inches long for $2.25.
$8.50 Switches, three strands, 28 inches long for $2.98.
$12.50 switches, 36 inches long, of first quality French hair. There are some gray switches in this lot at.....$4.98
We have some doll wigs made from real human hair that we are offering at very special prices.

50c Table Damask, 9 to 10, 39c yd.

Extra heavy satin finished table damask 58 inches wide. The designs are excellent. Worth 50c. Monday 9 to 10 a. m., just 39c a yard.

17½c Bath Towels, 9 to 10, 11c

White Turkish bath towels measuring 17x41 inches. 17½ regularly. Monday 9 to 10 a. m.—11c each. Limit, 6 to a customer.

Hale's—fourth floor.

$1.00 House Dresses Monday, 9 to 10 A.M....49c

House dresses for women, sizes 34 to 42. Made of striped and checked percales in fast colors, light and dark shades. They're worth $1.00. Monday 9 to 10 a. m., just 49c each. No telephone or mail orders and none sold to dealers.

—Hale's third floor.

Children's Dresses Regularly 75c to $1.00..39c

Wash dresses for little tots of 2 to 6 yrs. Made of plaid and checked ginghams that are fast color. Dresses that are new and perfect, 75c to $1.00 values. Monday 9 to 10 a. m.—39c.

Hale's—third floor.

25c Black Bloomers 10c

Black percaline bloomers for children of 6 to 12 yrs., 25c regularly. Monday 9 to 10 a. m.—10c. No telephone or mail orders and none sold to dealers.

Hale's—third floor.

36 in. Wash Silks Monday, 9 to 10 A.M 25c

Plain and novelty wash silks in all colors as well as black and white. 36 inches wide. Worth considerably more. Monday 9 to 10 a. m.—25c yd. Limit, 10 yds. to a customer. No telephone or mail orders.

Hale's—main floor.

Plaid Dress Goods 25c

Kiltie plaid dress goods in bright colors. Monday from 9 to 10 a.m. only—25c yard. Limit, 10 yards to a purchase. No telephone or mail orders and none sold C.O.D.

Hale's—main floor.

60c Congoleum Monday, 9 to 10 A.M...39c

Congoleum is an excellent substitute for linoleum and much less expensive. Several good patterns. The usual 60c grade. Because of slight irregularities in the print we offer it at 39c sq. yd. Monday, 9 to 10 a.m.

Hale's—fourth floor.

Woolnap Blankets $1.75

White woolnap blankets in full double bed size. Worth $2.75. Monday 9 to 10 a. m.—$1.75 pair. Limit, 2 pairs to a customer.

Hale's 341-343-345 Broadway

Beautiful silk negligees that are wonderfully luxurious. They are made of crepe de chine in every color that is popular, some set off with rich laces, others trimmed in many different ways. Here you'll find gifts that you'll be proud to give. Prices range—$3.50, $4.95, $5.95, $6.50, $7.50 and on up to $25.00.

Hale's—third floor.

White Wool Blankets $3.98

Part wool white blankets with pink or blue borders and wide ribbon binding. 48x80 inch size. Sale price..... $3.98
70x82 inch white wool blankets of a fine quality with pink or blue borders, the pair..... $6.00
White, gray or tan woolnap blankets and some in plaid patterns. Size 66x80 inches. The pair..... $2.95

Hale's—fourth floor.

Fine Wool Batts for $2.00

2 lb. wool comfort batts—big enough for the largest comforts. Our special price—$2.00.
Best quality yard wide silkoline for comforts—15c yard.

Fine Linen Huck Toweling

Plain and figured huck toweling in a fine grade for Christmas guest towels. The 16 inch width is worth 45c; Monday's price 34c yard. The 18-inch width is worth 75c; Monday's price 59c.

$2.25 Bedspreads for $1.85

Extra heavy white crochet bedspreads, large size. Splendid patterns. Spreads worth $2.25, sale price Monday—$1.85.

Hale's—fourth floor.

Things to Give for Christmas

Men's leather collar bags, 50c to $3.00.
Rosary chains, beads in various colors, $1.00.
Sterling silver thimbles at 25c each.
Diamond set la vallieres, 14K gold chain, $7.50 to $12.00.
Solid gold rings for the baby, 50c each.
Heavy filled pearl necklaces, at 50c each.
18 to 84-inch strings of pearl beads $1.00 to $8.00.
Also glass table novelties set in silver holders or ornamented with sterling silver deposit. Mustard jars, oil and vinegar cruets, lemon plates, butter tubs, bud vases, three bottle casters, sugar and cream sets, horseradish bottles, salt and pepper sets—59c each is the price.

Samples Curtain Net 10c Each

Yard lengths of fine curtain nets in white and ecru. Hundreds of them to select from. Worth many times the price. On sale from 9 to 10 a. m. Monday, just 10c each.

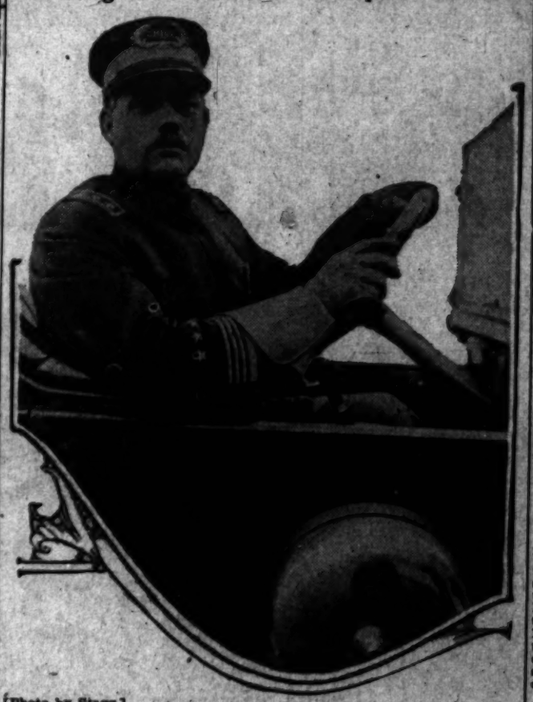
Hale's—fourth floor.

12½c Ginghams, 9 to 10, 8 1-3c

Plaid, striped and checked ginghams in all colors. 27 inches wide. An excellent quality worth 12½c. On sale from 9 to 10 a. m. Monday at 8⅓c a yard.

Hale's—fourth floor.

Making Over Our Municipal Guards.



[Photo by Stagg.]

J. L. Butler, Chief of Police,

Whose reorganization of the department has begun to bear fruit.

Far-reaching.

CHANGES CUTTING DEEP IN POLICE DEPARTMENT.

New Chief's "Business Administration" Replaces Art Objects with Filing Cases, Alters System of Handling Complaints, Enforces Courtesy, Establishes School for Officers and Reorganizes Departments.

WHEN Police Lieutenant J. L. Butler became a candidate for the position of Chief of Police a little over two months ago he wrote a thesis on "What I Would Do as Chief of Police," and submitted it to Mayor Woodman. His appointment followed. Chief Butler was told to put his theories into practice. The motto he set up was "A business administration." Now, after two months, one may begin to get an insight into the working out of these plans.

As head of the traffic bureau of the city, Chief Butler made a national reputation among police officials, working out and adapting plans to facilitate traffic, prevent accidents and avoid congestion in the downtown streets. He worked for the benefit of both pedestrians and motorists, and his detail work was as near perfect as has been reached in this field. This is one of the most crowded cities, from the point of view of the traffic bureau, in the United States, and as the season lasts twelve months in the year, the work of the traffic head was worthy of commendation.

When Chief Butler assumed his present office he applied the same rules that made his traffic work a success. He found the Chief's office more like the studio of an erratic artist than the business office of the Police Department of the largest city in the West. Japanese works of art, photographs, great silken flags, souvenirs of famous cases, vases for flowers, ornaments, etc., were much in evidence. One of the first orders of the new occupant of the office resulted in denuding the walls and tables of everything that was not needed. Filing cases took the place of art objects.

BUREAU OF COMPLAINTS.

Chief Butler found two conditions that needed immediate attention. One was a broader handling of complaints in the Chief's office and the other was a different mode of directing the work of the detective bureau. The first condition was met by establishing a bureau to hear all complaints regarding violations of city ordinances. This bureau is in charge of an officer, night and day, who has a good knowledge of the city ordinances and can, without delay, tell the complaining persons whether they should visit the City Prosecutor or remedy certain conditions under their own control. Heretofore, the visitors to the Police Station have had great difficulty in getting proper information from the police, or from anyone connected with Central Station. Under the new system they have their questions answered at once and in an intelligent manner.

The detective bureau presented more difficulties. But these were met by installing former Assistant Chief of Police George Home in the detective bureau to co-operate with Capt. Paul Flammer, in charge. Each detective was instructed to make out a daily report on every case assigned to him, thus permitting the head of the department to keep a close watch on each case and eliminate a possibility of graft and miscarriage of justice.

The greatest fault was at the counter, where lost persons, thefts, missing relatives, lost articles and other complaints are reported to the detectives. More trouble started over the counter of this department than in all the remainder of the police department combined. Persons who reported missing relatives, stolen automobiles, watches or other valuables, were frequently the recipients of gratuitous insults from "bone-headed" policemen. Chief Butler says he will remedy this condition, placing only men of good manners in charge of the desk, and will see that all complaints receive immediate attention, instead of being filed in books that never again see the light of day.

SCHOOL FOR POLICEMEN.

Police officers are chosen more for their physical ability than their astuteness and as a result many men have secured places on the force who can hardly read and write. Their knowledge of police work is limited, and, although they mean well, they have little knowledge of the laws they are supposed to enforce. Frequent tragedies and serious blunders have resulted from the inability of the officers to distinguish between their duty and the rights of the public that employs them. Brutality and stupidity went hand in hand and the public never received much consideration for its complaints. There was a growing sentiment that the police force of this city needed wholesale cleaning up. To meet this serious state of affairs and at the same time, not demoralize the force, Chief Butler has established a school for policemen and placed Lieut. Lee Heath in charge. Now the policemen are to be given a daily drill in their duties and the rights of others.

MUST BE COURTEOUS.

Brutality, violent language and ungentlemanly conduct among the officers receives the direct attention of the Chief. Almost the first week of Chief Butler's term saw him handing out discipline. A policeman had an argument with a detective and applied a number of ugly epithets. The men were called before the Chief, the officer entered no denial of the charge and was fined three days' pay with a promise of suspension for a second offense. This one item of discipline and punishment brought the entire force up standing, and there was a noticeable decline in loud and angry bickering in the stations.

The sore spots in every big city are the vice dens, gambling resorts and other evil places. Gamblers in this city for years have openly defied the law, retained expensive counsel and gone on with their games, fleecing the public at will. Sergt. Tom O'Brien was placed in charge of the Metropolitan Squad, greatly increased in strength, and told to get busy. He has the gamblers on the run. Nothing appears too hard for him to do to catch the "hard ones" and break up their "places of vice. His squad is doing good work. In addition to the white gamblers, the Chinese lottery kings are feeling the sting of frequent raids. These sly gamblers declare they cannot be driven out of business, but Sergt. O'Brien says they can, and is showing them how it is done.

NO MORE "FIXING."

Memories of his traffic days never over the Chief's office and one of his earliest acts was to stop the practice of "fixing" speed cases and other violations of the law. Men who knew certain city officials or had other influence would ignore the speed laws and when arrested escape paying the penalty by appealing to "influence." Chief Butler stopped this practice overnight. He is demanding bigger fines for those who imperil the lives of the pedestrians and is getting more action than was believed possible. If you are arrested you stand trial. Public Defender Pope and the Chief work together. The latter is always ready to assist in worthy cases and with the help of the Public Defender, is helping many men and women into better lives.

One of the things Chief Butler accomplished was the separation of the property clerk's office from that of the desk sergeant. This is looked on as a doughtful step by some of those in close touch with the situation. Property Clerk William Matsukiwa has brought his office up to a high standard of efficiency. He handles a great fortune every year, the property of prisoners, stolen goods, found articles and bail. It runs into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. Heretofore, the property clerk had charge of the desk sergeant's department, the place where all prisoners are received and booked. This combination saved the city a large sum of money each year, the salaries of several men.

Taken altogether, it is considered that the new Chief of Police has made a long forward stride in placing the police force on a semimilitary and strictly business basis. The change in the department is discernable to the casual visitor at the prison. The "business administration" appears to be meeting with results and those who are watching the new Chief predict he is on the high road to success and is making good on the job.

Classified Real Estate

advertisements in the Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturday. Changes must be in, etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturday.

Deep Stuff.

TO WHET WITS OF POLICEMEN

They Have to Go to School and no Joke About It.

Wags Have a Gay Day Now but Their Time is Coming.

Jiu-jitsu and Law Linked in Brain-food Course.

The small boy has his revenge. The policemen must go to school. The big fellows, who are to the city's free streets what the teacher is to the domain of desks and dullness, are going to get some of their own medicine. But instead of a schoolma'am, angular or alluring, austere or angelic, the city's finest will face big, genial, but insistent, Lee Heath, and instead of the time-honored "three R's" they will wrestle with elementary law, first aid and the science of quickly and effectively making a bad man good.

They are having a lot of fun about at the police stations. Some have proposed "Baby" Whalen, who is supposed to tip the beam at something less than 300 pounds, for teacher's pet. The wags say Lee Heath is collecting "sap-sticks" in the interest of peace and industry. It is whispered the boys are going to learn just why it is unethical to discover a foaming breaker of something wet just outside the back door of a liquor emporium.

But, when the jokers have quit busy there is a sort of serious air about police headquarters. Some of the men's memory of school is not mirth-provoking. And they know Chief Butler is going to send them to school in real earnest.

In the first place the Chief believes the training to be given by Judge White's old courtroom at Central Station is going to make from 35 to 50 per cent. more efficient. Having a man's activities in "pounding" a beat and rounding up delinquent citizens figured out on an arithmetical basis smacks of hard work and hence, tedium. Another of the Chief's theories is that the members of the department will find their studies full of lively interest, and that, along with imparting the contents of the criminal code they will discover a new zest and interest in their every-day work.

The curriculum, at the start, will include study of the laws relating to the subpoenaing of witnesses and testifying in court; when to arrest on a misdemeanor charge and when not; when an officer may use force to enter a house and when he may not, and other fundamental things he encounters from day to day. Moreover, time will be devoted to first-aid methods and ambulance service, to jiu-jitsu, to regulation of traffic and to operation of motorcycles. "I believe," the Chief said yesterday, "that 1 or 2 per cent of the money expended in this department may safely be put into the school. We shall require each officer to spend a certain number of hours at study and give examinations to see that he understands what he has learned.

"The school will be modeled more or less after that of the New York police department. There they put a young man who has passed the civil service tests a certain number of hours schooling each day, and he has taken the prescribed course.

"I know the work will be of immense benefit to the force, and it will make the policemen better both as individuals and as officers. It will give them a broader understanding of men and conditions.

But, if it so be there is a policeman whose brains are in his heels the Chief gives notice the worst is yet to come. Three or four years from now, if the school proves a success, the department of higher education will be installed, and the men will go up against such things as perspective, physiology, character research and related phases of the business of knowing one's fellow-man scientifically.

But just now a Los Angeles factory is busy with an order for some furniture of strange and elaborate dimensions.

Foregathering.

LANDMARKS CLUB FORCES REVIEW NOTABLE WORK.

Worthy Labors Now in Progress for Restoration of Mission San Fernando, La Purisima and San Juan Capistrano are Outlined by President Lummis and Others—Officers Retained.

ON THE two hundred and third anniversary of the birth of the great apostle of California, Junipero Serra, the annual meeting of the Landmarks' Club of California, Inc., was held at the home of Charles F. Lummis, founder and still president of the organization—the first in America to be incorporated to care for the heroic history and romance of the Southwest, and the only one whose actual work of preservation has saved so many historic monuments. Present were many representative men and women. The reports of past and present activities of the club, not in mere "resolutting" or "marking" historic landmarks, but in actually saving them, were greeted with applause.

In his annual address, President Lummis said, in part:

"Twenty-one years ago the Landmarks Club was incorporated under the laws of California. Its aim then, as now, was 'to save for our children and the world the historic landmarks of California.' It was the first organization in America for this purpose. For a long time it was lonely. Later, its ideals and its achievements led other States to undertake similar patriotic labors—partly as a result of the pioneer work of the Landmarks Club of California. Some of the founders of the Landmarks Club have been influential in securing the national action by Congress and other departments of the government in protecting our national parks, our forest reserves, our national monuments, etc. Today a large number of the States of the Union have similar organizations, many of which have appropriated the original 'landmarks' name; and there are few women's clubs in the Southwest without a 'landmarks' section.

PIONEER LABORS.

"The credit of the very first work in this line should be given to Miss Tessa L. Kelso, at that time librarian of the Los Angeles library, who in about 1892 enlisted a number of earnest women and raised some $200 to repair the missions. For various reasons, this association achieved nothing beyond the raising of money. This they turned over to the Landmarks Club upon its organization, and this corporation expended this sum according to the wishes of those who had raised it.

"The Landmarks Club has been a very quiet, but very efficient agency. It was not only first in the field of preserving the historic monuments; it has also been most effective. It has had nothing to do with politics or with public moneys, or much to do with publicity. Its revenues have been secured from individuals by correspondence, and have been strictly applied. It has paid no salaries or had any 'rake off.' None of its officials have ever feathered their nests by the growing interest in the missions.

"The Landmarks Club has counted it no responsible trusteeship from the first as involving not only zeal but competency. It has felt that whatever repairs were to be made must be made with absolute regard to historical and architectural accuracy. It has stood invariably by this creed throughout its history; and neither artist nor architect nor historian has ever yet successfully criticised any work of restoration or repair done by the Landmarks Club."

FOR THE NEGLECTED.

"The missions still used as temples of worship by the Catholic Church are, of course, largely cared for by it. It is the deserted missions of Southern California to which the Landmarks Club has paid particular attention—San Diego, the mother mission; Pala, San Juan Capistrano and San Fernando. These, having no longer congregations, were falling rapidly to total ruin. Nothing would be left today of any of them if it had not been for the work of the Landmarks Club a generation ago. The Landmarks Club has also contributed largely to the rehabilitation of the Mission San Luis Rey and of the old Pio Pico mansion near Whittier. It saved the historic plaza of Los Angeles from being covered by a city market many years ago, and kept on the map a large number of street names of this city. But at the missions under its trusteeship it has done a very large work. As was said before, nothing would be left at San Diego, Pala, San Juan Capistrano or San Fernando but for the work of this club. This work has been financed by people all over the United States, mostly in dollar memberships, though many have paid the life membership fee.

"In this time the Landmarks Club has reroofed more than an acre and a half of mission buildings, saved more than half a mile of adobe walls and conducted many other activities, without much noise.

PRESENT WORK.

"It has just completed over $1000 worth of work at San Juan Capistrano (where it had already reroofed every building standing, at an expense of several thousand dollars.) It is now actively at work in making such repairs to the old church at San Fernando—the largest adobe church in the Southwest—that within forty-five days this great structure will be in condition to stand for many centuries. And except for the work of the Landmarks Club this great building would be mere mounds of adobe within five years—as it would have been now except for the club's work in 1897, which preserved it for the present complete restoration.

"An example of the methods of the Landmarks Club may be taken from this same Mission San Fernando. The urgent need of further repairs became evident and the club undertook the necessary safeguarding. Miss Lucretia del Valle, leading lady of the "Mission Play," was made executive chairman, and with her zeal, her faith and her genius for interesting others, she carried through what was probably the most extraordinary 'benefit' ever held in California. Nearly 7000 people were present August 6, 1916, the one hundred and forty-seventh anniversary of the discovery of the valley by Europeans. Catholics, Episcopalians, Baptists, Jews and people of all creeds were on the programme; and the interest and attention that marked the day were noted by those who have seen the most important functions of the various States of the Union.

"This was the sentimental side. From the business side we believe the record is very notable. 'Benefits' generally swallow up from 50 to 100 per cent. of the income. A recent colossal production of 'Julius Caesar' for the benefit of the Actors' Fund took in $24,000 and yielded the actors $2000—an expense of over 90 per cent.

"The total expenses of San Fernando 'Candle Day' under the administration of the Landmarks Club were less than 6 per cent. of the gross receipts. As net result of Miss Del Valle's 'Candle Day' campaign the Landmarks Club deposited in its treasury the sum of $3427.31. Further contributions, though delayed, will be accredited to the same cause.

UNIQUE PURPOSE.

"The Landmarks Club is not only the first, but the only organization which has ever done actual work in saving the historic monuments of Southern California. It is still the only corporation in the West devoted to such work. It is the only organization of any sort which undertakes such work even today (when its example has led many amateurs to imitation) which does its work in the strict light of history and architecture and engineering under the most competent authorities in each.

"When the Landmarks Club began, twenty-one years ago, its worst enemy was general indifference. Today that is its least handicap. Now, everybody is interested in the missions. What we have to face now is chiefly the self-seekers who wish to secure prominence by pretending to cater to something which appeals to universal sentiment; and next to that, the pious zeal of those who look upon its missions not as monuments but as buildings.

"With the most earnest respect, I am willing to be quoted anywhere as saying that the neighbors who have stolen the tiles and the adobes, and have helped to wreck the missions, have not committed any more serious vandalism than the God-fearing who have 'restored' some of these missions to such a point that Junipero Serra would throw up his hands if he could be brought back to see them. Such restorations as those at San Luis Obispo, San Buena Ventura and San Gabriel would give cold shivers to the real architects who built what were once noble pieces of architecture, but are now as much botched as modern materialism can botch them.

"The work at San Fernando will occupy the fullest activities of the club, and most of the sinews of war that it can string, for the next three or four months—for we shall have to pay for some of this work after it is done.

PURISIMA NEXT.

"But we are only beginning. The club has been given title to the beautiful Mission La Purisima, on condition that it expend $1500 in repairs before October 1, 1917. We have already made a reasonable beginning; but there is a large contract to fulfill on this extraordinarily beautiful landmark—and the time is not very long.

"The people of San Diego, in spite of their wonderful work on their exposition, are planning to restore in its entirety the first mission on the West Coast of the United States. Theirs is the first cloister to apply for a charter under the Landmarks Club, which expects to have local cloisters at each important center concerned in a mission.

"The Landmarks Club is also working in direct co-operation with the State Humane Society—feeling that the native birds are also part of the landmarks of California—and with every other body which recognizes our filial duty to this great State; the Native Sons and Native Daughters of the Golden West, the pioneer societies, the architects and engineers, through the local chapters of their national organizations, and so on."

REPORTS HEARD.

Samuel Storrow, engineer of the Landmarks Club, reported on the $5000 work of repair now in progress on the great adobe church at San Fernando Mission—the largest adobe church and the largest mission in all the Southwest.

The venerable Archbishop Gillow of Antiquera and Oaxaca spoke eloquently of the work he is doing on the huge monastery at San Fernando—by far the largest historic building in California.

Father St. John O'Sullivan, resident priest of the Mission San Juan Capistrano, told how he had been able to supplement the extensive work of the Landmarks Club, and of his dream to restore the original adobe church built by Junipero Serra there in the year of the American Independence—the oldest church still standing in California, and the oldest surviving building in which Serra said mass. While the Landmarks Club is overwhelmingly non-Catholic and totally non-sectarian, Father O'Sullivan's crusade to bring Serra's church back to its own was unanimously indorsed.

By unanimous vote, Samuel Storrow was elected a vice-president of the club, and the three directors whose terms had expired were re-elected—John Steven McGroarty, Charles Cassat Davis and Rev. St. John O'Sullivan.

The present officers are: President, Charles F. Lummis; vice-presidents, James D. Phelan, Frank A. Miller, R. F. del Valle, Samuel Storrow; treasurer, O. M. Souden, president United States National Bank; secretary, H. C. Peterson; assistant secretary, Gertrude Redit Lummis; directors, Arthur B. Benton, Sumner P. Hunt, H. C. Peterson, Rev. St. John O'Sullivan, R. F. del Valle, O. M. Souden, John S. McGroarty, Charles Cassat Davis and Charles F. Lummis; board of engineers and architects, Samuel Storrow, Sumner P. Hunt and Ernest A. Coxhead.

Economical.

TO REDUCE AWARDS.

President Betkouski Declares Damages Allowed by Board of Public Works for Brooklyn Avenue Improvement Will be Reduced in Some Cases Ninety per cent.

Big reductions will be made by the City Council in awards for damages made by the Board of Public Works in connection with the improvement of Brooklyn avenue from Bridge street to the city limits, President Betkouski stated yesterday after the Council returned from a personal inspection.

Objections were made by other property-holders to the amounts awarded the Los Angeles Cemetery Association, the I. W. Hellman estate and others. President Betkouski said in some cases the awards will be trimmed 90 per cent. He says the Cemetery Association, will be much benefited by the improvement as the surface water on the land will be carried off by the storm drain.

Awards of $400 each to fifteen single lots also will be reduced. Under the present award, said President Betkouski, these lots will be given a fine street in front of them and also $153 net after paying their assessments. He does not consider that fair.

Avoid the Rush.

on Saturday. Make a practice of phoning your Sunday ads. to The Times on Friday, day or night. Collection for the service will be made at your home or office. Main 8200—Home 10084.

Gifted.

FAME'S LAURELS HE

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With a remarkable series of musical triumphs to his credit, Lester Donahue, well-known young pianist returned to this city last Thursday from the East. Mr. Donahue will remain here for about six weeks and will appear as soloist at the Philharmonic concert of the Symphony Orchestra.

He went to New York over a year ago. In the fall of 1915 he made his first appearance in that city in recital and won the praise of both critics and public. Subsequently he played concert programmes in other large eastern cities, as well as giving a number of private musicales at the homes of prominent society people. Just before leaving for Los Angeles he made another recital appearance at Aeolian Hall, and achieved even greater success than on the previous occasion.

Prior to going to Europe to study, Mr. Donahue received his early instruction in piano under the direction of Herr Trutis Becker in this city, and studied with Rudolph Ganz in Berlin until forced to return to this country by the outbreak of the war.

He is now with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Donahue, at No. 482 West Burlington avenue.

SPEAKERS FROM INDIA.

Missionaries in Costume at Brethren Church.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Andrews and their four daughters, who have been missionaries in India for a period of years and who are home on furlough, will have charge of the services this evening in the Brethren Church, No. 234 South Hope street. They will appear in native Indian costumes, and will discuss some manners and customs of India.

Elder Andrews will speak on the obstacles of Hindu thought and social systems in the way of Christianity, and will give incidents in the lives of missionaries and sacrifices on the part of the native converts. His subject will be "India, the Field." One of his daughters will recite, in costume, the poem, "India's Child Widow."

Deep Stuff.

TO WHET WITS OF POLICEMEN.

They Have to Go to School, and no Joke About It.

Wags Have a Gay Day Now but Their Time is Coming.

Jiu-jitsu and Law Linked in Brain-food Course.

The small boy has his revenge. The policemen must go to school. The big fellows, who are to the carefree streets what the teacher is to the domain of desks and dullness, are going to get some of their own medicine. But instead of a schoolma'am, angular or alluring, austere or angelic, the city's finest will face big, genial, but insistent, Lieut. Heath, and instead of the time-honored "three R's" they will wrestle with elementary law, first aid and the science of quickly and effectively making a bad man good.

They are having a lot of fun about at the police stations. They have proposed "Babe" Whalen, who is supposed to tip the beam at something less than 300 pounds, for teacher's pet. The wags say Lieut. Heath is collecting "sap-sticks" in the interest of peace and industry. It is whispered the boys are going to learn just why it is unethical to discover a foaming breaker of something wet just outside the back door of a liquor emporium.

But when the jokers are not busy there is a sort of serious air about police headquarters. Some of the men's memory of school is not mirth-provoking. And they know Chief Butler is going to send them to school in real earnest.

In the first place the Chief believes the training to be given in Judge White's old courtroom at the Central Station is going to make the men 35 to 50 per cent. more efficient. Having a man's activities in "pounding" a beat and rounding up delinquent citizens figured out on an arithmetical basis smacks of hard work and, hence, tedium. But another of the Chief's theories is that the members of the department will find their studies full of lively interest, and that, along with improving the contents of the craniums, they will discover a new zest and interest in their every-day work.

The curriculum, at the start, will include study of the laws relating to the subpoenaing of witnesses in testifying in court; when to arrest on a misdemeanor charge and when not; when an officer may use force to enter a house and when he may not, and other fundamental things he encounters from day to day. Moreover, time will be devoted to first-aid methods and ambulance service, to jiu-jitsu, to regulation of traffic and to operation on riot calls.

"I believe," the Chief said yesterday, "that 1 or 2 per cent. of the money expended in this department may safely be put into the school. We shall require each officer to spend a certain number of hours at study and give examinations to see that he understands what he has heard.

"The school will be modeled more or less after that of the New York police department. There they give a young man who has passed the civil service tests a certain number of hours schooling each day, until he has taken the prescribed course. I know the work will be of immense benefit to the force, and it will make the policemen better, both as individuals and as officers. It will give them a broader understanding of men and conditions."

But, if it so be there is a policeman whose brains are in his boots the Chief gives notice the worst is yet to come. Three or four years from now, if the school prospers, a department of higher education will be installed, and the men will go up against such things as psychology, physiology, character reading and related phases of the business of knowing one's fellow-man scientifically.

But just now a Los Angeles factory is busy with an order for school furniture of strange and giant dimensions.

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December—Christmas 18 Shopping Days Away

—November was the greatest November in our history by far—the Toy selling reached figures previously not thought possible.

—Books and handkerchiefs, art goods and novelties—in addition to the staple lines that showed almost unbelievable increases.

—This shows clearly the tendency of early Christmas shopping, so that if you have not already begun, our advice to you is to begin immediately.

—Long months of preparations have resulted in merchandising preparedness that lifts The Broadway far above the commonplace into the realms of a store of achievement, that has studied well and carefully your needs and provided ample stocks, fairly radiating the Christmas atmosphere.

—A store keyed to the highest pitch of service, as the result of long years of knowing how.

—With an augmented sales force, with the pneumatic tubes and cash registers, and the many, many additional cashiers and wrapping desks.

—With studied convenience in arrangements, that crowds may be quickly handled.

—It has been proved that early morning shopping hours are best.

—Visit the big Toy department on the 6th floor.

—The gift shop on the 2nd floor.
—The enlarged book department in Aisle 8.
—The Christmas Card section in Aisle 6.
—The Branch Postoffice. Aisle 6.
—If in doubt give a Broadway Merchandise Order for any amount.
—A Transfer saves time.
—Every nook and corner of the store is planned to assist you in your Christmas shopping.



The Story of Preparedness In Assembling

Silverware For Christmas Gifts

—It was way back in January and February that we began placing orders for Christmas Silverware—contrary to every precedent that had been set,—and then we advised the makers to ship as quickly as possible—again upsetting precedent.

—But these are the factors that have made it possible for us to present for your approval the most extensive variety of silverware we have ever shown.

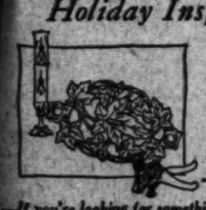
—We know of many merchants that are anxiously awaiting deliveries that may not reach here in time for Christmas.

—Our Silverware section is an inspiration to begin Christmas buying now.

It's Important

—If you desire engraving done that you place your order early. The engravers are already rushed and extra engravers are difficult to obtain.

—Here are some Christmas hints to guide you—
—Sheffield Silver Plated Bread Trays $1.95 to $8.
—Sheffield Silver Plated Sandwich Trays $2.85 to $6.50.
—Cream & Jam Servers, new and serviceable, $5.50.
—Cheese and Cracker servers, pierced designs, $3.50 to $5.
—Mayonnaise Dish with spoon $2.
—Syrup Cups and Plates, several styles, $1.95 and $2.25.
—Spoon Trays $2. A novel present.
—Condiment sets $1.50—Several styles.
—Double Vegetable Dishes $7.50 to $10.
—Nut Bowls, quadruple silver plated, $1 to $4.50.
—Baking Dish with cover, heavy silver plated, $7 and $7.50.
—Casseroles, nickel silver container, $1.75.
—Casseroles $2.50 to $5.50, Royal Rochester and other makes.
—Silver plated Butter Dish with glass tray $2 to $3.50.
—Silver plated Tea Pots $4.50 and $5.
—4 piece Tea Sets $10 to $25. Quadruple silver plated.
Aisles 1 and 2.



Holiday Inspirations In the New **Gift Shop** —2nd Floor

—If you're looking for something different—something unusual, something out of the ordinary in the way of gifts, then your thoughts should instantly turn to the Gift Shop that is such an important addition to the Art Section, Second Floor.

—It would take reams of copy and volumes of space to go into detail, but this one thing is certain, here are original things gathered from so many sources that you'll just revel in the assortment.

—FIRST THERE IS THE ROYCROFT SHOP—created by the late Elbert Hubbard, and which, by the way, is the only place in Los Angeles where the products of the Roycroft Shops of East Aurora are shown.
—Hand-craft things in art leather and copper.
—Rare editions de luxe. Things useful, all of them—for it is an unwritten law in the East Aurora shops to avoid the frivolities.

Then From Florence, Italy, Hand Carved Marble

—Copies of the most famous masterpieces in ancient and modern statuary. As exhibited in the Roumanelli Bros. collection at the San Francisco Fair.
"The Discus Thrower," "The Family Group" Venus de Milo and others.

And From Switzerland, Hand Carved Wood

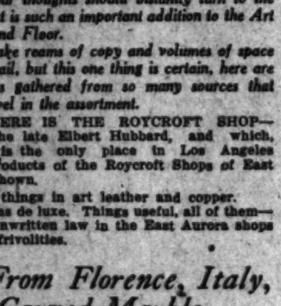
—Our own importations—products of the peasantry of that country. "Soul Expressions" as it were, in wood in the natural color. And yet expressed in things practical. Such as nut crackers, trays, cigarette cases and such.

The Rust Craft and the Day Craft Novelties

—A thousand and one things inexpensive and attractively boxed, and every single article for a well defined purpose.
—Then there are French novelties. Mirrors, powder boxes, trays and hand painted china, the cretonne covered novelties.

Chinese Art
—Expressed in sewing baskets, fruit baskets, trays, sweetmeat boxes, envelope cases, pillows, tsanela, bracelets, and best of all,

Boudoir, Table and Floor Lamps
—It is certain that if you are in the least doubtful as to what to give, any one to find the answer in this Gift Shop. 2nd floor.



Comfort Size
Cotton Batts 59c

—Here's an extreme value in comfort size batts. Soft fluffy cotton. One of them sufficient for a comfort.
—Second floor for these.

Fancy Outing 8½c
—Pink or blue stripe or check. In a splendidly fleeced outing flannel that you will appreciate at the price—8½c.

Domet Flannel 12½c
—An extra heavy snow white domet flannel. Fleeced on both sides. This is a low price at the present market.

12 Yds. Longcloth $2
—12-yard bolts of 36-inch longcloth; smooth finish.

New Persian Challies 15c
—They're here in time to be offered Monday at this price. Persian challies that you need for comfort coverings. Now the assortment is complete, take advantage of the opportunity.

32-inch Wool-Mixed **Shirtings 35c**
—Gray wool mixtures with pretty silk stripes. Practical for making shirts for men and boys. Exceptional at 35c.

The Enlarged **Ivory Pyralin Gift Section**
—Offers unlimited opportunities for the early selection of Christmas gifts.
—Practically one-half of Aisle 7 is given over to the sale and display of ivory pyralin.
—One of the most accepted lines of toilet articles.
—Despite the difficulties of assembling this vast assortment We give you the opportunity of purchasing this ware at the following prices—many of which are less than prevailing figures.

—Nail Files, Button Hooks and Cuticle Knives at 29c.
—Jewel Boxes, Plush-lined at 98c.
—Powder Boxes, popular style, 79c.
—Hair Receivers to match powder box, 79c.
—Bonnet Brush, 75c.
—Talcum Holders, 65c—Will hold any ordinary size can.
—Napkin Rings, 25c.
—Candlestick Holder, $1.50.
—Combs at 29c to $1.00.

Metal Hot Water Bottle 98c
—Three-pint size with flannel covering. Very comfortable on a chilly night.

Save on **Genuine Bristle Hair Brushes**
—The savings recorded are really surprising. When you consider the splendid quality of the brushes that are offered.
—Hair Brushes 79c, 98c, and $1.89. With 10 to 12 rows of bristles; Ebony or Foxwood back.
Aisles 7 and 8.



ASmoking Jacket

For His Christmas

—A more complete and better assorted stock than we've ever shown. Thanks to being forehanded in preparing for the holidays.
—Sizes range from 34 to 46. Prices $4.50, $7.50, $8.50 and $10.
OR A BATH ROBE—Made of Beacon cloth, also wool combination, Indian and conventional designs. Unusual colorings.
—The sort of bath robes that a man likes. Some have heavy girdle. Others made with full belt and buttoned down the front. Small, medium and large sizes, in Holiday boxes, $4.95 to $13.—Second Floor.

Holiday Gifts for the Men
—One of the most important sections in the store right now is the men's furnishing department.
—Enlarged beyond its regular capacity and filled to overflowing with dependable, practical gifts of reliable furnishings such as the man himself would purchase.
—We are careful to maintain the high standard of quality even when the prices are low.
HOLIDAY SETS 50c—Fiber silk half hose and tie to match, in fancy, different colors.
TIE AND SILK HANDKERCHIEF 50c—In neat holiday box, different colors, 50c set.
GARTER AND HOSE SETS 50c—Silk fiber half hose. Holiday colors. Tan, gray, navy and black.
ELASTIC WEB LISLE SUSPENDERS 50c—These are put up in holiday boxes.
TIE AND HANDKERCHIEF SET 75c—Silk tie and handkerchief and fiber silk half hose.
SILK AND LISLE SUSPENDERS 75c—Stitched leather ends.
TIE RINGS with leather trimmings, ivory, nickel and gunmetal bases, 75c.
COMBINATIONS AT $1—Silk hose and fancy tie or tie and tie clasp to match. Fiber hose, silk tie and silk handkerchiefs, various colors.
SUSPENDER, ARM BAND AND GARTER SETS AT $1.
SILK ELASTIC WEB SUSPENDERS $1 box.
COMBINATION SETS $1.50 — Silk half hose, fancy silk handkerchief and tie to match.
Aisle 8, Main Floor.

Save More Than $1 **on Silk Petticoats at $3.95**
—Plain shades of blue and fancy striped silks and Dresden effects. Petticoats that are cut generously full without the least sign of bulkiness. They're fitted at the waist and have deep flounce.
—Priced $1 or more higher in the regular way.

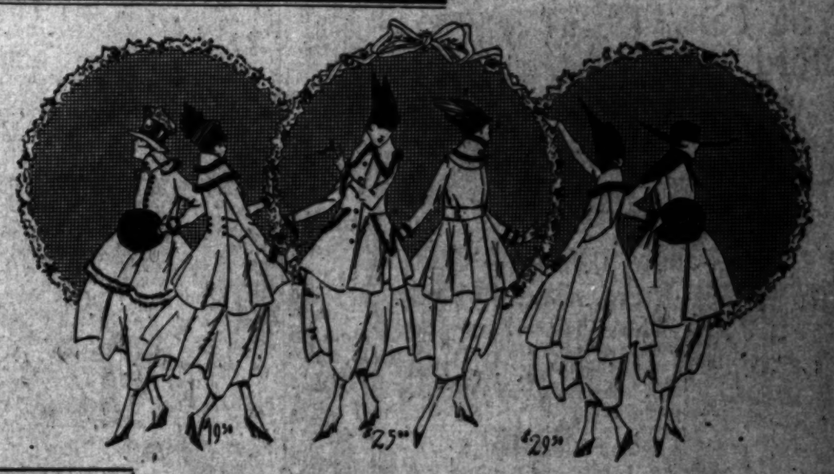
"Thank Goodness for This Fifth Floor Department of **Holiday China and Cut Glass"**
—Before Christmas Day many a woman and even the men will be thankful for this wonderful Fifth Floor department, with its wealth of holiday suggestions in the way of china, cut glass, lamps and pottery, to say nothing of the practical house furnishings—aluminum ware, etc.
—Many a Christmas list will be completed on this 5th floor, for there are no end of things appropriate for the home. If you are at all in doubt, come straight to the 5th floor.
—Table after table of *Holiday China at 25c, 35c, 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50 and higher.*
—Space will not permit us to record them all.
AT 25c—Hand-painted cups and saucers, egg shell china. Vases, creamers, trays, hat pin holders and plates.
AT 35c—Sugar and cream, footed trays, vases, nut bowls. Many of them hand-painted.
AT 75c—Cake plates, salad or fruit bowls, covered bon-bons and powder boxes, tall vases and nut bowls. Whip cream or mayonnaise bowls, etc.
AT $1.00—Rose bowls for California roses. Three-piece mayonnaise set, marmalade jars, jelly jars, hair receivers, powder boxes, some hand-painted.
AT $1.25 and $1.50—And up to $3.00, the assortment is wonderful.

Percolators
—Of aluminum at $1.75, $2 and $2.25. Other percolators at $2.75 to $7.50. You'll want to see those that are marked $5.

New Nut Bowls $1.50
—One special lot that we are offering, Monday only at this price. Nut bowl and cracker under price.



A Sale of Spark **Stoves At $2.95**
—Air-tights—full nickel trimmed as shown in the picture. Forty of them that are marked very much higher. These will be out Monday at $2.95. Fifth Floor.



Six of the Garments are Pictured

Over 600 Garments in a December Sale—

Suits at $19.50, $25 and $29.50

A Price Trio in which Savings Blend from One-Fourth to One-Third and More

—Suits—hundreds of them—a price trio that fairly rings with the importance of the saving.
—Suits—the topmost representatives of the season's best styles.
—Suits that have been keenly purchased at $.... and $.... and $...., but it isn't necessary to quote the comparisons.
—They're here for you to choose at any one of the three prices—$19.50, $25 or $29.50.
—And you have our assurance that every garment is away, away underprice.
—In announcing this sale, we do so with the full appreciation of what the word sale means.
—Gauged by the standard The Broadway has set for value-giving, this event bids fair to overshadow the most notable garment sales that have been announced in months.
—Over 600 suits involved beginning with—

The Suits at $19.50

—Are of serges, gabardines, poplins and broadcloths, velours and velvet. 378 in this lot—all of them repriced from higher figures. Savings are remarkable.
3rd Floor.

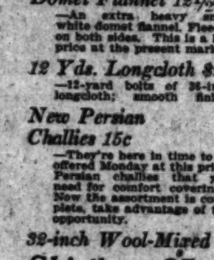
Wonder Suits at $29.50

—If we were to whisper the comparisons in this assortment, we know you would be here when the doors open, for there are 45 only of the highest class suits. Velours and broadcloths, fur trimmed. Black, navy, Burgundy and white. 3rd Floor.

And the Suits at $25

—The savings are important enough to bring you early to the garment department. 190 garments in this assortment.
—Gabardines, broadcloths, velours and velvet. Long coats, fur trimmings and all the style touches that give distinction to the better suits. 3rd Floor.

"You Have by Far the Greatest Variety of Toys I've Seen"



—Was the comment made by a woman who had thoroughly canvassed the Toy situation.
—"Your dolls in quality and quantity are remarkable and I am wonderfully surprised at the variety.
—"And your Toy stock generally is far in advance of anything I've seen."
—America and Japan contributed and besides we are very fortunate in having a big shipment of imported dolls and toys.
—The better dolls are sure to go first. There is no necessity for delay.
—Purchases made now will be held for you if you desire.
—Use a separate toy transfer when shopping on toys, you'll find it a time saver.
—Toy Furniture sets, 25c, 35c, 50c, $1.25 and up to $2.
—Toy Trunks at $1. Cloth covered, paper lined, wooden tray. These have lock and key.
—Large Toy Trunks $3. Wood box covered with sheet iron. 18 inches long.
—Toy Grocery Stores, 50c.

Broadway Special Automobile $5.75
—In spite of every abnormal condition we believe this to be the most remarkable value we've offered in toy automobiles.
—Large roomy body, adjustable seat with back. Round tapering hood. Inside self starter. Bumper. 14 inch rubber tires, wheels, cast steering wheel. Body and hood painted red and yellow. Black frame.
—There'll be a big demand for these at the price.—Sixth floor.

—Toy Telephones, $5—Wall or desk phone with buzzer.
—Roly Poly figures, 15c to $1.25—Large size figures of pressed composition, finished in bright colors.
—Teddy Bears, 25c to $2.95. Stuffed bodies, jointed limbs and head, some with musical chimes, others with voice. Made of good quality plush.
—Felt Animals, 25c and 50c. Cats, dogs, rabbits, etc., of good quality wool felt.
—Mechanical Racing Auto, 75c; sheet steel finished in black and yellow enamel.
—Hill Climber Friction Toys at 85c. Made of steel, enameled in colors, equipped with friction motor.
—Toy Electric Motors, 40c to $6.50.

Ives Mechanical Trains
—Consisting of engine, tender, one car and circle of curved track. Length of train, 17 inches. Packed in box with book of instructions. Priced $1.
—Other trains ranging in price to $12.



Silk and Serge Dresses $16.50

Every One of Them Underpriced

—Very, very important news in which serge, poplin, tricot and gabardine dresses as well as combination of taffeta and serge, and satin and serge combinations have been greatly underpriced at $16.50.
—Some have button trimmings, others embroidered in yarns. Collars of Georgette crepe and broadcloth.
—These are the smartest of popular priced dresses. A good assortment. 147 of the silk dresses and 227 of the wool dresses, 374 in all—choice $16.50. 3rd floor.



57 Fine Coats To Go At $21.50

—Plain and fancy velours, broadcloths, plushes and even Bolivia cloth. The most desired shades, fur and plush trimmed.
—Fancy pockets, full flare and belted models.
—Plain and fancy linings. These coats are so very much less than regular in every case, that everyone of them should be disposed of by Monday night.
3rd Floor.

Important News of **Women's Bath Robes $2.95**
—They're very much less than regular. Plain and figured Bath robe materials, some trimmed with wide satin bands, others in plain design. Just for Monday we offer these at $2.95. A practical gift. Choice of blue, gray, lavender, red, pink, rose, Copenhagen and raspberry.
3rd floor

Eiderdown Sacques 95c

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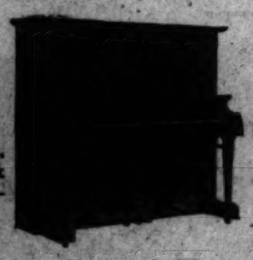
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TELL STORY OF BATTLE'S FURY.

Angeleno Brothers are Sole Survivors.

Bitterly Criticise Lack of Ammunition.

Bravery Wins Promotion at British Front.

Sam D. Price and his brother, George Price, Los Angeles young men, are the sole survivors of a party of engineers that were slaughtered recently in the trenches at Neuve Chapelle, according to word received here yesterday by Mrs. Carris Loney of Graham station. She is the aunt of the young men. Both are sergeants in the corps and both were promoted early this year for signal bravery in action.

The letter of the young men tells one of the most thrilling tales of the war ever reaching this city from individual sources. In telling the tale of one engagement, Sam Price says he lay half-way across the Belgian border when the shells came his way. He says:

"I took a party down through Adde Chapelle, Neuve Chapelle and Rams Chapelle to Dixmude to do some work on a fort in the front trench, and when we reached a point some two miles from the German lines the firing started. Only the two of us got back. There was an average of twenty-five shells a minute passing over us at times that day and night, to say nothing of machine gun, mortar and rifle fire. The mortars throw a bomb containing about 200 pounds of explosive for a distance of over half a mile. In sapping out a trench under the enemy's position, we dug up bodies of men than had been killed recently, and other skeletons that had been dead for centuries, for it happened to be a cemetery. We lay in a tunnel with rats and decomposing corpses for several days, and with little food. During some of the bombardment at that time, like other times, legs, arms, heads and bodies flew right and left. Men wept and cursed and prayed, and none of us could tell whether it all lasted an hour or a week."

In common with many other British soldiers, the writer bitterly arraigns conditions under which the British handle the campaign. He says at times there is plenty of artillery and men, but they are powerless because there is no ammunition.

"What would you think," he says, "if you saw a bunch of men holding a piece of line with no artillery, very little ammunition for their rifles, and finally get shot to pieces and be able to see the confusion? Big men crying like babies because they were helpless without cartridges."

Sergt. Price declares he has seen men dying with curses against a country that would place them in a helpless position against an enemy supplied with unlimited field and heavy artillery, and "deprive them of the paltry bit of lead to defend themselves."

Sole Survivors of a Trench Bombing.



Sergts. Sam (left) and George Price, Brothers of this city and all who remained alive out of a party of engineers at the English front at Neuve Chapelle.

A Bad One.

[Pittsburgh Dispatch:] Mr. Grimes (with great indignation)—I've finished with that fellow Skinner. Absolutely finished with him. He's a bad one. He has a lying tongue in his head.

Mrs. Grimes (sympathetically)—Dear me! And only yesterday his wife told me that he had false teeth.

Have You Helped?

WORK OF MERC... NEARS CLIMA...

Teuton Relief Campaign... End Tomorrow.

Half-crown Gift of Brit... Yield Large Sum.

"Intolerance" Benefit... Top off Local Fund.

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MORE OF HONOR ROLL.

Additional list of subscribers to ... continued from yesterday: G. Ba... Ellis G. Bonner, $5; Mr. and Mrs. ... $5; Mrs. Mary E. Bashore, $1; Anon ... Mrs. Frank Bliss, $100; Adolph ... [illegible] $5.50; Dr. Francis A. Dou... Long & Prosser, $10; Alvin R. Kra... Buckbee, $10; Agents Los Angeles ... Buckbee, $5; Harry Wilde, $5; Mrs. ... Carpenter, $10; William Ingraham ... Cook, $5; Lotus Homewood, $5; ... Bell, $5; R. A. Rowan, $5; Mrs. ... Trinkhaus, $25; Diamonds, $10; ... A. Vowell, $25; Modern Grocery ... Thomas, $25; R. Rogers, $2.50; ... Reilly, $10; H. L. Ackerman, $5; ... $5; R. Miller, $5; Robert Moore ... Hamilton, $2.50; Harold Hamilton ... Lendell, $2.50; S. L. Dodge, $10; ... $5; N. Kerr, $5; Mrs. W. E. Dunn ... Frank Wheeler, $25; Mrs. Charles ... Ford, $7.50; Mother, $1; Harry Fowler ... Wheeler Realty, $25; Maria Wheeler ... Wheeler, $25; Mrs. Charles Wheeler ... Company, $25; W. Wheeler, $5; ... Realty, $5; Frank E. Hellman, ... Arnold, $5; Mrs. A. Hellman, ... Allen, $10; C. Hellman, $5; ... $25; Howard Mack, $10; ... Mack, $5; Charles C. Rogers, $5;

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Pathetic.

WORTHY POOR TOIL AND SWEAT TO PAY THE COUNTY ITS DUE.

Long Lines Creep Toward Windows at the Tax Collector's Office, where Petty Bills are Met at Huge Cost of Time—Larger Quarters Necessary.

PATHOS lurks in the first floor of the Hall of Records these days. Hundreds of tired-faced, often shabby, seldom prosperous actors in a wearisome drama are there, herded in lines and spending hours to advance yards toward the barred wickets of the Tax Collector's office.

They cannot help their plight, for the law requires that the few cents that usually represent their due to the county, shall be paid before a certain date. Savings accounts most of them have, but checking facilities at the bank are not often theirs. So they take their places in that creeping line, forced by the poor facilities of the county's buildings to sweat and suffer in giving up to the county driblets of their hard-earned money.

The business man, the ordinary citizen of any calling who keeps a checking account is lucky. He usually writes a check and a note, a few minutes of light effort, and the thing is done.

But up there at the Hall of Records they toil and toil. Sometimes the monotony of the tortoise gait becomes excitement, when some frail woman collapses and loses her hard-won place in line. Occasionally some unfortunate spend half a working day to reach a window, only to find nothing but checks are received there, while he has cash. He has to take off another half-day to work his way to another wicket.

And it is only the philosopher in those lines who can take comfort in the thought that the Supervisors and County Tax Collector are casting about for some plan whereby office facilities may be enlarged. The suffering citizen is quite as likely to remember that when the city and county tax departments are merged, after January 1, the congestion will probably be only the worse. This same consideration has made county officers declare larger quarters and more receiving windows for the Tax Collector's office are an imperative need.

CHANGES INADEQUATE.

Two years ago, the Supervisors moved the Tax Collector's office from the third to the first floor of the Hall of Records, hoping in that way to solve the problem of elevators, which were taxed to their limit by the thousands who crowded to the place during the last few days of the time allotted for payments.

When the change was made, two additional cashier's wickets were arranged. These, however, have fallen far short of relieving the congestion or ameliorating conditions, with the growth in the number of taxpayers.

A change for the worse was also made when the collector's department was divided into three rooms. This necessitates much additional effort in the act of paying taxes.

The plan afoot at this time calls for the erection of a large building at Temple and New High streets and the installation of the Tax Collector's office on the lower floor of this structure, in quarters that would much resemble those of a bank and possibly make access to the wickets easier.

The two floors above the Tax Collector's department would be given over to the Assessor's and the Surveyor's offices, respectively. These are necessary adjuncts of the tax department and the records needed by one of them are also used by the others.

The county owns the site and tentative plans have already been drawn for the proposed structure.

It would also house the charity department and several other important offices, and possibly the ever-growing library.

While no funds, for the purpose have been set aside in the budget for the year, ways and means of securing such funds can be found if the demands of the taxpayers are strong for the elimination of the present evils.

"With the installation of new offices for our department in adequate surroundings, certain new systems of operation could be used and it would be possible to prevent any great congestion, even though the rush were as heavy as it has been for several years past," said County Tax Collector Welch yesterday.

"We have done everything possible to avoid a piling up of work on the last few days of the tax-collection period, but our facilities are too limited to allow of this.

"Someone has suggested the establishment of branch collection offices in various parts of the city.

"Such a plan would be unfeasible, inasmuch as it would be impossible to keep duplicate sets of records in the branch offices and the taxpayers who raised any question as to their taxes and wanted information about them, would have to come to the main office and suffer practically the same inconvenience as at present.

"We have tried conscientiously to solve the difficulties of our present system, but that can't be done during rush time and the only way out of it is the building of new and ample quarters to prevent the jamming and the crush we see here now."

Incidentally, Capt. Welch called attention to the convenience of paying taxes by check.



Grit prime need of taxpayers.

The county's strong box is being filled in part by driblets—the contributions of the poor. Scenes of trial and toil are in order nowadays, with clerks working hard and fast and hundreds of women with babes in arms, and old men and the crippled standing hour after hour in slow-moving lines before the tax-receiving windows. The five-column panel shows such a line as is seen daily at the Hall of Records. Most of these people have no checking accounts and cannot avail themselves of the business man's practice of avoiding the hardship by mailing his check. Such scenes are the concrete argument advanced by officials who want the tax department installed in new and much larger quarters.

Civic Obligations Made a Hardship.



Summary.

BUSINESS HERE FORGING AHE

Federal Reserve Bulletin Contents Bright.

Shortage of Cars and Chief Drawback.

Cotton, Date, Citrus Crops of State Large.

Under date of the 1st inst. the bulletin of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, dealing with general business conditions in the Twelfth Federal Reserve District, says, in part:

With the exception of the effects due to the car shortage, the lack of ships, conditions in the Twelfth Federal Reserve District are very favorable. This is true of transportation facilities. The growers of apples, potatoes, dried fruits, grain and practically all other products. Steps are being taken in the Northwest to hold the railroads liable for any losses incurred. Lumber prices have declined in some districts because of the impossibility of shipping the products to market. An embargo has again been placed on certain products by the Santa Fe Route.

The cotton yield this year in California is 454 pounds per acre, compared with 154 pounds for the entire United States. The average for the past six years in California has been 424 pounds per acre, compared with 156 pounds for the ten-year average of the United States. The record comes from Tempe, Ariz., where long-staple Egyptian cotton is selling at 45¾ cents per pound. The average production of 425 to 750 pounds per acre in some instances. The Imperial Valley cotton has sold as high as 26 cents. There is a scarcity of labor for picking cotton.

Due to early rains, a large amount of California rice will not be ready to mill before December. Sales to date have been on the basis of $1.65 to $1.70 for No. 1 rice. The Japanese rice crop is reported as being heavy, some 600,000 bushels above the average.

The largest crop of dates ever grown in California has been harvested. Prices have varied from 35 cents to $1 per pound, according to the variety and quality. The principal crop of dates in the United States is grown in the Coachella Valley, not far from the Salton Sea, and yields as high as 100 pounds per acre.

FINE CITRUS OUTLOOK.

The outlook is excellent for a large crop of citrus fruit. The quality of the fruit is above the average and is testing up to the standard earlier than usually. The first load of this year's crop of Valencia oranges was shipped on October 30 to New Zealand. Heavy shipping began about November 20. Navel prices were about $1 a box, the opening prices of last year being 50 cents above any reported previous years.

Live stock prices continue strong and the outlook is very favorable. Many trainloads of cattle have been sent from Nevada to California for winter feeding on the range, but stored feed is reported as scarce.

Mining throughout the district is steadily expanding. The production of copper is continually making new records, with enormous production particularly in Arizona. Utah and Nevada. Prices are higher than at any time since the Civil War, when they were quoted in depreciated currency as high as 60 cents per pound. Miners are reported receiving as much as $13.50 per day. Since January 1, 666 mines have been opened. During 1915 the petroleum production of California averaged 266,530 barrels daily, with shipments 303,652 barrels daily, occasioning a loss in stocks of 1,150,000 barrels. The amount now in storage is about 150 barrels, which is the smallest amount in years.

LARGER SEA TRADE.

Exports from Pacific Coast ports for the month of September show a 30 per cent increase over the corresponding month in 1915, while imports increased 50 per cent. Imports in September exceeded exports by $10,000,000. Shipbuilding continues one of the most active industries on the Pacific Coast, and all the yards are occupied to the limit. Many yards are being constructed and others enlarged to handle the large orders in the United States, Norwegian and other vessels among the Portland, Seattle and San Francisco ship yards. Foreign buyers are ordering new vessels, the Japanese are buying interests in or have already obtained control of two companies, and two on this Coast.

Building permits for the month of 1916, for seventeen leading cities in this district, show a 37 per cent increase over October, 1915, with the largest gains in Seattle and Los Angeles.

AT BUDDHIST TEMPLE.

A social service will be held in the Buddhist Temple, No. 209 South Savannah street, at 3 o'clock this afternoon, this being the last service for the Japanese year. The speakers will be I. Iwanaga, C. B. McGehee, Dr. N. F. W. Haseldine, Dr. Fareed, and Dr. Mellintine. The latter will speak on "The Tower of Mankind." A social period will be enjoyed after the service in the temple tea-room, where tea will be served and questions will be discussed. The public is invited.

Coincidence.

WHAT'S IN A NAME

Vagrant is to be in Jail
Because His is Same
of Police Judge
Has "Never Got
Nothing" Before.

Police Judge George [illegible] sentenced Prisoner George [illegible] son to serve thirty days in Jail, yesterday.

When the prisoner was brought to the bench, Justice [illegible] said:

"What is your real name?"

"George Richardson."

"That's a good name."

"I don't know."

"It should have made you honest and industrious."

"Well, it never got me anything."

"Illiterate and untrue, I'll get you thirty days in jail."

And it did. He was charged with vagrancy.

ANNUAL BAZAAR.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Boyle Heights Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its annual bazaar and sale of useful and fancy articles for Christmas on Friday, and a turkey dinner will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock on Friday evening.

Be an Elector.

Don't wait until the last moment to register. Remember you must register every Monday, 10 to 9 o'clock, in the [illegible] precinct in which you live, in order to be entitled to vote at the next election. Monday is the last day for registration.

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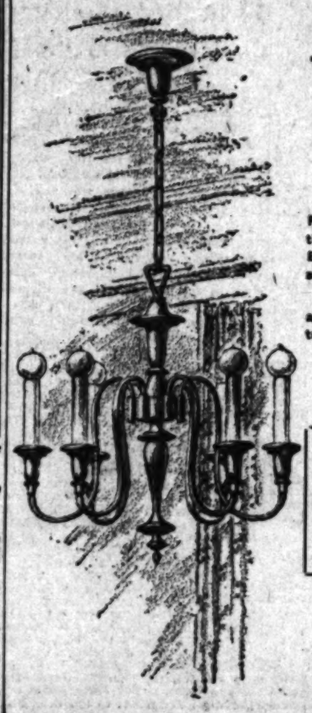
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Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and luster and gives it an appearance of abundance.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite to impart color and a youthful appearance to the hair. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

SUNDAY MORNING

WOMEN'S

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Said the speaker: "Everyt[illegible] and everybody in Russia is a b[illegible] of the Orient and Occident. T[illegible] weddings are full of beauty and [illegible] meaning, and the ceremony of [illegible] Greek church is always dram[illegible] All Russia marries and most [illegible] marries young. In Russia, a[illegible] Turkey, there are no old mai[illegible] an unmarried girl much over [illegible] considered a disgrace. If [illegible] she doesn't marry she pretends [illegible] If a peasant girl, she goes and [illegible] tle in some distant district [illegible] widow. Later she returns home [illegible] feelingly describes the death of [illegible] imaginary husband. They are [illegible] very religious, superstitious pe[illegible] and love furs, dress and gorg[illegible] jewels. When a couple become[illegible] egged the girl cuts off a lock of [illegible] hair and gives to the groom. [illegible] to turn gives her salt and bread [illegible] almond cake, pleading by this [illegible] two to supply the necessities of [illegible] and by the last luxuries if poss[illegible] He also gives a silver ring set [illegible] turquoise. The ceremony was [illegible] scribed and the feast, where [illegible] bride's slippers are many t[illegible] stolen and bought back by [illegible] wealthy men guards of the h[illegible] who pay the money to the gro[illegible] which he reserves for future ho[illegible] hold expenses—a unique way [illegible] getting a start.

Italy gives no choice whatever [illegible] a girl's selection of a husband, [illegible] youth also is at the mercy of [illegible] parents. The old customs of [illegible] days prevail, and suitable marria[illegible] are arranged by the parents. [illegible] girls know nothing of the men, [illegible] being educated and entirely separa[illegible] from them—even their own bro[illegible] ers. When a suitable husband [illegible] has selected, the legal settlem[illegible] made and her dowry arranged. [illegible] girl is sent for, and in the presen[illegible] of friends and relatives introduc[illegible] to her future husband. The w[illegible] ding may take place a week hen[illegible] he is allowed to visit her, they [illegible] change photographs and he [illegible] kiss her hand, but always in [illegible] presence of her mother. When [illegible] rise to the altar with him [illegible] knows little more of him than [illegible] ing, still it is said Italian marria[illegible] are generally happy. The reas[illegible] suggested for this is that the [illegible] is adopted into her husband's fa[illegible] ily and cherished as their own [illegible] daughter. It is true they are str[illegible] with her, but not more so than [illegible] own parents have been, and [illegible] value but little change. The yea[illegible] she is subject to this tyranny, a[illegible] the young couple are often driv[illegible] farther for consolation and becom[illegible] firm friends and comrades. Th[illegible] girl's dowry contains chests [illegible] household linens and laces and s[illegible] toideries, and is accumulated fro[illegible] her childhood and is called h[illegible] condo.

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But owing to their reward [illegible] their beloved Francis Joseph, who [illegible] his was one of the greatest tra[illegible] edies of history, these alien peop[illegible] cure their hatred for one anoth[illegible] and present to the world a peop[illegible] empire—United Austria. Hu[illegible] gary is the home of many strik[illegible] peoples with quaint and picturesq[illegible] customs. Very interesting are the [illegible] Magiars, a people of joyous song a[illegible] dance. The men are big and fin[illegible] and the women beautiful and lo[illegible] ing. They are a people of mu[illegible] sentiment, powerful race affection[illegible] and the courtship often lasts [illegible] years. The lower comedic elem[illegible] the evening, raps at the house doo[illegible] and, rain or shine, he is allowed [illegible] continue rapping until anyone but [illegible] Magiar would become discourage[illegible] when his patience and perseveran[illegible] has been sufficiently tested th[illegible] mother says to the daughter, "To[illegible] lover has rapped long enough; l[illegible] him in." He is admitted to the fam[illegible] ily living-room, where everyone r[illegible] mains, and the lovemaking is lo[illegible] and artistic, for by nature they a[illegible] thoughtful, evasive, unique—ill[illegible] their own music, now sparkling an[illegible] joyous, now sad, wistful and wailin[illegible] Although the groom courts the gi[illegible] with dramatic fervor, he cann[illegible] propose to her. This must be don[illegible] by a go-between, a pompous perso[illegible] with importance, who proposes [illegible] her in stilted poetry, to which [illegible] she responds with blushes and s[illegible] tances. Presents are exchanged [illegible] then the lovers take matters int[illegible] their own hands again.

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Summary.

BUSINESS HERE FORGING AHEA

Federal Reserve Bulle Contents Bright.

Shortage of Cars and S Chief Drawback.

Cotton, Date, Citrus Cr of State Large.

Under date of the 1st inst., a bulletin of the Federal Re Bank of San Francisco, dealing general business conditions in Twelfth Federal Reserve Dis says, in part:

With the exception of the ill fects due to the car shortage the lack of ships, conditions in Twelfth Federal Reserve Dis are very favorable. This shor of transportation facilities sh growers of apples, potatoes, ci fruits, grain and practically all o products. Steps are being taken the Northwest to hold the railro liable for any losses incurred prices have declined in some c because of the impossibility of ting the products to market. embargo has again been placed certain products by the Sa Route.

The cotton yield this year is of fornia is 434 pounds per acre, pared with 154 pounds for the w United States. The average for past six years in California has 426 pounds per acre, compared 186 pounds for the ten-year av of the United States. A re comes from Tempe, Ariz., of long-staple Egyptian cotton 45% cents per pound, wit production of 625 to 750 p per acre in some instances. Imperial Valley cotton has sold 36 cents. There is a serious of labor for picking cotton.

Due to early rains, no amount of California rice is ready to mill before Decembe Sales to date have been on 6 of $1.65 to $1.70 for No. 1 rice. The Japanese rice crop reported as being heavy, some 800 bushels above the average.

The largest crop of date grown in California has just harvested. Prices have varied 25 cents to $1 per pound, ac ing to the variety and quality. principal crop of dates in the States is grown in the little chella Valley, not far from the ton Sea, and yields as high as pounds per acre.

FINE CITRUS OUTLOOK.

The outlook is excellent f large crop of citrus fruit. The ity of the fruit is above the and is testing up to the sta earlier than usually. The firs load of this year's crop of new anges was shipped on Octobe to New Zealand. Heavy shi began about November 20. Ow prices were about $1 above opening prices of last year s cents above any reported in s ous years.

Live stock prices continue and the outlook is very pr Many trainloads of cattle are sent from Nevada to Californ winter feeding on the ranges stored feed is reported as abu

Mining throughout the dist steadily expanding. The c copper is continually making records, with enormous produ ticularly in Arizona, Utah an Nevada. Prices are higher tha any time since the Civil War. they were quoted in depre currency as high as 55 cent pound. Miners are reported receiving as much as $12.50 p

Since January 1, 664 have been opened. During t the petroleum production in C nia averaged 566,520 barrels with shipments 303,653 b daily, occasioning a loss in stocks of 1,150,000 barrels amount now in storage is 6 150 barrels, which is the amount in years.

LARGER SEA TRADE.

Exports from Pacific Coast for the month of September show a 39 per cent. increase the corresponding month i while imports increased 8 per cent. Imports in Octob exceed exports by $10,000,000. Shipbuilding continues to of the most active industries Pacific Coast, and all the ya occupied to the limit. New are being constructed and th yards enlarged to handle the It is said that one-half of the orders in the United States a Norwegians and are divi among the Portland, Seattle an Francisco ship yards. Be dering new vessels, the Norw are buying interests in pre formed companies and are a have already obtained cont two on this Coast.

Building permits for O 1916, for seventeen leading c this district, show a 37 per increase over October, 1915. the largest gains in Seattle Angeles.

Coincidence.

WHAT'S IN A NAME

Vagrant Is to be in Jail a Because His Is Same as Police Judge and S Has "Never Got Him Nothing" Before.

Police Judge George Ri sentenced Prisoner George R son to serve thirty days in the Jail, yesterday.

When the prisoner was ar to the bench, Justice Rich said:

"What is your real name?"

"George Richardson."

"That's a good name."

"I don't know."

"It should have made you h and industrious."

"Well, it never got me m

"Illiterate and untrue. It's get you thirty days in jail t And it did. He was s vagrancy.

ANNUAL BAZAAR.

The Ladies' Aid Society Boyle Heights Methodist E Church will hold its annual and sale of useful and fancy a for Christmas on Friday. key dinner will be served from to 7:30 o'clock on Friday e

Be an Exception.

Don't wait until the last moment to buy Sunday ads. in The Times. Do it now, please.

WOMEN'S WORK AND WOMEN'S CLUBS.

WOMEN the world over love a bride—even club women with their public interests and activities hold homemaking nearest to their hearts—and to the world in general the most interesting feature concerning a bride is her wedding costume. This was proven at the Ebell Club Monday afternoon, when Miss Shumway Enderly gave a fascinating programme showing wedding ceremonials and customs of some of the European peasant countries, each being introduced by its national air.

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When a couple become engaged the girl cuts off a lock of her hair and gives to the groom. He often gives her salt and bread and she, pledging by the first to supply the necessities of life and by the last luxuries if possible, also gives a silver ring set with turquoise. The ceremony was delayed and the feast, where the glass slippers are many times worn and bought back by the men guards of the bride, corresponds with blushes and sentiments. Presents are exchanged, and the lovers take matters into their own hands again.

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As a rule many couples are married at the same time, expenses being defrayed by the parents of the well-to-do girl. For the ceremony they all kneel—with the bridesmaids forming a canopy of bright shawls and handkerchiefs over their heads—and they are married. Some wear crowns, some white linen whimpiles of the married woman with the maid's hood over it. Each wears her hair in two long braids, interwoven with ribbon; a string of coins, which represents a part of her dowry; both brides and grooms wear silver luck pieces in their garters, and to lose them would mean life-long misfortune. The festivities take place in the open air. The Norwegian being thrifty, does not give silver butter spreaders and salad forks but a stack of hay or a cow or ducks.

In quaint Holland costume, with wooden shoes, Mrs. Enderly told the distinctive features of a marriage of that picturesque country. The young couple meet and fall in love at the annual fairs, these events always being followed by a large crop of weddings.

The German peasant service was also described—the betrothal which makes the bride, and the wedding, which makes the wife. Of the two, the former is the more important, and more binding. A ceremony which took place in Little Dorf, between Saxony and Bavaria, was described in detail. To feed a lover sausages means in sentimental language: "Love is dead or never was," which causes him to fade away.'

On the eve of the wedding all the young friends of the bride and groom plant little pine trees, wreathed in tinsel and tissue paper flowers, in front of the bride's door. She takes one of them with her to her new home, and often keeps it until her first child is born. At the wedding, the bride's slippers are painfully tight, owing to the fact that the mother has stuffed the toes with bits of hair and feathers collected from her own barnyard, which, if the bride takes to the altar with her, insures her future barnyard increase.

For the first part of her programme, Mrs. Enderly gave a dramatic interpretation of Percy Mackaye's "The Immigrant," portraying, just as the dramatist intended, the incoming alien as a human being with emotions, sympathies and tragedies like our own—first in his native land as the prey of greedy representatives of international business interests and as one who comes to the land of freedom with the hope of better things, and later the foreigner here in the great cities and in the industrial maelstrom of mines, mills and sweat shops.

Menotti Frascona, the well known baritone, held his audience en rapport as he gave the aria from "La Traviata," by Verdi, and "Di Provenza il Mar, il Svol." Responding to insistent encores, he chose one of Nutile's compositions, which he sang in the Caruso original key. Miss Emily Cotino was at the piano, Mrs. Lucian West Wilder accompanied Mrs. Enderly.

Tomorrow Mrs. Gramville Ross Pike of North Yakima, Wash., who is national lecturer of the Audubon Society, will give an illustrated lecture on "Our Friends, the Birds."

Of special importance is the social service all day meeting, to be held on Thursday. The members are requested to come prepared to sew. Interesting reports will be given by Mrs. G. S. Long, on "Existing Social Agencies" and Norman R. Mertin, superintendent of county charities, who will speak of his work. Miss Ethel Richardson, a member of the State Commission of Housing and Immigration, will also be a special guest at the luncheon.

Ebell has sent to the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association the following letter to stimulate interest in the Nativity Play:

"At the meeting of Monday, November 27, the following resolution was presented by the Executive Committee and unanimously adopted by the club;

"Resolved, that the Ebell Club is in hearty sympathy with the effort now being made by the Channel Club to secure the necessary appropriation from the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county for the repetition, during the Christmas holidays, of the 'Nativity Play' given last year in Exposition Park, and pledges its support and co-operation in the movement.'

"We feel that the 'Nativity Play' as produced on last Christmas Eve by the efforts of the Channel Club and under the direction of Mrs. Lillian Burkhart Goldsmith was an artistic success and was enjoyed by many hundreds of tourists as well as by our own towns-people, and that such a distinctive production enhances the reputation of our city as a center of culture and of civic enterprise.

"We therefore respectfully urge that your organization actively cooperate with the Channel Club and other organizations in an immediate effort to secure the necessary appropriation—a moderate one—from the Board of Supervisors that this pageant may be produced again this year.

"Many eastern cities commemorate Christmastide with a municipal tree, but our city was unique in offering also this wonderful Christmas pageant at Exposition Park, and we urge that it shall be made an annual festival."

Ruskin Art Club.

Mrs. N. P. Conrey will have charge of the programme for the Ruskin Art Club on Wednesday. Miss Pansy Whitaker will speak on Pierre Loti in Brahman India. Mrs. Conrey will speak on Andre Chevrilion and his India, and Dr. Anna Leffler will talk on India of Kipling, after which a general discussion of Kipling's India will be open to the club.

Coming Board Meeting.

The monthly meeting of Los Angeles district board, G.F.W.C., will be held on Thursday, December 14. As usual, the afternoon session will be open to all club women, and luncheon will be served to all who make reservations before that date through Mrs. Charles S. Bateman of San Pedro.

An Attraction.

Councilwoman Lindsey will speak before the Twenty-fourth-street Parent-Teacher Association at 3 o'clock on Tuesday on "Woman's Work in the City Government."

Woman's City Club.

"Governmental Interest in Employment" will be the subject of tomorrow's programme at the City Club, when Mrs. Martha Nelson McCan will be the speaker.

There will be no meetings of the City Club on December 25 and January 1, but on December 18 motion pictures will hold the floor, when the Balboa company will present "Little Mary Sunshine" and give a demonstration of how moving pictures are made. "Better Films for Children" will also be the subject of a discourse by Mrs. E. H. Noe.

Is It Tolerated?

At the Wednesday Morning Club's books and conversation section on Wednesday, Mrs. M. E. Johnson, the president, will talk on "Intolerance." All will be given an opportunity to join in the discussion—and there is always some discussion at this wide-awake organization.

Club Woman Back.

Mrs. Katherine Cunningham, who has been visiting relatives in Texas, has returned to the Balboa. As a delegate of the John H. Reagan Chapter of Los Angeles, she attended the convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy at Dallas, and reports a week replete with lively sessions and hospitable entertainment.

Friday Morning Club.

There will be another book committee luncheon on Tuesday, when three war novels, by H. G. Wells, Paul Bourget, and Hugh Walpole, respectively, will be discussed. Mrs. Wells Smith, the chairman, will preside.

On Friday the usual programme will be replaced with the presentation of Reginald Arkell's play, "Colombine," and "A Christmas Masque" by Margaret Merington. The drama students of the Lincoln High School will form the cast.

Million Club.

Mrs. H. J. Zahn, chief probation officer, will talk on Juvenile Court work before the Million Club next Wednesday at 2 p.m.

Hollywood Woman's Club.

Carrie Jacobs Bond was responsible for a capacity house at Hollywood last Wednesday, when she presented "The Good Fairy" to such good purpose that she charmed her audience to tears and laughter in a breath.

After an important business meeting next Wednesday, Mary E. Lent will speak on municipal nursing. The parliamentary law class directed by Mrs. Osgood will meet prior to the business meeting at 1 p.m.

The altruistic section of the music department will give a Christmas programme at the Macy-street school, on December 27. The children will bring toys, later to be distributed to the orphans of the Colegrove institution, who will be the guests of the club on December 28, when the programme will be repeated.

France and Belgium.

Mme. Jules Cierfayt, curator of valuable tapestries at the San Francisco and San Diego expositions, is about to take up further work on behalf of Belgium and France, she is to give a course of lectures on the art of those countries, which are to stand on their merits, notwithstanding the proceeds will go to relief funds. Her first lecture, "The Women of France," was given on Saturday at the home of Madame J. A. Donato, where her personality won instant approval. Mme. Cierfayt recently lost her husband in the great war. He was a personal friend of King Albert of Belgium, and son of the famous Belgian general of that name.

Council of Jewish Women.

The next meeting of the Council of Jewish Women will hold a good programme, in which Flora Kassowitz will sing the aria from "La Traviata," and dramatic plaints and complaints will be heard in which Samuel Pepys, Bernard Shaw and William Winter will be quoted. Mrs. George A. Dobinson will also be responsible for a reading of "Toadstools," by Florence Haynes Reid.

Reciprocity Day.

Reciprocity Day at the Glendale Tuesday Morning Club found a programme of numerous celebrated artists prepared for it. Clubs all over the Los Angeles district were represented, Mrs. H. E. Bartlett presiding.

F. W. Blanchard first spoke on symphony concerts, making an appeal for support. Constance Balfour, soprano, gave French and German vocal selections, as also compositions of a Glendale artist, Julius Krans, and of J. Carl Briel, who wrote the music for "Intolerance." Both composers were present. Following the programme, Mrs. Lloyd Harmon spoke some gracious words on the value of these reciprocity days.

Frieda Peycke.

This talented entertainer is booked for programmes at the Whittier High School, the Whittier Elks' Club, the Santa Ana Ebell Club, the Long Beach Kindergarten Association and for the Christmas programme at the Pomona Ebell.

Chautauqua Circle.

Col. John Sobieski will speak before the Chautauqua Literary and Scientific Circle on Wednesday afternoon, when the story of Poland will be his subject. The meeting is open to the public.

Congress of Mothers.

The Congress of Mothers is living up to its title. It has established a loan fund for the assistance of unfortunate boys and girls in connection with the Juvenile Court. Mrs. Harvey Trowbridge is to be its chairman.

Civic Outlook Club.

Drs. Richter and Wilde furnished both instruction and entertainment at the Civic Outlook Club last Friday, when the working basis for child welfare was explained, and the method of physical and psychological examinations demonstrated. A day is shortly to be set by the club when beach mothers may bring their children up for examination.

Mrs. W. A. Gentine, chairman of civics of the club federation, has just returned from a long trip to the northern district, when she visited Ventura county and Santa Barbara county and gave addresses in numerous cities.

Woman's Medical Fraternity.

The Kappa Chapter of the Alpha Epsilon Iota was entertained by Drs. Nannie Dunsmoor and J. Margaret Roberts at the home of the latter yesterday. After an animated business session, in which holiday greetings were planned for Los Angeles members now in China—Dr. Lulu T. Ellis, Woman's Medical College of Peking, and Dr. Alice Johnson Hayes of Wuchow—a buffeteria supper was served. The social hour was interspersed with music and the presentation of the fraternity spoon to Dr. Caroline McQuiston-Leete of Pasadena, a recent bride. Present were Dr. Veturia Armstrong, the president, and Drs. Charlotte M. Brown, Eleanor Seymour, Mona E. Bettis, Belle Wood-Comstock, Isabel Crowell, Etta Gray, Fredericka A. Keys, Ethel L. Leopard, Louise M. Richter, Gertrude Seabolt, Cynthia Skinner, Augusta Zuber, Frances Frank, Agnes Scholl and Caroline McQuiston-Leete.

Ivy Club.

A Christmas card party has been arranged by the Ivy Club, at which the president, Mrs. F. H. Chase, will be hostess. It will be the third of the tournament series. It will take place at Brackett Hall on Tuesday and the hostess will be ably assisted by a strong committee.

Travel Club.

The literary section of the Travel Club met on Friday afternoon, when Mrs. W. A. Macomber gave an interesting discourse on ancient and modern Mexico.

Audubon Society.

Next Thursday will be a field day for the Audubons, when they will enjoy a visit to the private grounds of Arthur Letts and to Vermont Canyon. Mrs. G. H. Snyder will be the leader. Anyone interested in bird life will be welcomed to the party. The meeting place is the entrance to the Letts grounds, on the Hollywood car line, end of Kenmore avenue, and the time is 9 o'clock.

At Sierra Madre.

The modern schools of art, their distinctions and ambitions, were discussed by Mrs. L. N. Longendre at the Sierra Madre Woman's Club on Monday last. Her sketches, illustrating the styles, were particularly clever, for Mrs. Longendre is an artist of no mean merit. Mrs. Mabel Lewis Care provided a musical programme, aided by her talented pupil, Miss Ethel Brocklinger. Mrs. Care specializes in compositions for children, which ingeniously call for particular technicalities.

College Woman's Club.

A Christmas programme for the little folk, in which juvenile players under the direction of Miriam Woodward Meredith will take part, is the seasonable programme of the College Women's Club at the Brack-Shop auditorium next Saturday at 2:30 o'clock.

William C. de Mille's "The Christmas Spirit" is to be given. The idea of presenting Christmas plays acted entirely by children is a specialty with Miss Meredith, who has met happy success in this department of her work.

Badger Club.

Mrs. J. Bert Stearns will be responsible for the next programme of the Badger Club on Wednesday, which is peculiarly timely in that her subject will be "The Food Situation and What the Government is Trying to Do to Relieve It." Miss G. E. Darlow will also speak on Russian literature, and Mrs. H. A. Cable will talk on the work of the women's legislative council.

Philotos Club.

Mrs. George Muells entertained the members of the Philotos Club at No. 1824 South Roosevelt avenue on Thursday last. Mrs. Austin spoke on the "Lure of Fact and Fable" in a well-considered speech.

Matinee Musical Club.

Mrs. Soley Morle, who, it is understood, was persona grata with the Queen of England, will give a lecture on Tagore before the Matinee Musical Club on December 14. Mrs. Morle, it is understood, can add much new information to our knowledge of the Indian poet.

Women's Lyric Club.

The Lyric Club will give the first concert of the season at Trinity Auditorium December 14. This club claims to have organized the finest women's chorus in the world, which fact may be questioned by rival claimants, but offers excellent inspiration for maintaining the evidence.

Miss Priscilla Butterfield, lyric soprano, and Mrs. O. L. Anderson will provide incidental solos, and those assisting will be Sigmund Beel, violinist, and S. R. Valensa, harpist, who will present "Fantasie," by Saint-Saens, and "The Prize Song," from "The Meistersinger," by Wagner.

Woman's Press Club.

The Woman's Press Club held its first banquet of the season at Christopher's last Tuesday evening, when Harry Carr, war correspondent, recently returned from Europe, was the principal guest of honor. He illustrated his relation of his experiences in Europe by lantern slides. Clarence McGehee spoke on Japanese poetry, and Mrs. E. S. Marshall and Dr. Hughes gave some interesting personal reminiscences of Jack London.

Woman's Dental Society.

The women dentists were entertained at an Annandale Country Club luncheon last Saturday, when Miss Edna L. Hatcher was hostess. This was the regular monthly meeting of the club.

Rosecrans Club.

This club will hold a board meeting at 2 p.m. The roll call will be responded to with current events, and a parliamentary drill will follow. The Rosecrans meet at Trinity Auditorium.

The P.-T.A.

The Vermont-avenue school will hold its Parent-Teacher meeting next Tuesday at 3 p.m., when Dr. Albert Shiels will speak on the schools. A musical programme will also be given.

The Malabar Street P.-T.A. will meet on Thursday next, when the third grade will give the programme. The Entertainment Committee has fixed December 15 for the production of the play, "The Doll's Christmas," which is to be performed by the children.

The Grand Avenue P.-T.A. will meet next Thursday for a children's programme, to include music and recitations. A baby shower will also be held.

Postoffice Clerks.

The ladies' auxiliary of the National Federation of Postoffice Clerks held a meeting at the home of Mrs. George Hallet, No. 1469 Regina lane, on November 28, and eight new members were enrolled. The December meeting will be held on the third Tuesday of the month, instead of the fourth, at the home of Mrs. J. Wright, No. 3511 South Wall street.

The D.A.R.

Los Angeles chapter of the D.A.R. will meet next Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. at the residence of Mrs. Frank Hartigan, No. 3520 Trinity street, when Mrs. F. Morgan will be assistant hostess.

Eschscholtzia chapter will meet next Tuesday at the Ebell clubhouse, when Mrs. William H. Dudley, a member, will read a paper on "A Colonial Pilgrimage from Portsmouth to Old Concord." The fact that as many members as possible will appear in colonial dress should make the occasion picturesque and interesting.

A colonial play, "The Spirit of '76," is being rehearsed for presentation in the cause of charity in January, under the direction of Mrs. Satterlee.

Caballo chapter will entertain members of the Los Angeles chapter with a Christmas party at the home of Dr. Frederick Keep on December 16. The Children of the Revolution will bring toys for distribution to needy children of the settlements.

Daughters of 1812.

California chapter of the U.S.D. of 1812 met at the home of Mrs. Harriet Marsh last week. After a business meeting the granddaughter of the hostess played some violin numbers.

South Side Ebell.

The South Side Ebell will hold a meeting tomorrow at 2 p.m. in the branch library, Forty-fifth street and Central avenue. Mrs. Hoefling Steizner has arranged a programme which includes a discourse by Dr. Albert Shiels on "Education in the Home;" another by Mrs. E. H. Brooks on "Educating the Homemaker," and some musical interludes. The meeting will be open to the public.

EAT LESS MEAT IF BACK HURTS

Take a Glass of Salts to Flush Kidneys if Bladder Bothers You.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

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EIGHT years of careful, scientific, practical, day-by-day experimentation with the use of fertilizers on plots at the Riverside experiment station have resulted in a statement last week that, of all fertilizers applied, the ordinary barnyard fertiliser has shewn the best, the most definite and satisfactory results.

This conclusion is the most important result reached at this station because it substantiates the observations of the practical rancher and demonstrates a record of actual performance, with but the element of guesswork. Professors, laboratory workers and general staff alike of the experiment station agree this conclusion is correct.

Dr. W. P. Kelly, professor of agricultural chemistry at the station, during the sessions of the citrus institute at Riverside last week, was the spokesman for the university on this particular question, and his statements were plain enough to be satisfactory to all of the many ranchers who attended the sessions of that important convention. He was corroborated in his statements by Prof. R. S. Vaile, Dr. H. J. Webber, the latter being dean of the citrus experiment station, and the findings from the treatment of these experimental plots are very generally accepted by all the members of the station staff.

Investigations have been in progress at the small citrus station at Riverside for eight years, since its authorization by the State. there have been a number of newer experiments started, several at Arlington, now two and one-half years old, and many and various ones on the Chase orchards, the Limoneira orchards, and on the lands of other individual ranchers, but the experiment in fertilization at the Rubidoux tract in Riverside is practically the only one from which a conclusion can be drawn, and it is at this point it has been demonstrated the rancher must pay most vital attention to the question of keeping a liberal amount of organic matter in the soil.

As one speaker said last week, the necessity for keeping organic matter in the soil in liberal quantities has been known for thousands of years. It is one of the oldest facts known to husbandry, and therefore one of the oldest facts in the human mind. But hundreds of conflicting, ramifying and digressing near-facts about fertilization have been accumulating, especially in the last seventy-five years and in California during the last two decades, and this has tended to confuse and render more costly and oftentimes less profitable the business of growing crops for a market.

TREES MUST BE VIGOROUS.

The hundreds of ranchers who looked over the Rubidoux experiments last week noticed that the plots consistently treated with dried blood for eight years were in splendid condition, but they noticed that the plots treated with barn-yard fertilizer were in still better condition. They also noticed one plot which had been treated with other kinds of fertilizer, had set, and was ripening a very good crop, but the trees were in poor condition, and the deterioration of the plant in many ways was evident. Dr. Kelly warned the ranchers against placing any particular emphasis on the amount of fruit which a tree might have at any one or particular time, reminding them that a gopher-mined tree, about to die, will oftentimes bear an astonishing crop as a last effort before giving up the ghost. It seems to be an established fact of vegetable nature, that just before the parent dies, it produces offspring supposedly a deliberate act to perpetuate the species.

Therefore, the most successful experiment shown was when a steadily-increasing condition of physical good had been shewn in the tree itself. The healthy condition of the tree is a brighter harbinger for the future than can be any one or spasmodic crop. It is on this basis, now, more than hypothesis, that the station directors are concentrating attention on barn-yard manure, nitrogenous-bearing cover crops and all sources of real and available organic plant food.

Dr. Kelly makes the statement "we have seen little or no results in ten years of experience with the use of potash or phosphoric acid." He is borne out in this statement by Prof. Vaile.

There is a small qualification made by Dr. Kelly in speaking of the Rubidoux experiments. He says they are not "ideal experiments;" they necessarily have been conducted on the soil peculiar to that locality, but he believes the general results are broad enough to apply to most soils in Southern California.

VISUAL RESULTS.

Some plots at Rubidoux were carried on with trees treated with potash, phosphoric acid and nitrogen, applied in various ways. Other plots were treated with stable manure. Still other plots with stable manure plus a cover crop, and many other methods of enriching the soil. The most outstanding fact, according to Dr. Kelly, is where stable manure, phosphate and cover crops were used, the trees showed a consistent, year-after-year improvement, and the soil was maintained to better satisfaction.

There are growers who believe that coarse, organic fertilizers make coarse fruit, the speaker said. Shall we condemn stable manure on this basis? The soils of Southern California are extremely deficient in organic matter. The reason there is any organic matter at all even in the so-called virgin soils of California, is because its process of bleaching out and of decomposition was not so rapid in the days before cultivation, owing to the sealing over of the surface during the dry months, allowing the soil to lie practically dormant, and because plant-life did not call upon the soil for subsistence in such large quantities, and only for a period of about six months in the year.

That the expenditure of organic matter is multiplied many times by the keeping of a constant growth on the soil, especially a gross feeder like the citrus tree, and decomposition very rapid, is the reason the soil is easily and rapidly depleted of organic substance. Therefore, Southern California soils are at all times deficient in organic matter unless it is constantly applied. It does not, in the opinion of Dr. Kelly, produce a coarse fruit when liberal amounts of organic matter are used.

He bases his statement on the years of steady experiment at Rubidoux showing the fruit taken from the plots where stable manure and cover crops were consistently used, has been "much better fruit in quality and in yield," and groves in Southern California, coming under his investigation, which have been consistently and liberally fed with stable manure and cover crops, are the groves in the best condition, and which have produced the best returns, year after year. The important lesson, of the Rubidoux experiments, is the necessity for a steady upkeep of organic materials in the soils of Southern California.

THE BACTERIA QUESTION.

Dr. Kelly declares the question of beneficial bacteria in the soil about which much has been heard in the last five years, is a correlated subject—that bacteria only thrives in a soil where there is plenty of organic matter and moisture. His observations have shown him the activity of bacteria is invariably much more evident where stable manure is used, and where this is coupled with a moist condition at all times.

Dr. Kelly places emphasis on the use of stable manure because this was the method of obtaining organic matter for these particular plots, but whether the same result shall be obtained from the use of bean-straw, various cover-crops, dry alfalfa, or all combined is not particularly material in his estimation—it all depending on the question of what kind can be obtained the easiest and cheapest, and at the same time give satisfaction.

THE NITROGEN QUESTION.

The second point in importance to be derived from the Rubidoux experiment is the question of nitrogen.

Dr. Kelly says the amount of nitrogen taken out of Southern California soils by leaching is much larger than the amount taken out by the crop. He quoted Dr. Hopkins of Illinois as saying the greatest problem in soil management is the retention of nitrogen and the close study of the growing of legumes for this purpose is one that the rancher must concentrate upon. Oranges use more nitrogen than corn or wheat, and with this fact is the emphasizing one that Southern California soil does not contain as much nitrogen as eastern soils—it is a limited element in all this region in general. Legumes, such as cow-peas, alfalfa, vetch, and the clovers are the supplying agencies to the California farmer, extracting the nitrogen from the air, storing it in nodules on the roots of the plant, and by the process of decay, distributing it to the soil and thence to other plants. Green cover crops plowed under will become available in nitrogen very rapidly, in fact as rapidly as the prepared, commercial nitrogen, the speaker declared.

Dr. Kelly spoke of the experimental plots treated consistently with nitrogen as purchased—steamed bone, dried blood and nitrate of soda. He made the positive statement; plots treated with dried blood showed better results in every way than those treated with any of the other combinations.

DANGEROUS SODIUM NITRATE.

Dr. Kelley then said nitrate of soda in any form or in any kind of combination is injurious to the soil, and that certain harm will follow its use.

"It is not the nitrate that does the injury," said Dr. Kelley, "but it is its undesirable partner, the sodium, which makes nitrate of soda a thing to be shunned by all farmers." This statement, as well as all others, was based on the results obtained in the Rubidoux tract, where the nitrate of soda trees showed such a ravaged appearance. Science teaches us where nitrate of soda is used for long periods troubles invariably arise. For one thing, when the sodium enters the humus goes out—this is a demonstrated chemical action. Nitrate of soda is a good thing to leave alone. The second point of importance is the necessity for the use of organic nitrogen, which is found in organic matter, such as stable and kindred manures, and organic nitrogen, such as is procured from dried blood, tankage, etc.

The potash content in Southern California soils is very high. It does not disappear scarcely at all by leaching. It is somewhat different in the case of phosphoric acid. The total amount of this soil ingredient in California soils is not high, but what there is is highly available. This does not mean crops can be grown forever in this State without replenishing the soil with phosphoric acid. Corn growers of the Middle West grew heavy crops of corn for many years without the application of this ingredient and were finally forced to use it in fertilizer.

Where there can only be a general analysis because manures vary more than almost any other commodity, the speaker laid down a general and workable analysis of their nitrogenous qualities as follows:

	Nitrogen Contained.
Stable manure, 10 tons, 100 lbs.	
Bean straw, 4 tons, 90 lbs.	
Alfalfa, 2½ tons, 90 to 100 lbs.	

WHERE TO OBTAIN IT.

Dr. Webber, dean of the citrus experiment station, rose, to supplement Dr. Kelley's remarks by calling attention to the fact not all ranchers in California could use stable manure at the same time. Stable manure is a scarce commodity the world over, he said. Why advocate it, when it cannot be obtained for all, he asked. And he answered this by saying the best plant food that can be obtained should be used when the other is not obtainable.

He said if alfalfa continued to show the promise it has in the past as an organic fertiliser it may well be within the bounds of reason to predict alfalfa will be grown particularly for the purpose of supplying manure for orange groves, and this can be done by the growers themselves on cheap lands, either rented or purchased for that purpose. It was his theory in the event the experiment station could bring to a conclusion its beliefs concerning alfalfa a great increase in this industry will be seen in the State. Dr. Webber declared in conclusion it was now a question of where the organic matter is to come from, for it must be had. A commodity is worth what one must pay for it if it is absolutely necessary.

Development.

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Entering Cattle-raising Industry with a Fifty Thousand Dollar Land Purchase, W. F. Holt Will Become Factor in Progress.

W. F. Holt of this city, who from the very beginning of the development of activities in Imperial Valley was an important factor in many lines of its progress, recently has turned his attention to the stock-raising industry. Not long ago he acquired large land holdings in the San Fernando Valley, where he expects eventually to erect a magnificent home and raise fine thoroughbred stock. Within the past few days he has closed a deal that also gives him possession of a large tract of land in Ventura county, which will also be devoted to stock raising.

This purchase was made from W. H. Stephens of this city. The land, 5000 acres, is located about six miles southeast of Fillmore, and a railroad station is located within one mile of the land. It is fenced and cross-fenced. The purchase price was $50,000.

Mr. Holt plans to stock the place with Hereford cattle, and will put from 15,000 to 20,000 head of stock on the ranch within a short time. He is much interested in the plans for establishing a national stock show in Los Angeles, and declares that he firmly believes such a show will prove a great benefit to Los Angeles and Southern California.

Y.M.C.A.

MANY ARE TAKING BUSINESS COURSES.

CITY IS WIDELY HERALDED AS EDUCATIONAL CENTER.

Stores, Banks, Business Houses and Corporations Offering Inducements for Men Trained in Association Courses Where Executives are Schooled.

Los Angeles as a business educational center is being heralded far and wide, according to a report of the Y.M.C.A. school of commerce and finance, 1000 of whose graduates during the past eight years have not only threaded almost every branch of business and industry in this city, but have gone north, east and south to carry the name of Los Angeles with them. Students of the Y.M.C.A. schools are even making a success in foreign countries.

In many Los Angeles department stores, banks and business houses auditors, cashiers, managers and various executives have received their early training or the instruction that put them in their present capacities in the day or night schools of the Young Men's Christian Association, the report says. The auditor for the San Francisco Panama-Pacific Exposition was a graduate of the Los Angeles Y.M.C.A. school of commerce and finance. Cern. Winters recited a number

In addition to sending its students to all parts of this and foreign countries, the schools are now said to be drawing young men from all parts of the west into Los Angeles for their commercial or technical training. One day this week enrollments in commercial, automobile and accountancy courses were received from young men just arrived from Bisbee, Ariz., Spokane, Wash., Enterprise, Or., and Felt, Idaho, to say nothing of registrations from surrounding towns in Southern California and other cities farther north in the State.

William Winters, a seaman, who became an automobile expert in the Y.M.C.A. auto school, has just returned from South Africa, where he was sent by a large automobile concern. Winters receited a number of narrow escapes in the riots of Cape Town and in service under Gen. Botha in Egypt and Mesopotamia. At one time his helper was shot while seated beside him on an armored car. He returned to the United States by way of India.

"I had to risk my neck a good many times," said Winters, "but still there was a lot of fun in it—and I got good pay for it, too."

Another student of the auto school is operating one of the first caterpillar traction motors used in California. Still another graduate, Rev. Cyrus A. Clark, a missionary in Japan, uses the knowledge he gained in the Los Angeles school, in touring that country preaching to the populace from the roadside. His automobile is known as the "Gospel Auto."

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TYPEWRITER DEVICE.

Former Los Angeles Schoolboy Invents Bars Which Carry Small Words in Common Usage and Brings Typing Up to Fullest Speed.

According to word just received from the patent office, Clyde M. Smith, a Los Angeles youth employed at room 718 Knickerbocker Building, has secured protective rights upon a device which may prove an important innovation in the typewriter field. His device provides for ready-made words of common usage, and these will be placed upon a row of bars with other characters on the keyboard.

The improvement provides for common words like "and," "the," "of," "that," "what" and other similar words adjusted upon the keyboard, all ready to place upon paper with one tap of the key, instead of spelling out the whole word. It is claimed by the youthful inventor his idea will bring the modern typewriter to the latest point of perfection and make it possible to be used at full dictational speed.

Young Smith is 19 years old and attended the public schools here. He is now a typewriter repairer. He claims his plan is perfectly practicable, and machines carrying his device will be no more cumbersome than those carrying tabulators.

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OPENS VISITING SEASON.

FIRST OF STRING OF ROAD SHOWS THIS WEEK.

Opening of the Mason Operahouse for the season, with an almost unbroken line of bookings, until late spring, will occur tomorrow night.

"Hobson's Choice" is the vehicle which will unlock the doors. While the Mason is opening the Burbank is in its last week, unless arrangements are made for a change in the plan for closing, as has lately been intimated.

The Morosco Theater is to present a new play this week.

Vaudeville will have several notable offerings. "The Forest Fire" is said to be the biggest spectacle act ever produced. A quaint production will be "Childhood Memories," while a musical tabloid of quality is "A Nut Sundae."

Mason.

"Hobson's Choice," the offering at the Mason to open tomorrow night, is a hilarious farce comedy which has been pleasing London, New York, Boston and Chicago for more than a year. The original English company will appear in the play, the cast including Viola Roach, Galway Herbert, Marshall Vincent, Lionel Bevans, Rhoda Beresford, Esther Mendel, Venie Atherton, Phyllis Birkett, Noel Tearle, James C. Malaidy, Thomas J. Donnely, Warren F. Hill and others.

The story, by Harold Brighouse, deals with Maggie Hobson, clerk and manager of her father's shoe shop and household, who has two marriageable sisters and a very self-assertive, domineering father. Tired of being "ordered about" under the parental roof, she starts a domestic rebellion.

Being a typical leap-year heroine, she proposes to one of her father's shoe hands, Willie Mossop. Maggie discovers in Willie a cobbling genius, and sees in him a future. But Willie does not want to marry Maggie. He is engaged to another girl, but Maggie fixes that by tearing him away from his fiancee's arms, taking him to church to be wed, and then setting him up in business in opposition to her tyrannical father. Maggie's methods in winning a husband for herself and one for each of her sisters provide continual hilarious surprises.

Miss Roach will be seen as Maggie.

Burbank.

This promises to be good-by week at the Burbank Theater. Beginning tomorrow night, the players will offer an elaborate production of the famous drama, "The Rosary." This is the first time this play has been seen in stock or in the West. Next Sunday, it is announced, the Burbank will close its doors as a stock house, and the policy for the future has not as yet been announced.

The cast which will present "The Rosary" will include Joseph Galbraith, Inez Plummer, Frank Darien, Warner Baxter, Dora Mae Howe, A. Burt Wesner, Nolan Leary and many other Burbank favorites.

Morosco.

The romantic farce by George M. Cohan, "Hawthorne of the U.S.A.," will be the attraction at the Morosco, commencing this afternoon. Richard Dix will have the role which Charles Ruggles made famous.

"Hawthorne of the U.S.A." is described as one of the liveliest and surest-fire laugh getters to be seen here this season. The story centers around the adventures of a young American in the Balkans. It lends itself to beautiful stage settings, and Stage Director Fred J. Butler has collaborated with Scenic Artist John Collette to give the Morosco patrons a beautiful production.

Dix will have his first real opportunity to display his dramatic abilities in this play. Supporting him will be Ruth Robinson, as the princess whom everybody is trying to marry; Lola May, Lillian Elliott, James Corrigan, Charles Buck, Herbert Farjeon, Wallace Howe, Lawrence Jackson, Frederick Bertram, Joseph Eggenton, Harry Duffield, Harry Schumm, William G. Quinn, Edward J. Peil and others.

Little Theater.

"Papa," by Zoe Akins, will enter its third week at the Little Theater Tuesday evening. This brilliant comedy of manners is being well received by the public. With "Papa" Miss Akins has established herself firmly as a writer of bright satire.

The play is being ably interpreted by the members of the Players Producing Company, which includes Percival Vivian, Violette Wilson, Kirah Markham, Irving Pichel, Clarissa Selwynne, Frayne Williams, Adolphe Milar and Corinne Johnson.

Richard Ordynski's production has received thousands of compliments.

Hippodrome.

Three headliners are promised on the Hippodrome bill opening tomorrow. The Florence Troupe of acrobats are among the cleverest of their kind, and offer a very spectacular act. "Childhood Memories," presented by Claire Hanson and company, is said to be a delight both to children and grown-ups. Ralph Whitehead and company will stage a routine of musical comedy items.

Others on the bill will be Loever and Le Roy, blackface funsters; Frank Rodgers, billed as the world's greatest colored ventriloquist; the DeBars, in a unique water juggling feature, and Mariotte's Manikins in a novelty act.

Orpheum.

The biggest act scenically ever sent out in vaudeville is scheduled in "The Forest Fire," Langdon McCormick's spectacle, which will headline the Orpheum bill opening tomorrow afternoon. Two railroad cars are required to transport the scenery and properties, and much of the set has to be erected at the opening of its engagement here. Thirty persons take part, and a thrilling series of stage pictures culminates in the flight of a full-sized locomotive across the stage through a forest apparently in flames. There is no real fire used in the act, but so vivid and realistic is the effect that a foot-note is used on the programme assuring timid folk of the fact. Sylvia Bidwell plays the leading role.

Others on the bill will be Josie Heather, the charming English comedienne, accompanied by Bobbie Heather and William Casey, Jr.; Ruth Budd, in a thrilling aerial act; Johnny Cantwell and Rita Walker, in "Get the Fly Stuff;" the Brightons in a novelty "art" act, in which varicolored rags are made into pictures, and the holdovers, including "The Bride Shop," Ernest R. Ball and Maud Lambert.

Pantages.

A great musical "girl act," carrying a large company; one of the cleverest Japanese acrobatic acts in vaudeville and a trio of remarkably clever boys, promise to make the Pantages bill opening tomorrow one of the best of late. The Mori Brothers, sons of Nippon, do barrel manipulating as only orientals can, with novel contortion stunts.

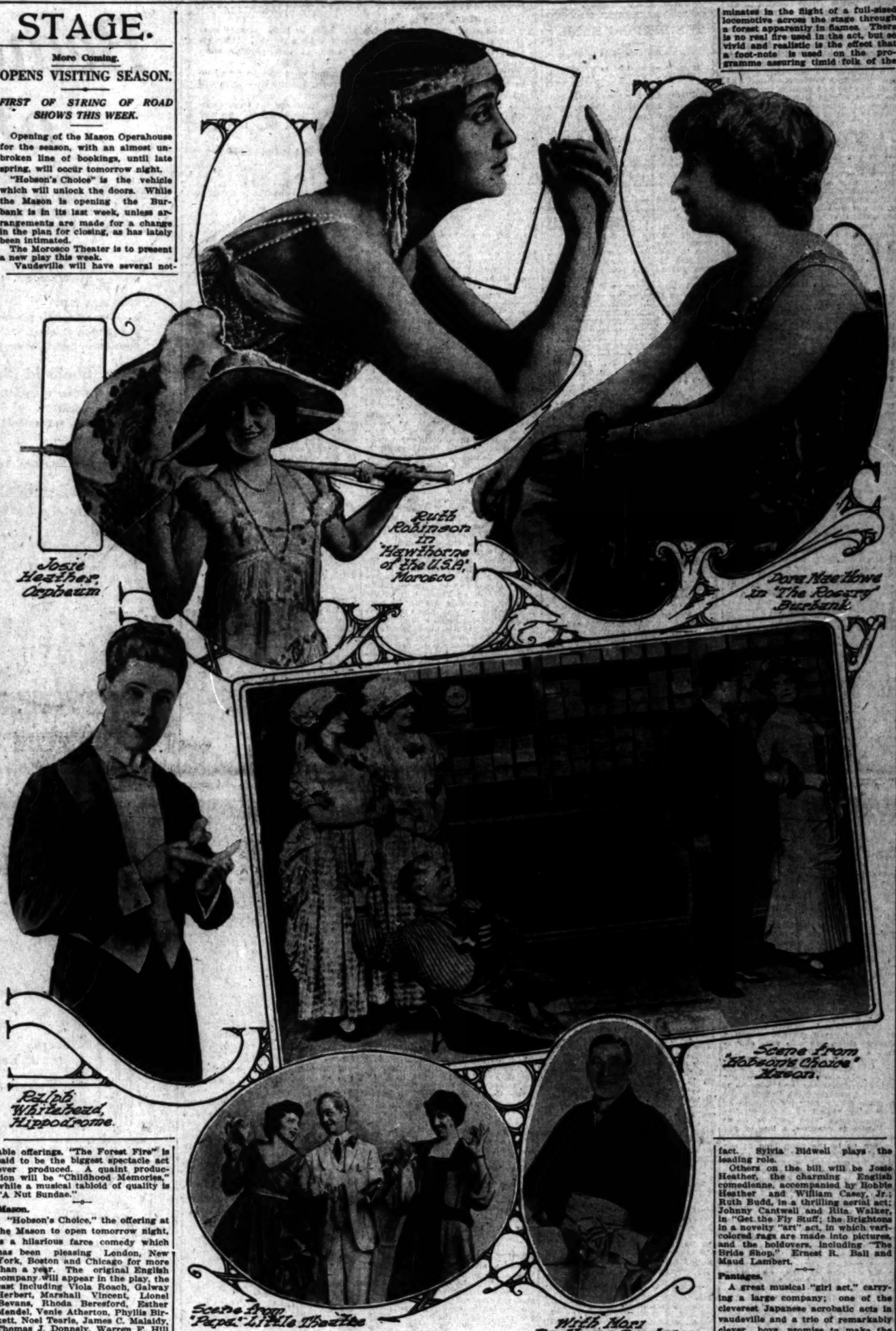
"A Nut Sundae" is a tabloid, carrying a cast of twelve, including the nuts, who incidentally are very good looking embellishments. The act is described as of mirth, melody and the dance.

Sherman, Van and Hyman, three lively boys, dance, sing and play. Clifford and Mack, a man and a very pretty girl, have a routine of songs and chatter that is best described as neat and classy. Their "Let Me Know the Day Before," "Hypnotiser" and "Microbe" numbers are hits.

Valentine Vox, the ventriloquist, presents a novelty in his act, in that he does not approach the dummy, which is worked from behind the scenes. He puts over a double-voiced song at the close of his act. Elsie White, a comedienne, has several character ditties that go well.

"The Lass of the Lumberlands" with Helen Holmes, complete a bill that should prove a good standard of variety.

Andrew Carnegie was 81 years old on November 25, and spent the day at his home in New York with his family and a few friends. He is in remarkably good health.



Josie Heather, Orpheum

Ruth Robinson in "Hawthorne of the U.S.A.," Morosco

Dore Mae Howe in "The Rosary," Burbank

Ralph Whitehead, Hippodrome.

Scene from "Hobson's Choice," Mason.

Scene from "Papa," Little Theatre

Mori Brothers, Pantages.

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MUSICAL

Favorite.

POPULAR DIVA'S RETURN

SCHUMANN-HEINK IN RECITAL. LOCAL ARTISTS' WORK.

The pendulum of musical attractions has been swinging toward the popular artist the early part of this season. Again this week will appear a favorite with the public whose great joyously human personality always proves a delight to her great host of admirers. Mme. Schumann-Heink is to sing twice at Trinity Auditorium, instead of once as originally scheduled. Her first recital will be Tuesday evening, and she will give the matinee programme incorporated in the afternoon Philharmonic course Saturday. This will be the famous singer's first appearance here since the managefest in the summer of 1915.

The programme for Tuesday evening is an unusual one. It contains four selections from the Wagner operas, the performances of which in this country and abroad have often been made notable by Mme. Schumann-Heink's interpretation of leading roles. A distinct source of enjoyment also will be her presentation of the Schumann song cycle "Frauenliebe und Leben." This is a charming drama in miniature and something of a novelty locally. A mixed group will close the offering.

The programme for Saturday is in the popular vein and contains the list of songs that has made Schumann-Heink the great favorite she is with the concert-going public.

Following are the various selections in detail for the two recitals:

Tuesday evening: Erda scene from "Das Rheingold," Waltraute scene from "Die Gotterdammerung," Brangaene's Ruf from "Tristan und Isolde" and "Hirten Knabe Liedchen" from "Tannhauser" (Richard Wagner;) song cycle, "Frauenliebe und Leben," (Robert Schumann,) including "His Image," "He, of All the Best, the Noblest," "Heavenly Dream," "Thou Ring Upon My Finger," "Bridal Day," "Tears of Happiness," "Love's Delight" and "The Forsaken;" "War" (James H. Rogers;) "Before the Crucifix" (Frank La Forge;) "Danny Deever" (Fred E. Weatherly;) "Kerry Dance" (J. L. Malloy,) and "Bolero" (Arditi.)

Saturday matinee: "My Heart Ever Faithful" (J. S. Bach;) "Ich liebe dich" (Beethoven;) aria, "Ah Mon Fils," from opera "Le Prophete" (Meyerbeer;) "Du bist die Ruh," "Die Forelle" and "Der Erlkonig" (Frank Schubert;) "Traum durch die Dammerung" (R. Strauss;) "Heimweh" (Hugo Wolf;) "Mutter an der Wiege" (Carl Lowe;) "Spinnerliedchen" (R. Reimann collection, seventeenth century;) "Down in the Desert" (Gertrude Ross;) "Cry of Rachel" (M. E. Salter;) "Down in the Forest" (Landon Ronald;) "The Rosary" (Ethelbert Nevin,) and "Good-morning, Sue" (Lee Dellbea.)

Woman's Orchestra.

A bright and entertaining programme is to be presented by the Woman's Orchestra, under the baton of Henry Schoenefeld, Wednesday morning at 10:15 o'clock at Blanchard Hall. This is the first of three morning musicales to be given by this interesting local organization this year. The forces of the orchestra have been enlarged by a considerable number of professional players, and a marked advance over past work is anticipated.

Soloist for the concert will be Mrs. Henley Bussing, soprano, who has proved her thoroughly delightful vocal attributes on more than one occasion heretofore in this city and elsewhere. She is to sing several refreshing open-air numbers that will prove especially popular.

Following is the programme: Overture, "Preciosa" (Weber) and two lyric pieces (Mason,) String Orchestra; "Ah le so" (Mozart) and "Gentle Lark" (Bishop,) Mrs. Bussing; flute obligato, Minnie V. Percival; "March Leonora" (Raff) and Symphony in E flat, Mannetto, Finale (Haydn,) Woman's Orchestra; "Whyte Lillie" (Old English,) "The Robin Sings" (MacDowell) and "Liebesfeier" (Schoenefeld,) Mrs. Bussing; "Ballet Russe" (Luigini,) Woman's Orchestra.

Timmner-Lott Trio.

Having with one appearance attained a position of no small preeminence in the local musical world, the Timmner-Lott trio organization will give its second recital Thursday evening at the Woman's Club House. A unique feature of the programme will be the String Quintette in G minor (by Mozart) for two violins, two violas and violoncello. Besides the regular members of the trio, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Timmner, G. T. Benkert, violinist, and Richard Schliewin and O. Humdhammer, viola players, will assist in this number. The Mozart Quintette has never before been heard in the city. Mr. Timmner has studied the work of Mozart very thoroughly and understands the interpretation of his compositions as few persons do at the present time. Besides the quintette Mrs. Timmner and Mrs. Clifford Lott will play the Sonata in C minor for 'cello and piano, by Saint-Saens. The Piano Quartette in E-flat major, by Schumann, one of the loveliest of chamber music numbers, also will be given.

Cadman's Recent Success.

Charles Wakefield Cadman, who is now a member of Los Angeles' family of composers, in so far as a composer can be said to belong to any particular city, has added several cubits to his already large fame in his recital appearances in New York this season. He was accorded an exceedingly flattering reception when he appeared in a programme of Indian novelties, assisted by Princess Tsianina. They are coming West later in the season, and are to give a recital here on the Philharmonic course.

Cadman has attained an enviable place as an organizer of crude native melodies of the red man into interesting compositions. Speaking of his recital, the New York Evening Post said regarding this phase: "Edward MacDowell found the music of the American Indians a source of inspiration, and so did, on a much larger scale, Harvey W. Loomis and many others. Mr. Loomis has been particularly successful in preserving the wild-plum and grape flavor of red music. Mr. Cadman mixes it with more of the

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OF ART AND ARTISTS.

BY ANTONY ANDERSON.

The Impressionist.

Could I but make the twilight stars to sing
Upon my canvas, kindle May reborn
To sweep along the valley, call the morn
To flash across the world its crimson wing,
Unleash the chains of the bright brooks of spring
That weary hearts might hear them, they, the worn
With life's long sickness, those who laugh to scorn
Plain joys of earth — to set them wondering!
Ah, could one picture veritably show
The soul of fact, the commonplace's might,
It would interpret, quicken some man's sight—
As when at sunset dusty toilers go
Languidly homeward through a street below,
Procession-like, bathed in a heavenly light.

—[FLORENCE WILKINSON.

Efforts and Effects.

Only the other day an artist—a musician—reproached me with being a classicist. He had just played for me something from Debussy, and then something from Beethoven, and I had decidedly preferred the latter. Debussy had interested me greatly, but he had also excited and bewildered me, while Beethoven's melody, his perfect form, had given me nothing but pleasure. Even the musician, a modern of the modern in his tastes—and especially in his opinions, a very different matter—had to admit that the Bethoven number was beautiful.

Exactly what is a classicist? And is he always, of necessity, a reactionary? I think not. It seems to me that the man of classic spirit is he who looks for "clearness, compactness, measure and balance" in art—in short, for that perfection of form, which is art's one universal language, and without which the artist may be understood, but is quite as likely not to be. The classicist does not deny the value of the poetic and the spontaneous, the importance of the idea. He does not believe that substance should be sacrificed to form, but that the two should be beautifully balanced — a difficult but quite possible performance even for the man of temperament, even for the painter who is more poet than artist.

You cannot get away from the fact that each of the arts has its own conventions, which are matte "classical" by time, and which may not be rejected without producing chaos. Color, emotion, feeling—these are all the more effective when they are expressed with form, or at least their charm is made more enduring.

To be a classicist is to be enamored of form and regardless of any artistic content—as my musical friend perhaps thinks—then, decidedly, I am not a classicist, for I hold that if a work of plastic art expresses no idea (a sufficiently elastic word, by the way,) it is null and void and might better have been left unuttered. "Words, words, words," said Hamlet, and "More matter with less art," said his impatient mother—or rather, Shakespeare, being a consummate artist, here seized an opportunity to give vent to some of his own opinions on the subject.

In his day Shakespeare was as modern as, say, almost any member of the Los Angeles Modern Art Society, and he chose one of the most difficult of all methods of art expression, that of playwriting. His imagination was perhaps more active than that of any other human being that ever lived. He had a great many things to say about his fellowmen, and he was a wonderful poet besides—yet he kept within the form of the five-act play, and "Lear" is as compelling today as it ever was. Shakespeare's form is not that of Moliere. He broke many of the traditions, but he held fast to those most needful. His urn was of Attic shape, though almost overweighted with ornamentation, with brede of men and maidens, "with forest branches and the trodden weed." He became a classic in spite of himself, for his artistry was equal to his poetry.

Which swings me back again to the Los Angeles Modern Art Society, whose members, to the number of thirteen, are holding their first annual exhibition of some sixty or seventy pictures and sketches at the Black Shop of West Seventh street, where it will remain to December 16. Don't miss it, for it is one of the most interesting exhibitions of the year, vivid and stimulating. It impelled me to speak about the classic in art, and in the same way it may induce you to give expression to other things—even vituperation, if you cherish dense bigotries in matters of art. If you are an eclectic—as I hope—you will have the time of your life, for you may pick and choose to your heart's content, assured that you are reveling in the very latest things in paint.

The L.A.M.A.S. are not, of course, anti-classical in their ideals, but they are dead set against form that has become merely formal, against picture making that has become mechanical, and they uphold, with keen eyes and vigorous brushes, their search for sincerity of expression, for directness in its truth-telling, and for that broad vision which would encompass the world. In fact, the L.A.M.A.S. have raised a standard befitting their name, one bearing a legend of battle and ultimate conquest. Of battle, assuredly. The word "modern" is enough—it makes many good and well-meaning people see red.

But there may be, and there often is, a new way of looking at familiar things, and in the case of painting and its subjects the "moderns" think they have found it. They have thrown aside, so to speak, the blinkers put upon them by masters of the rule-of-thumb, and have found, as I have said, what they believe to be the wider view. But they are discoverers even more than they are iconoclasts, builders rather than wreckers. In fine, they maintain that the painter should at all times be unhampered in his expression. He should be free, not bound hand and foot by formulas. Let us not forget this attitude, the essential modern spirit in life as well as in art. "Tout comprendre, c'est tout justifier."

The modern tendency in criticism has been more and more toward impressionism, toward the quick survey, the sympathetic understanding. If, comprehending everything, the critic does not justify quite everything, he at least condemns as mercifully as he can, and he gives much regard to "extenuating circumstances." The painter, he holds, may be less black than he paints, or he may be less modern than he advertises.

At all events, there are all sorts and conditions of modernity in the works of the thirteen painters now found at the Black Shops. Robert Henri is modern, if you like, in his vivid and colorful portrait entitled "Edna," but is Victor Higgins in his equally beautiful, but very different, "Indian Still Life"? When I say "different" I refer, of course, to technique, not subject. Henri's brush work is brilliant and bold, the exquisite handling of Higgins bears hardly a sign of the brush. Yet both pictures are unusually attractive. The flesh in Henri's young girl is all glowing and melting loveliness, the black olla in Higgins's study is poised as delicately as if it were about to float in air, or as if it were about to liberate a genii of a thousand magics. Few still-lives have so much distinction as this one. Grace Ravlin's "The Studio Supper" is rich and full in color, wonderful in arrangement, but it has not the exquisite envelope of air, the translucent play of light, that we find in "Indian Still Life."

The moderns, in love with actuality, do not disdain still life; in fact, they paint it very often, though here they are blazing no new trail, for most of the great masters of painting have delighted in it. In the present exhibition Bert C. Cressey has two of much tonal and color charm, textures being rendered with subtlety as well as truth. These are "The Loaf" and "Studio Stove." Cressey's "Rue Froidveaux" is also completely realized. Meta L. Cressey's still life, "Japanese Doll," is a sketch full of vitality, white poppies in a vase, the doll herself being but a very small accessory to the fact.

Mrs. Cressey has two outdoor studies that are as vivid as the still life and much more significant. In "Turkeys" she has struck a color note of rich and vibrant quality, and in "Fisherman's Camp" we find a breadth of vision, a bigness of effect, that are indeed stimulating. From Richard Miller comes "The Garden," a sparkling little canvas recently painted in Pasadena, and of course done in this brilliant technician's able manner. Miller is past-master with the brush. Walter Ufer contributes "Desert and Mountain," painted with simplicity and distinction, a rocky slope rising toward a sky of somber blue.

"Peace," by Rex Slinkard, would be as darkly lovely in color by any other name, and indeed you might call it "War" without harm to your sense of enjoyment. A picture means exactly what you find in it. At any rate, there is beautiful harmony of hues in this canvas called "Peace." Jack Gage Stark's "Call on the Mountain" may mean a hundred things. Its deep note of blue, on which is imposed the rich green of a broad-leaved tree, its serrated peaks whose edges are enameled with rainbow hues, give you an impression of exaltation and mystery. "Mountain," also by Stark, renders a certain mood with great felicity.

I have already had occasion to speak of the temperamental animation of the work of Karl Yens. This painter has some salient faults, but he is always and above everything else, supremely artistic. All the objects and aspects of nature offer him pictorial possibilities that he is always eager to take. His alertness of eye is coupled with facility of hand, and I suspect that he never works without enthusiasm. This happy energy, this quick seizure of the picture, are found in "Have a Chapote," in "Her Silent Guest" and in the two other large canvases from his brush, as well as in the smaller ones that he contributes.

Diverse opinions were expressed to me, the other day, concerning the work of Henrietta M. Shore. A literary man was looking at the pictures with me. He did not care for them at all. On the other hand, another man, a painter of note, found them naif and delightful. It gave him positive joy to look at them. I myself am still on the fence, so to speak. I admit their naivete, but I do not concur to their color, which strikes me as being sometimes forced beyond the breaking point, and I could wish that Miss Shore would strive for more quality and less way from the feeling of paint. There is fine force, if not actual characterization, in the large canvas entitled "Negro Woman and Children," and "Among the Hills," a smaller canvas, is lovely and poetic, one of the most engaging pictures in the gallery. When Miss Shore paints like that I am with her every time. Her small pastels, exhibited without titles, are also very attractive.

The ten talents given Edgar Keller seem to be always active. Painting is only one of his many artistic forms of expression, and here he is alert and experimental. Consider the diversity of the four big pictures he is showing, then look at the smaller unnamed ones. "One Day" brings us to Venice in summer, a line of gay umbrellas, aglow in the sunlight, leading us to the deep blue of sea and sky. "The Thaw" brings us up to snowy mountain gorges by subtle rhythms of line and color. "The Park" is a poster decoration of many perpendicular lines, its scheme of color being dark, simple and effective. "Eskimo Belle" is a figure study of arresting energy.

Helena Dunlap's "Hunting Buffalo" is not, despite its title, a canvas of many figures of men and animals, but the portrait of a young Indian. It is a superb bit of painting, strong in character, beautiful in its scheme of light and color, broad and free in its handling. I have seen nothing from Miss Dunlap's brush that I liked better, though her smaller study of a young Russian girl with an orange-colored kerchief tied round her head, follows as a close second. This, too, is absolutely convincing in character. "Teresita" I do not like so well: it has not the quality of the other two. "Mexican Graveyard at Taos" renders a scene and a mood with somber fidelity, and in the same strong brushwork that we always expect from this fine painter and true artist.

On the whole, the L. A. M.A.S. are offering a first exhibition of absorbing interest. More and more may be expected from them, for they are painters who are alive—in short, modern.

News and Notes.

An exhibition of miniatures by Ella Shepard Bush will be held at the artist's studio in Sierra Madre from 2 to 4:30 p.m. on November 26, 27 and 28. Miss Bush's studio is at the corner of Laurel and Adams streets.

Joseph Greenbaum is at present in San Francisco, where he is executing some portrait commissions. On his return, in a few days, he will hold an exhibition of his recent work at the Friday Morning Club. The canvases will probably be in place on the morning of December 8.

Marco Zim, formerly of Los Angeles, but now having a permanent studio in Santa Barbara, is about to hold an exhibition of paintings and sculptures at the Battey gallery, No. 294 East Colorado street, Pasadena. The exhibition opens December 1, to continue for two weeks.

The landscapes that William Lees Judson has been showing at the Daniell gallery, No. 640 South Hill street, will remain on view to the end of the present week.

M. B. Bemis is showing a score of water colors and pastels in the public library at Hermosa Beach. The most of them are shore studies sympathetically rendered.

THE HELPING HAND.

"How far that little candle throws his beams!
So shines a good deed in a naughty world."

William C. Muschenheim, proprietor of the Hotel Astor, New York, played Santa Claus to 1400 of his employees last week, when he called them together and handed each one a life insurance policy. Every one who has been employed at the hotel for a year or more received a policy and the total amount of the insurance was more than $250,000.

The lowest policy was for $500, which was issued to all workers in the hotel who had been on the staff for a year. For every additional year of service another $100 was added. The largest policy was given to Tom Horton, who has been employed by Mr. Muschenheim for thirty years. His policy called for $3400.

Next came Peter, well known to patrons as head waiter of the Louis XVI room, who, with a record of twenty-six years, received a policy for $3000. The third largest went to Miss Mary Herson, employed as housekeeper for twenty-five years.

Twenty employees with records of from fifteen to twenty years got policies ranging from $1900 to $2400. Fifty more averaged between $1400 and $1900.

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The Rt. Rev. Edwin S. Lines, bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Newark, has announced a contribution of $50,000 from James Barber, a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Englewood, to the cathedral fund.

Some time ago a cathedral chapter was organized in the diocese, its object being to raise funds to erect a million dollar cathedral. Subsequently a site in East Orange was offered to the chapter, the price being $50,000. Mr. Barber offered the contribution for the purchase of the proffered site.

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The annual $1000 gift to the life saving service from two New York women, whose names always have been surrounded with secrecy, arrived on November 18. The two sisters, who for twenty years have been paying a debt of gratitude to the service, now have given $20,000. Since the last contribution was made, one of the sisters has died, but the survivor sent $500 for her.

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While the United States easily holds the lead in "large giving" by private citizens for public beneficence, Japan, ever eager in the race for civic betterment, is showing great generosity among its wealthy toward projects for the public good. An endowment fund for a department of medicine for Keio University was sought this summer. It was originally planned to raise 1,000,000 yen, and during September 700,000 yen was realized. Responses to the appeal continued in such a generous stream that by October 18 the sum had increased to 1,037,000 yen. The largest donors are the Mitsui family, with 100,000 yen, and the Morimura, Homeikwai, Baron Iwasaki and Mr. Fujita, with 50,000 yen each. Encouraged by the gifts to date, the university has decided to include the purchase price of the site in the fund, and has raised the mark to 1,500,000 yen. The unexpected generosity of the donations marks a new stage in the development of Japan. The Keio subscription fund was preceded a short time ago by 2,000,000 yen donations by individuals in Osaka. One was a gift of 1,000,000 yen to the Osaka municipality, to be expended for the general betterment of the city's inhabitants. Another donation of the same amount was made to the Osaka Medical College for a department of research.

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Mrs. William Scott Ferguson, No. 8 Scott street, Cambridge, Mass., will receive and forward property bags for use in the allied hospitals, as she did last winter. This is the work of which Miss Frances Fowler had charge during the summer. In all 12,527 bags have been shipped to date. "It may be of interest to those who have worked so hard," wrote Lady Smith-Dorrien, recently, "to hear that 1,020,000 bags have now been supplied through my fund; even now I have no reserve, and have had to refuse the request of the Red Cross headquarters for 25,000 bags."

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Superintendent of Parks Theodore Wirth of Minneapolis has distributed 50,000 chrysanthemum blossoms, taken from the park board's flower show, among the patients in the city's hospitals.

The Soldiers' Home shared with the hospitals a large portion of the 400 varieties of chrysanthemums exhibited at the show.

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Thousands of socks stuffed with Christmas gifts are to be presented to the American troops at the border and in Mexico through the Red Cross. Miss Mabel Boardman, head of the organization at Washington, announced that chapters throughout the country would be asked to begin collection of gifts immediately, such articles as candy, stationery, pipes, tobacco and handkerchiefs being preferred. For purchase of the socks themselves money will be solicited.

Lord Darnley, claimant to the Scottish Dukedom of Lennox, having been rejected by the military authorities on the score of age—he is in the neighborhood of 60—and feeling the urgent necessity of expending his superabundant and exuberant energy in behalf of his native land, has, according to cable dispatches from Europe, secured employment as a laborer on a farm, hoeing turnips, in order to set an example of war time industry and economy and "at the same time to "do his bit" for his country. He is one of the tallest members of the House of Lords, in which he sits as one of the representative peers of Ireland, standing six feet four in his stockings, while his eldest son and heir, Lord Clifton, a commander of the royal navy, has attained the extraordinary height of six feet seven inches.

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BY OLIVE GRAY.

Now is the time to buy:

The coat, suit or hat which you have so long deferred purchasing in the hope that prices would take a tumble. That is what they are doing this coming week at that popular store where seven—yes, there!

The Christmas gift unusual. The usual ones may be found up to the eleventh hour and fifty-fifth minute, but the Un— ones will all be gone long before that hour strikes.

The doll which you mean to dress. Dolls are far from plentiful this season, when we are bereft of all importations. To buy in time means to secure the doll you wish. To delay long is to take whatever is offered.

At last, the mystery was about to be solved! For weeks we had been hearing about a new Spanish place soon to be ready for patronage and we had waited with bated breath—but not baited with chile, as yet. The thought of a Spanish dinner had always meant to me a lot of mixtures so permeated with pepper that one had not courage to learn the composition. The difference between what was served to us at that new place and the usual dishes placed before one under the titles, was somewhat like the difference between poetry and doggerel; between viands and "grub;" between music and jingle; between sign painting and the masterpiece. No dish was over-seasoned and yet all were enticingly piquant. Each course was a surprise, for even though a native Spanish dish which we had before met, it was so different as to be like a friend in new clothing. Then there were dishes and condiments entrancingly novel. For example, that strange, native cheese, cut in gelaine-like cubes; the candied fresh apple, transparent as glass; the cheese-stuffed long green pepper wrapped in a delicious paper-thin omelette; the beans—well, in all my Boston-bean-eating life I have never tasted such good beans! Even though the names might have been "Greek" to us, save for the translation of the Spanish people whose guests we were, we realized most truly that a good cookery, like good music, needs no interpretation. That chicken a la Moreno we assimilated by means of the universal sign language, without a dictionary, and the sign was that we "licked the platter clean." You see, the dear little Spanish woman who has established the place is a refugee from Mexico and she knows high-class Spanish cookery. Out of the ordinary, if a trifle out of the way, the location of the place is interesting, an old home on Grand avenue, where tables are scattered throughout the high-ceilinged rooms. Everything is immaculately clean and the place is foreign in atmosphere. No, they have no license, but they have glasses and a corkscrew, so you may take your own. If it happen to be that liquid amber distillation such as high-class Castilians love, you are to be envied; for thus will the final drop of honey be added to the sweetness of that ambrosian feast.

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Suppose, just for a change, we all go about our Christmas affairs systematically; think what an amount of hustle, brain fag and nervous strain we would save ourselves and others! First, let us make out complete lists of those to whom we shall give. Next, let us determine approximately the amount to be devoted to each gift. Then let us go through the newspapers (The Times first, of course,) and learn where the articles planned to fill our lists may be purchased. A little study here will save us many dollars; for there is something on special sale at one place or another from time to time, and by knowing where, we may cut down our expenditures or at least materially readjust them. Next, let us start early. Early in the month, early in the week, early in the day. It does truly seem as though when we start early there actually exists a "fourth dimension" of time! So much more can be accomplished then than later. Doubtless it is because we are fresh in brain and unfatigued in body, and the same is true of the salespeople. Late in the day, the week, the month they are wearied almost beyond thinking and it is certain that they are unable to assist us as they can when feeling trim. The holiday rush grows hourly, and at last becomes a crush, all around. Gifts seem actually to carry a better spirit when they are selected at leisure and with ample thought.

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Telling Christmas Beads.

Somehow, I never feel as though holiday time had arrived until those candy beads are hanging in long lines at the sweetery booths, do you? They set one's thoughts to tingling with that wonderment as to what Santa will bring down the chimney, on the merry morning, as to what will grow upon one's own particular Christmas tree—whatsoever kind of tree it happens to be.

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Cheaper Than Eggs.

While gift hunting, recently, I was attracted by a table upon which were shown egg-shell china cups and saucers at a price so low that the thought came to me: "Egg-shell china is actually cheaper than are real eggs!" So, let us join the egg boycott and breakfast off egg-shell china!

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Character Dolls.

Imported dolls have had to remain at home this Christmas, and we are entertaining, instead, dolls of American origin and they are almost without exception, character dolls. Possibly they are not quite as pretty as were the dolls from across the water; but they seem to have more real worth. I mean they seem less like toys and more like real children. I noticed them at that big store on lower Broadway which is nowadays a favorite rendezvous for kiddies!

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Jersies.

It was there, also, that I found those funny jersey dolls. They were "all-over" of that jersey cloth which seems to have found a habitat in every department of our lives. Of dark gray, these queer and likable jersey folk looked like some new sort of brownies, in a different color than brown.

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Saturday Give Aways.

By the way, did you know that they give away toys of one kind or another, at that big store on Saturdays? Last week it was a laughable little dog which was all head and bark and ears. I took one home to our fox terrier and he greeted it like a lost brother, had a great romp with it and then greedily ate its ears off.

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Glad Rags and Rags.

You were wrong and so was I. There is no diminution of the craze for sport clothes, nor will there be as long as such things are brought out as those seen in that popular store, which is not and never has been seventh on Broadway when it comes to women's clothes. Those new suits, of Khaki Kool, are—well—simply amazing, as to colors. "You could sell those all to one woman," I remarked to the saleswoman, "for once she set eyes on them, they would go to her head and she would be at your mercy." Not only are the colors audible, but they are in immense checkerboards, and in dots which are to the old-time "polka" dot as is the "walkin' the dog" to the minuet of ye stately dames of yore. "I'd call that coat a double sport coat," I remarked, "and charge double for it. It is a golf coat of course, but while the wearer golfed her friends could be playing checkers on her coat-tails." So, if you have purchased one of those coats at the first asked price, you are ahead of the game and should go back and pay more for the garment, else you're cheating the store. But oh, some of the suits are ravishing! Especially the royal purple ones with bags to match. Several have bags instead of pockets. All are colorful. Elsewhere you will find hats to match them both in material and in color. How the fields will bloom when those clothes go sporting!

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Familiar Ties.

The newest scarfs for men look exactly as though cut from the skirts of flowered silk kimonos! The same great gorgeous flowers! The same weaves of silk! It looks suspicious. Perhaps you recall the time when men were habitually robbed of necktie ends for patchworking. The mills of the gods grind slow, but they grind exceeding small—and even when it comes to neck scarfs, they grind. At least it looks so.

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Old Trays With New Paints.

Those Japanese nut bowls which we have liked for so long, have been reincarnated this season. They have elongated to a tray or platter shape, and they have taken unto themselves paint. The "Long life and happiness" signs carved in their centers are now painted as well in the brilliant coloring popular with the Orient. I think they are far prettier thus.

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"Give Furniture."

It is not long since the Christmas advice, "Give Furniture" would have sounded ponderous. "Give furniture" would have meant big articles such as tables, chairs, bedroom suites—and the idea would not have seemed apropos. Now, it is different, for there are scores, almost hundreds of articles under the family name of furniture which are just right for gifts. The revival of lacquer has done much to promote the range of such articles. There are book racks, magazine stands, flower boxes, whole suites for the breakfast room intime and one of the best gifts of all, those nests of tables—all in lacquer. Then, in mahogany there are innumerable pieces, all giftie.

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Sugar and Creamer, $6.50.
Six Cordials, $8.50.

Sterling
Marmalade Jar and Spoons, $2.25.
Bread Tray, $12.
Individual Salts and Peppers, $1.00 pair.
Violet Baskets, $3.50.
Candlesticks, Colonial, $4.50.

Community Plate
Berry Spoons, $2.
Cold Meat Fork, $1.35.
Three piece Carving Set, $10.
Set of six Individual Salad Forks—$4.75.
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Sterling Pie Knives, $1.50—Sugar Spoons, $1.25—B. B. Spoons, $1.25.
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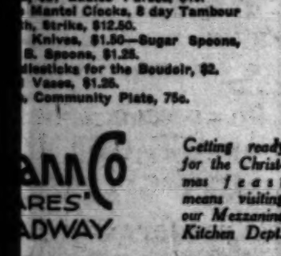
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Diva's Return.

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sic of white art, but the resulting compound makes an agreeable tidbit.

"At an 'Indian music talk' and recital in Aeolian Hall last night Mr. Cadman presented specimens of his Aesthly-American music before a large audience, which enjoyed it very much, and warmly applauded also, his well-written and interesting trio in D major, Op. 56, which is played with Arkady Bourstin and Music Gruppe. In the vocal groups he had the assistance of Princess Tsianina of the Creek Indian tribe, who has an agreeable and well-trained voice, and knows how to render the music of her own people as other tribes with fervor and artistic charm."

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Olga Steeb Wins Approval.

Olga Steeb, the fascinating California pianiste, presented a programme before the Spinet Club recently at Redlands which proved a source of great enjoyment to the members. The local dailies were enthusiastic in praise of her work. "One could ask for nothing more beautiful than her interpretation of Liszt's 'Sposalizio' and 'Claire de Lune,' by Debussy," said one reviewer. Another: "The programme was not only a delight to the ear, but an intellectual feast as well."

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Hope-Staples Recital.

Any composition by Richard Strauss is always certain to attract special attention when included on a programme. Consequently the recital of Mrs. May MacDonald-Hope, pianist, and Robert Martin Staples, violinist, will be of particular interest, next Saturday evening at Blanchard Hall. They are to present the Sonata for violin and piano, Opus 18, of the composer of "Salome" and famous tone poems. This sonata belongs to a period in the composer's career which had nothing in common with the creation of "Salome." It more nearly resembles in its melodious richness such works as "Death and the Transfiguration."

Mrs. Hope has attained striking success in the presentation of different programmes at her previous recitals in this city and elsewhere. At the coming recital she will give a series of very exacting solos, including Symphonic Etudes by Schumann, rarely heard Ballade in F minor by Chopin and a prelude by Pauxie Dillon, local composer.

Mr. Staples is a prominent member of the Symphony Orchestra and a musician of exceedingly broad knowledge. He will include among his solo features a Brahms Hungarian dance, "The Zephyr" by Hubay and a Nocturne in E minor (posthumous) by Auer-Chopin.

Following is the programme: Sonata for violin and piano, Opus 18 (Richard Strauss,) Allegro ma non troppo, Improvisation Andante Cantabile, Finale, Allegro; piano solos, Nocturne, Op. 27, No. 2, D flat, Etudes Nos. 3, 5, 11, Opus 25, and Ballade in F minor (Chopin;) Etudes Symphonique, Op. 13 (Schumann;) Piano solos, Hungarian Dance (Brahms,) Nocturne in E minor (posthumous-Chopin) and "The Zephyr" (Hubay;) piano solos, Prelude No. 1 (Pauxie Dillon) and Rhapsody No. 12 (Liszt.)

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Donahue to be Soloist.

An announcement that will bring pleasure to many local admirers of the young artist is the engagement of Lester Donahue as soloist for the next symphony concert, the 15th and 16th inst. Mr. Donahue will play the Liszt Concerto, No. 1, in E flat major, with the orchestra. This will mark his return to Los Angeles after unusual success that has attended his appearances in the east during the past two seasons. Unheralded and unknown, Mr. Donahue last year gave his first recital in New York City and Boston. The critics at that time accorded him much praise. This season, however, his concert work in the east brought the young artist into the limelight of fame to a remarkable degree.

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Ebell Club.

Saint-Saens's music will be the subject of an interesting programme to be given under the leadership of Mrs. Ella B. McWhorter. She will give a sketch of the characteristics of the composer. The following musical numbers will be presented: Piano solo, "Valse Carnivale," Mrs. Adric Johnson; vocal solo, "Claire de Lune," Miss Anne McNab; vocal solo, "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice," from "Samson and Dellilah," Mrs. George J. Ramsey; piano solo, "Romance Sans Paroles," Mrs. George R. Doane; vocal solo, "Amour Vieus Aider," from "Samson and Delilah," Mrs. John David Beall; violin solo, "Prelude to the Deluge," Miss Viola L. Foley.

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St. Cecilia Club.

The St. Cecilia Club will give a programme of "morning and night" music tomorrow afternoon under the direction of Mrs. A. B. Perkey. This offering promises to be especially pleasing.

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Coming to Ebell.

Sibyl Sammis MacDermid, noted opera singer and favorite Chicago soprano, is to present a programme before the Ebell Club on the 18th.

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Schubert Organ Programme.

Under the auspices of the Schubert Club a recital will be given by Edith Rounds Smith, member of the American Guild of Organists, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral. She will be assisted by C. Franklin Parker and Roy Kendall.

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Gamut Club.

The Gamut Club has arranged an attractive programme for the regular monthly dinner to take place Wednesday evening. Among the musical offerings will be selections from Eduardo Lebegott's operas, "Rose Rosse," "Semele" and the "Love Flower," directed by the composer himself. The soloists will be Misses Dorcas Beach and Helen Newcomb, Mrs. Joseph Zuckerman, Roland Paul and C. Audrey Burns.

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Concert at Trinity.

A programme of diversified quality will be presented this afternoon at Trinity by a group of capable musicians, including Frederick A. Herrmann, organist; Mrs. J. T. Anderson, pianist; Margaret Stockwell, soprano; Bernardine Whalen, violinist, and Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Sprague, who will give interpretations of Persian music and poetry. The last-named offering will be especially interesting, as Mr. Sprague lived for many years in the Orient and was at one time head master in the Oriental School of Music and Poetry in Cairo, Egypt. He married the Princess Farahanguise Khanoum, the first titled woman of Persia to throw aside the veil and marry an American. The combined work of the two is unique.

The following programme will be given: Organ, Offertory in D minor (Batiste,) and "Noel" and "Laus Deo" (Dubois.) Mr. Herrmann; soprano solo, "Valley of Laughter" (Sanderson) and "If You Would Love Me" (MacDermid,) Margaret Stockwell, with Mrs. Anderson at the piano; violin, "Liebesfreud" (Kreisler,) "Minuet in C" (Beethoven) and "Irish Folk Song," Miss Whalen, with Mrs. Anderson at the piano; interpretation of Persian music and poetry, Mr. and Mrs. Sprague.

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Pupils' Recital.

Mrs. Henry G. Sanger, Ruth Deardorff-Shaw and Madge Patton Sullivan will present their pupils on a programme of modern and classical music Friday evening at the Synthetic School of Music, No. 1006 South Westlake avenue. Those taking part will include Misses Golda Cogswell, Marietta Lum, Clara Mae Wilson, Majel Rudolph and Max Holtz.

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MUSICAL NOTES.

Frieda Peycke, who recently opened her season with a recital before the Covina Amphion Club, will make the following appearances before Christmas: At Santa Ana Ebell, Whittier High School, Whittier Elks' Club, Imperial Valley Club, Long Beach Kindergarten Teachers' Association at Hotel Virginia, and Pomona Ebell, a Christmas programme. Her new numbers are being exceedingly well received.

Archibald Sessions will give a recital under the auspices of the Southern California chapter of the American Guild of Organists, tomorrow evening at All Saints Episcopal Church in Pasadena. Following is the programme: Concert Variations (Bonnet,) Nocturne (Karganoff,) Improvisations (choral) by Karg-Elert; "By the Waters of Babylon" and "Devoutly do I Love Thee, O Lord;" recitative and finale from Sonata in C minor (Baldwin.)

At the fifth of his series of recitals this evening at St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, Ernest Douglas will present organ compositions selected from the works of Handel, including overture, chorus "But the Water," from "Israel in Egypt" (transcribed by Mr. Douglas;) Concerto No. 5 in F, prelude, allegro, siliciano and gigue.

Caruso, John McCormick, Geraldine Farrar, Alma Gluck, Fritz Kreisler, Efrem Zimbalist, Marcel Journet and other popular artists render attractive selections on the Victor record programme this month.

A pleasing programme will be given Saturday evening at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Garrett, No. 2251 West Twentieth street, by Mrs. Jessie B. Small of the Fillmore School of Music, and the following pupils of that institution: Misses Ruby Hill, Minnie L. Baxter, Doris Porter, Helen Robinson and Mmes. E. F. Soule and E. H. Garrett. They will be assisted by Miss Alice Soule, soprano, pupil of Miss Beatrice Sountag; Miss Bernice Thompson, pupil of Axel Simonsen, and Carl Tetsloff, pupil of J. Robert Saunders. The programme will include violin, vocal, piano and 'cello numbers selected from the works of Haydn, Verdi, Grieg, Saint-Saens, Bach, Rachmaninoff, Schubert, Lisst, Brahms Raff and Massenet. Mrs. Garrett will present several readings with music.

"The American programme" presented by Katherine Fiske, violinist, and Bertha Fiske, reader, at their studio in Blanchard Hall Saturday afternoon touched an interesting note in the musical and literary appreciation of the national composers and writers. Cecil Burleigh's "Indian airs," which included "Laughing Waters," "The Wigwam" and "The Legend," were played with a fine understanding. Katherine Fiske also gave "Sunrise," by George Edwards of San Diego, a brilliant young American composer, and Horatio Parker's "Intermezzo" from "Fairyland," and Chadwick's "Aliah" and Frimi's "Nipnon" effectively. Bertha Fiske, in her introductory comments on "American Contemporary Music and Journalism" paid a sincere tribute to the genius of newspaper men and women, and gave the highest praise to much that is being produced today.

With more thn 100 persons registered for training, it is announced that the opera school, conducted by S. M. Pasquale, will probably open some time this week. When the applicants gather for the first time in Choral Hall, Auditorium Building, Senor Pasquale believes he will have more than 150 to begin work with. To correct a misunderstanding on the part of some, Senor Pasquale has issued a statement that it is not the purpose of the school to give private singing lessons, but that it will offer ensemble work—a general training in opera. Out of the school, it is stated, the organization of a popular-priced company to present opera will be effected.

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Ascendency.

A LOVELY ANNIVERSARY.

Dainty Fine Arts Star Celebrates Beginning of Her Second Year as Film Actress by Starting Work in New Film Production.

Bessie Love celebrated her first anniversary as a film actress when she began rehearsals for her new vehicle, "The Heiress at Coffee Dan's," in which she will make her next appearance as a Triangle-Fine Arts star.

Bessie's first feature part was that of a Swedish servant girl in "The Flying Torpedo," with John Emerson. Previous to that she was an unknown "extra," working after school hours for pocket money. One day while Director Emerson was looking for "types," at the Fine Arts Studio, prior to the filming of "The Flying Torpedo," he was struck by the bright appearance of a little girl waiting among the crowd of supernumeraries.

Calling her over, Emerson proceeded to engage her for the part of the Swedish girl in the story. She made a tremendous hit in the part. She proved herself a new screen personality.

In rapid succession she was featured with W. S. Hart in "The Aryan," with Douglas Fairbanks in "The Good Bad-Man," and with Wilfred Lucas in "Hell-to-Pay Austin." Last month she registered a decided success when making her debut in stardom as "A Sister of Six."

On this week's programme.

Mme. Ernestine Schumann-Heink is going to sing at Trinity Tuesday evening and Saturday matinee; May MacDonald Hope, pianiste, is to appear in recital Saturday evening at Blanchard Hall, assisted by Robert Martin Staples, violinist; Mrs. Christiaan Timmner is cellist, with the Timmner-Lott trio, which will give its second programme Thursday evening at the Woman's Club House; and Miss Helen Newcomb, soprano, will be heard in song numbers at the Gamut Club Wednesday evening.

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Charles Francis Joseph, new ruler of Austria-Hungary, will be proclaimed "Kaiser und Koenig Karl the First."

Admiral Coundouriotis, commander-in-chief of the Greek fleet, who recently went over to the Venizelos faction, has been devoted to service, not to politics, and his name has the glamour and carries the weight of that of a naval hero in Great Britain, or that of a Dewey after the battle of Manila with the American public. For Coundouriotis with the Greak navy played a most distinguished part in the war with Turkey, and he remains one of the popular heroes today. At the earnest request of the King, he was made Minister of Marine in the Skouloudis Cabinet, but took little part in its councils and professed open contempt for its policy.

Gen. Alexieff, the Czar's Chief of Staff, is a hard worker. He rises about 7 a.m., breakfasts American fashion and goes at once to his office in the staff headquarters building, next door to the Emperor's quarters. He remains at his desk until the Czar arrives around 10 a.m., when he makes his report, gets his instructions and sends his dispatches. By this time it is lunch hour. After lunch more office work. At 6 p.m. there may, or may not, be a military council of himself and visiting generals from the various sectors of the firing line. But at 7:30 he has his dinner, again at the mess. After dinner he continues to work out the details of maneuvering an army in the field. He gets to bed late and manages with about seven hours' sleep. The general's hair is white around the temples, sparse on top of his head, and gray. He is a typical Russian type, nose somewhat turned up, gray eyes and steely in their glitter. He wears silver spectacles which loop over the ears. His white mustaches are rather long and outstanding, with a tendency to turn up at the ends. On the tunic of his khaki uniform he wears only two decorations, one being the white cross of St. George, awarded for conspicuous bravery in action, the other the red cross of Vladimir.

The Rt. Hon. Earl Cromer, O. M., is one of the most distinguished of British public servants, and, if he had not come to the front as an administrator of Egypt, would have achieved distinction in some other field. Frequently spoken of as the maker of modern Egypt, where he proved himself a great administrator and diplomatist, he originally chose the army as his career, and was educated with that end in view, so that he did not have the public school and university education which is sometimes considered a sine qua non for such work as he eventually took up. Entering the Royal Artillery at 17, he became a captain in 1870, and a major in 1876. His opportunity came in 1877, when he was appointed Commissioner Egyptian Public Debt, which he held till 1879. The Controller-Generalship of Egypt occupied him during 1879, and in 1880 he was back in India as financial member of the Council of the Governor-General. From 1883 to 1907 he was agent and Consul-General in Egypt. After the conquest of the Soudan, Lord Kitchener described Sir Evelyn Baring as "the master of us all," a great tribute, considering the source from which it came. Lord Cromer's work in Egypt was duly recognised with a baronetcy in 1892, a viscounty in 1898, and an earldom in 1901, in addition to many other honors. He was made a member of the Order of Merit in 1906, and was awarded a parliamentary grant of £50,000 on retiring in 1907, the vote passing the House of Lords unanimously and the House of Commons by 254 votes to 107.

L. S. Black and S. L. White went to the Houlton (Me.) fair together, and on the ground they were joined by J. A. Browne and Benjamin Green.

THE RELIGIOUS RAMBLER.

Horrors of War Do Not Daunt American Pioneers of Gospel—Veterans Return to Their Devastated Fields in Eastern Theater of Strife—How One Woman Got Through—Fresh Horrors of Armenian Massacres Reported From Asiatic Turkey.

AMERICAN missionaries are not "quitters." Not only have most of those in the Asiatic war zone remained at their places, but, when driven out by the fortunes of battle, they return as soon as possible.

Most of the American missionaries in Asia Minor belong to the American board, which now announces that following the advent of the Russian armies, its work in the devastated regions is being resumed. It will be recalled that after the terrible siege of Van, during which thousands of natives found shelter under the American flag, the entire American property was razed to the ground, and two American missionaries, Dr. Raynolds and Mrs. Ussher perished of disease.

Now the aged Dr. Raynolds has returned to the field, traveling by way of Scandinavia and Russia. Miss Yarrow has been there for many months, distributing Armenian relief. Dr. Clarence D. Ussher expects to go back in the spring, though he is now laid up in the Presbyterian hospital, New York, with several broken bones.

Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton were the only Americans in Erzerum, during its siege by the Russians. After a six months' furlough, Rev. Mr. Stapleton is returning to take up work for the Turks, the Armenian population having been practically exterminated. Five of the staff of the American board in Turkey are now under the Russian flag.

BACK TO FIRST PRINCIPLES.

The general report from the missionaries is that at least 40 per cent of the peasant Turks are friendly and deeply regret the Armenian atrocities, which are entirely by order of the government. The bearing of this fact upon the future of the board's work in Turkey is highly significant. If the war should result in the board's taking up work for the Moslems, from whom it has been shut out all these years, it will then return to the original purpose of the missionaries when they went out to Turkey in 1819. The doors of opportunity are now swinging in this direction. Mr. Stapleton will step in at once upon the study of Russian and Turkish, his former language having been Armenian. His principal work for a time will be in ministering relief.

Nobody can foretell the ultimate effects of the war upon religious conditions in Turkey. Certainly the American board has paid a terrible price, in loss of property and in the death of a dozen workers.

The case of Monastir, Serbia, recently fallen, is illustrative of the sort of experiences the board representatives are having in Turkey. Within the last five years the ownership of Monastir has changed seven times; from that of Turkey to Bulgaria; from Bulgaria to Serbia; from Serbia back to Bulgaria and back to Serbia and now the Entente allies are in possession. In all previous changes, as probably in this one, the work of the Americans has gone on steadily on. The schools have not closed; sick and wounded of whatever nationality have been cared for; the missionaries have gone in and out among the people of all classes, and the houses of the Americans have been centers of friendliness and helpfulness.

A WOMAN'S ADVENTURES.

Until last summer another American, Miss Elpha Davis of Iowa, was also in Monastir, connected with the girls' school. It seemed best for Miss Davis to come to the United States. Her difficulties in getting out of the country were manifold. She had to have an emergency passport, a document so seldom issued that the United States official who examined and cancelled it in New York said he had never seen one before. Whenever she crossed a frontier, she had to deposit not only her photograph, but also her thumb print; before she could leave a city or country she had to show a permit stating that she had had permission to live in it. At one stage of proceedings her birth certificate was demanded, and after that had been secured from Washington, the official said pleasantly, "Oh, yes, but I must see your original paper."

That was going back rather far, but after some discussion Miss Davis found that he wanted to see naturalization papers. "But," she said, "I never had any. I was born in America and so were my father and mother, and my grandfather and grandmother, way back more than 100 years. I'm an American."

The official looked her sternly and doubtfully in the eye. At last he said severely, "I have never met or known of such a case before."

A HORROR FROM ARMENIA.

Despite all the horrible atrocity stories that have come out of Armenia, the worst single story remains to be told. It has not yet appeared anywhere in print. This is the first telling of the tale, and I am obliged to surround it with explanations and conditions, simply because the thing is so incredible.

A few weeks ago there came to this country, through trustworthy American channels, the story that 300,000 Armenians, who had been deported to the Arabian desert, were concentrated at Dier or Zor, a village on the Euphrates, had been wholesale slain in a wholesale manner. The news was so staggering that even men familiar with Turkey who received it simply refused to make it public. There must be some mistake, they reasoned, and the figures, even those giving the total of 300,000 who had perished by "massacre by means" at Dier or Zor since the beginning of the deportation. Turks are not sufficient Turks at this point to perform the Herculean physical task of killing 300,000 persons, even though these be mostly defenseless women and children. To cut 300,000 throats would task the resources of the Chicago stock yards with all their machinery; and to shoot bullets into vital spots in 300,000 bodies would be work for an army. "It simply can't be true," the friends of Armenia reassured one another.

Now later word has come, apparently with consular confirmation, reiterating the first report. In a madness of fury, the Turkish government has put to a violent death en masse, the immense concentration of Armenians off in Dier or Zor. Whether the actual figures are 200,000 or 250,000 or 100,000 matters little, so far as civilization's comprehension of the tragedy goes.

Even such a spectacular holocaust of horror will not penetrate the war-calloused callousness of most Americans.

O. D. Bleakley of Franklin, Pa., Congressman-elect, journeyed to Washington in an aeroplane last week. Bleakley was the only passenger, Sergt. William C. Ong, United States Army aviator, operating the aeroplane. The machine is owned by Bleakley, however, and it is said he may use it in going to and returning from Washington.

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Lot No. 2—
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Values to $45 NOW $26.75

Lot No. 3—
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Values to $65 NOW $36.75

Lot No. 4—
Dresses and Suits
Values to $82.50 NOW $46.75

Higher Priced Garments at Corresponding Reductions
$100.00 Exclusive Model Suits and Dresses Reduced to $66.75
$150.00 Exclusive Model Suits and Dresses Reduced to $96.75
$200.00 Exclusive Model Suits and Dresses Reduced to $126.75

Loveliest New Styles in Charming Silk
Negligees for Christmas
Two Fascinating Models Priced at $18.75
—One, a stunning Grecian Robe of crepe de chine with heavy silk girdle and trimmed with silk fringe.
—The other, a Grecian Coat negligee of satin; shirred at back; embroidered band on front; large collar, fancy pockets, buttons and sash.

Sale of High Grade Corsets, $6.50, $7.50, $8.50, $9.00 and $10.00 Values, Pair
—Broken lines in high-grade "Blackstone special" corsets in fancy broche, plain and fancy batiste and finest quality coutil. Mostly large sizes. If your size is here, a great value at
$3.95

Women's Novelty Handkerchiefs For Christmas Gifts—at 25c
—An unusual value among many good values in Christmas handkerchiefs. White with dainty floral bordered effects in colors. Also solid colors with embroidered corners—large assortment.
—Madeira handkerchiefs from 50c to $3.50 each.

The Hand Bag
—Every Woman's Santa Claus

—The bag section is now carrying the maximum stocks of the winter, comprising every new style in velvet, moire, leather and knitted varieties.
Superb collection
$1.25 to $35.00
—Wonderfully pleasing are the rich velour bags, hand-embroidered in steel or colored beads; suitable for any dress occasion.
—Decidedly effective and novel are the silk crocheted bags with suede tops and draw chain handles.
—Extremely smart—the crushed leather one-piece bag.
—Artistic in both design and coloring—the bags of Cordova leather with their soft brown and green shadings.
—Practical indeed—the seal shopping bag with its roomy pockets.
—Exceedingly beautiful—the envelope bag of Vachette or pin seal with their gay colored linings.
—Other delightful bag novelties too numerous to mention.

Give the Best Hosiery
"Onyx"

—The purely feminine gift from the favorite section of Christmas gift buyers—double satisfaction with every pair of "Onyx."

Silk Hose, pair $5
—A new two-toned ribbed silk Hose; black and white with plaid effects. A striking as well as durable silk Hose.

Drop-stitch Stockings, Pair $2.50
—This beautiful stocking is specially designed for wear with dress pumps; bronze, silver and pink.

Richelieu Ribbed Hose, Pair $2.00
—An all silk stocking suited for every occasion; black, white, silver and bronze.

Men's Two-toned Silk Hose, Pair $2.50

Xmas Month Offerings
Silks, Velvets, Dress Goods
—A Blouse, Suit or Dress Pattern—a welcome idea to many, especially when Big Reductions are the Rule.

27-inch Satin Messaline, Yard 85c
—A beautiful, high-lustre weave suitable for linings, fancy work and inexpensive gowns for evening wear. All colors, white and cream. Exceptional value at 85c.

Bright Satin Plaids $1.00
—Extra good styles for blouses and children's dresses; combinations of bright colors, red and Copenhagen, navy and green and navy and red.

Costume Velvets, yd. $1.95
—36-inch velvets that have been an especially good value at $2.50.
—In navy, black, burgundy, Myrtle, green, amethyst and Copenhagen blue.

$4.50 to $6 Richest Novelty Dress Silks, $2.95
—Stunning self-colored brocades in attractive patterns on poplins, satins, crepes and charmeuse—full range of afternoon and street shades; 42 inches wide.

$1.25 Wool Plaids, yd. 95c
—39-inch all wool novelty plaids for combining with dresses and for children's wear—light and dark colors.

New Chiffon Broadcloths
—Just received, finest qualities in the newest shades of burgundy, dahlia, prune and purple; 52 and 54-inch widths; $3.00 and $3.50 yard.

Silk Petticoats $5.75
—Give one of these splendid quality Taffeta Silk Petticoats—made with deep shirred flounce; four narrow pleatings and fine tuckings; street and evening shades.

Women's Bath Robes $4.25
—You couldn't choose a more serviceable and pleasing gift for the average woman.
—Made of blanket cloth, trimmed with satin bands on front; pockets and sleeves; heavy cord and tassel.

RUG GIFTS UNDERPRICED
—For utility, for sturdy practical wear, for sentiment and for beauty these handsome, large size Rag Rugs make wonderful Xmas presents.
—Great for bedroom use, most colors but not a big supply.
—These are sample Rugs and are slightly soiled from handling, that explains the following extremely low prices.

$30.00 9x12 Shaiki Rugs Monday $21.00
$25.00 8.3x10.6 Shaiki Rugs Monday $17.50
$25.00 9x12 Pilgrim Rugs Monday $17.50
$17.50 8.3x10.6 Pilgrim Rugs Monday $12.50

Comforts Special $1.50
—A splendid full size bed comfort, silkoline covered and nicely tufted; light and dark colors. A big value at $1.50.

Comforts $2.50 and $3.00
—Extra large fine white cotton comforts, silkoline covered and stitched in block and scroll patterns. Extra values.

Comforts $3.50 to $6.50
—Handsome mull-covered comforts, daintily tufted with baby ribbon; 9-in. border on one side
—$3.50, $4.50, $5.50, $6.50

Blankets $1.65 to $25.00
—Blankets of every kind in white, gray and plaid
—all priced exceedingly low considering market conditions. All sizes.

It Is Not Difficult to Find
Suitable Gifts for Men
—at Blackstone's
—And something, too, that He'll be mighty tickled to get—The things that men like, of high quality and reasonably priced.
—First of all come Military Brushes, $3.00 to $8.00.
—Then Clothes Brushes, $1.00 to $5.00.
—Shaving Cups and Brushes, $2.25 to $2.75.
—Fitall Adjustable Toilet Kits, $1.75 to $5.00.
—Fitted Leather Traveling Cases $3.75 to $15.00.
—Leather Tie and Handkerchief Cases, $2.50 to $5.00.
—Coat Hangers in Cases, 75c to $5.00.
—Manicure Sets in Leather Rolls, $1.50 to $6.00.

No Leather Gifts Quite so Beautiful as Those of
Cordova Leather
—Among the many handsome pieces are library book ends at $8.00.
—Desk Sets at $6.00 and $6.50.
—Desk Mats at $8.00, $9.00, $12.00, $17.00.

Ye Craig Shop
Imitation Leather Novelties
in Large Variety
—Address Books, 50c to 75c—Memory Joggers, 75c—Magazine and Book Covers at $2.00—Daylogue, $2.25—Engagement Books at $1.50—Writing Pads $3.00.
—Stamped centers and scarfs done in yarn, centers $1.50, scarfs $1.00.
—Fancy velvet and silk bags stamped ready for beading at $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $4.50 and $5.00; most beautiful designs to choose from.
—All kinds of sachets for the gift box.
Art Section—Third Floor

The Brigh

A DEBUTANTE'S LETT

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have had on that long and
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little Evelyn, the quiet little fi
of such very recent memory, pa
ized so deliciously by elder
honor in numerous cities!

You will make an adorable
of honor at Margaret's weddin
January 2. It is a good thing
garet can stand competition,
it? We are looking forward to
advent of the bridegroom's rela
who have all the earmarks of
ular interest. I expect that
ding is going to be a charmin
fair, and everybody loves Marg
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spite of a very intellectual
head. I can remember when
used to get up at 5 a.m. to s
in the fond belief that destiny
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as nice boys, including Frank
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the furry the next day. She was
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opening.

The reorganized Annandale Coun
Club is going to be one of the
smartest we have. The new presi
dent, W. J. Macdonald, is a Chicago
man, and he has secured the pa
tronage, influence and support of no
less than twenty-one millionaries, in
cluding the director of that fright
fully important bank that has just
made a big loan to China.

Henry Huntington is also a spe
cial member, so is Robert Hunter
of national golf fame, and A. H
Fleming, who is declared to be the
richest man in wealthy Pasadena.

And, cherie, they intend accord

GIOUS RAMBLER.

...unt American Pioneers of Gospel—Vet... Devastated Fields in Eastern Theater of ...an Get Through—Fresh Horrors of ...eported From Asiatic Turkey.

Most of the American missionaries in Asia Minor belong to the American board, which now announces that following the advent of the Russian armies, its work in the devastated regions is being resumed. It will be recalled that after the terrible siege of Van, during which thousands of natives found shelter under the American flag, the entire American property was razed to the ground, and two American missionaries, Mrs. Raynolds and Mrs. Usher perished of disease.

Now the aged Dr. Raynolds has returned to the field, traveling by way of Scandinavia and Russia. Mr. Yarrow has been there for many months, distributing Armenian relief. Dr. Clarence D. Usher expects to go back in the spring, though he is now laid up in the Presbyterian Hospital, New York, with several broken bones.

Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton were the only Americans in Erzerum, during its siege by the Russians. After a six months' furlough, Rev. Robert Stapleton is returning to take up work for the Turks, the Armenian population having been practically exterminated. Five of the stations of the American board in Turkey are now under the Russian flag.

BACK TO FIRST PRINCIPLES.

The general report from the missionaries is that at least 80 per cent of the peasant Turks are friendly, and deeply regret the Armenian atrocities, which are entirely by order of the government. The bearing of this fact upon the future of the board's work in Turkey is highly significant. If the war should result in the board's taking up work for the Moslems, from whom it has been shut out all these years, it will be a return to the original purpose of the missionaries when they went out to Turkey in 1819. The doors of opportunity are now swinging in that direction. Mr. Stapleton will start in at once upon the study of Russian and Turkish, his former language having been Armenian. His principal work for a time will be administering relief.

Nobody can foretell the ultimate effects of the war upon religious conditions in Turkey. Certainly the old American board has paid a terrible price, in loss of property and in the death of a dozen workers.

The case of Monastir, Serbia, recently fallen, is illustrative of the sort of experiences the board representatives are having in Turkey. Within the last five years the ownership of Monastir has changed several times: from that of Turkey to Bulgaria; from Bulgaria to Serbia; from Serbia back to Bulgaria and her allies and now the Entente allies are in possession. In all previous changes, as probably in this one, the work of the Americans has gone steadily on. The schools have not closed; sick and wounded of whatever nationality have been cared for; the missionaries have gone in and out among the people of all classes, and the houses of the Americans have been centers of friendliness and helpfulness.

A WOMAN'S ADVENTURES.

Until last summer another American, Miss Elpha Davis of Iowa, was also in Monastir, connected with the girls' school. It seemed best for Miss Davis to come to the United States. Her difficulties in getting out of the country were manifold. She had to have an emergency passport, a document so seldom issued that the United States official who examined and cancelled it in New York said he had never seen one before. Whenever she crossed a frontier, she had to deposit not only her photograph, but also her thumb print; before she could leave a city or country she had to show a paper stating that she had had permission to live in it. At one stage of proceedings her birth certificate was demanded, and after that had been secured from Washington, the official said pleasantly, "Oh, yes, but I must see your original paper."

That was going back rather far, but after some discussion Miss Davis found that he wanted to see naturalization papers. "But," she said, "I never had any. I was born in America and so were my father and mother, and my grandfather and grandmother way back more than 100 years. I'm an American."

The official looked her steadily and doubtfully in the eye. At length he said severely, "I have never seen or known of such a case before!"

A HORROR FROM ARMENIA.

Despite all the horrible atrocity stories that have come out of Armenia, the worst single story remains to be told. It has not yet appeared anywhere in print. This is the first telling of the tale, and I am obliged to surround it with explanations and conditions, simply because the thing is so incredible.

A few weeks ago there came to this country, through trustworthy American channels, the story that 300,000 Armenians, who had been deported to the Arabian desert and concentrated at Dier or Zor, a town on the Euphrates, had been violently slain in a wholesale massacre. The news was so staggering that the men familiar with Turkey who received it simply refused to make it public. There must be some mistake, they reasoned, and the figures are those giving the total of emigres who had perished by "natural means" at Dier or Zor since the beginning of the deportation. There are not sufficient Turks at this point to perform the Herculean physical task of killing 300,000 persons, even though these be mostly emaciated women and children. To cut 300,000 throats would task the resourcefulness of the Chicago stock yards with all their machinery; and to put bullets into vital spots in 300,000 bodies would be work for an army. "It simply can't be true," the friends of Armenia reassured one another.

Now later word has come, apparently with consular confirmation, reiterating the first report. In some madness of fury, the Turkish government has put to a violent death, en masse, the immense concentration of Armenians off in Dier or Zor. Whether the actual figures are 300,000 or 200,000 or 100,000 matters little, so far as civilization's comprehension of the tragedy goes.

Even such a spectacular, Neronic holocaust of horror will not penetrate the war-calloused consciousness of most Americans.

O. D. Bleakley of Franklin, Pa., Congressman-elect, journeyed last Washington in an aeroplane last week. Bleakley was merely a passenger, Sergt. William C. Ocker, United States Army aviator, operating the aeroplane. The aeroplane is owned by Bleakley, however, and it is said he may use it in going to and returning from Washington.

The Bright Side of Sunshine Land—People and Their Doings—A Hundred or More Happy Affairs.

A DEBUTANTE'S LETTER.

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 1. Evelyn dear: What a sumptuous time you must have had on that long and gay eastern trip! When Molly Adelia Myers goes to New York she is invited to the Friday Morning Club to tell us all about it. What could you not tell us, cherie? From all accounts it must have been one long whirl of social eclat. Fancy our little Evelyn, the quiet little flapper of such very recent memory, patronized so deliciously by elder sister Ruth, budding forth as a guest of honor in numerous cities!

You will make an adorable maid of honor at Margaret's wedding on January 2. It is a good thing Margaret can stand competition, isn't it? We are looking forward to the advent of the bridegroom's relatives, who have all the earmarks of popular interest. I expect that wedding is going to be a charming affair, and everybody loves Margaret. She is one of the few girls who manage to keep adamantly feminine in spite of a very intellectual little head. I can remember when she used to get up at 5 a.m. to study with a fond belief that destiny required her to be something careerish. Remember how her matrimonial inclinations veered towards "diplomat"? But maybe Austin Gibbs will be an ambassador to Peru yet.

The inviolable secrecy about the bridesmaids' dresses is exciting. The colors are so piquant now that it will be easy to make you all look like beauties, notwithstanding a certain journalist person is assertive that American girls are not beautiful, rarely even pretty, and deadly vapid. What a jaundiced eye! The poor thing has to be sure!

I hear Charlie Adams was responsible for a gay little tea party on Alexandria on Tuesday. Those Saturday tea parties are so jolly, aren't they? Nice boy, Charlie. His company was so well chosen, too, those nice boys, including Frank and Jack Bering, Willoughby Rodman, Young Harris and himself.

The Forve dancing party at the California Club on the 26th, the pink party at the Country Club on December 27, and the Dockweiler party at the California Club next week are but a few of the joyous affairs arranged for the debutantes and college folk; oh, yes, and Dorothy Lindley's party on the 6th, too—we are in for a social whirl! Their own dancing party for Marjorie and her fiance's sister, Judith Gibson, on the 29th, is going to be a hard job co-opting the date. Being president of a woman's club is no sinecure. Mrs. Rollin B. Lane, for instance, was elected president of the big Hollywood club while you were away, at which time there were serious doubts as to whether she was old enough, dressed sedately enough, and was profound and dignified enough, for the onerous position. But it seems she is, as she has won over all the doubters. She always dresses in white, you know; they call her the "white president." But, oh, my dear, there is ample scope for variety in pure unsullied white; you never saw such a magnificent collection of charming gowns, mostly in fine silks and mousseline. And white hats to make one covetousness and envy. She has a delightful home at Hollywood, decorated in pale pink and white, mostly Louis Quinze, with gilt furniture and a carpet it is a crime to walk on, pink silk curtains that would make a stunning negligee for the languishing beauty, and vases with proud single blooms in them occupying the exclusive center of the ormulu tables. It is a room that should never intrude in in anything more substantial than chiffon and frills. It would make a lovely scene in an Ordinski play.

Mrs. Johnson, president of the Thursday Morning Club, also suffers from serious doubts as to her ability to be sternly dignified. She is recklessly witty and humorous, you know, and cannot resist a good joke. She tells the best ones on herself, and it speaks well for women's sense of humor that she becomes more popular every day. One she tells of how she purchased a new hat and had her old one put in a bag to bring home. They packed somebody else's hat in the bag and it ruined Mary's fury the next day. She wasn't trying to spoil her new hat, so wore another client's old one, and was much concerned to hear it praised on all sides as the most becoming and stylish hat she had ever appeared in.

Thanksgiving Day is a stern feat of endurance to our reducing brigade. It is so funny to hear all the young ladies bemoaning their misdeeds. Thanksgiving dinners there must be, tradition demands it, but on the other hand, reduction diets are measured and lack glamor. So many a tortured mamma sat at the head of her luxurious board practicing cruel self-denial, their chief thanksgiving was their ability to resist temptation and consider their figures first. Some one had a French specialist once pronounced that standing up half an hour after every meal was a good way to preserve the figure. My dear, how pathetic to see many of our maidens nonchalantly disregarding chairs, scanning the pictures on the walls with fearful interest, flitting around the room inspecting the knick-knacks—it is probable that the decree has done more to encourage interest in objects d'art than anything else could have done.

Mrs. Raymond of the Bryson has the interesting baroness in tow. She is to entertain for her on Monday, while titles may have lost some of their glamor in late years, a baroness is a baroness for all that. There won't be many defaults on the invitations.

The Brentwood Country Club had a grand opening day last Saturday, including with a stylish tea in the afternoon and concluding with a dinner dance. They have a jolly set out there. Mrs. Lewis R. Works, who is also the president of the Women's City Club, looks ripping in her riding attire, but her platform gowns leave no loophole for an accusation regarding lack of seriousness. Mrs. Sutton Bundy, who positively grows better looking as her social responsibilities increase, and who is appearing in a highly becoming salmon pink confection these days, certainly does her charming husband infinite credit. She and Mrs. Bundy were hosts at one of the most dinner parties at that grand old club.

The reorganized Annandale Country Club is going to be one of the best we have. The new president, W. J. Macdonald, is a Chicago man and he has secured the patronage, influence and support of no less than twenty-one millionaries, in the director of that frightfully important bank that has just made a big loan to China.

Harry Huntington is also a spectacular member, so is Robert Hunter Cravath, golf fame, and A. H. Fleming, who is declared to be the richest man in wealthy Pasadena.

Well, cherie, they intend accordingly special consideration to the ladies. You should hear that dear Mr. Macdonald insisting upon our charms and good sportsmanship, and the wicked absurdity of discriminating against women golfers. "Macdonald on Women" is one of the most encouraging discourses I have harkened to for some time.

Our attractive bachelor friend, Arden Day, is to become a benedict on December 27. Ruth Powell has annexed his affections against a field of competitors. Thank goodness, a new bachelor is born every minute—oh, wouldn't society be dismal without any nice bachelors? I see a cynical female writer has declared that, in the "game of love," whenever a man "wins" a woman, he has lost; whenever he has "lost" her she has won. Now if some passe old bachelor had said that we might excuse him, but woman's inhumanity to woman makes countless thousands mourn. Anyway, I consider our friend Arden has distinctly won—you ought to hear all the nice things people say about Ruth.

Heard about Queen Mary's wig? They say she has two gray hairs knitted into it every year. That is what I call art for art's sake, don't you?

Love from BETTY.

Yuletide Next.

With Thanksgiving gone, the usual Christmas frenzy of shopping is consuming the hours—twenty-four are none too many when one must somehow cover the gay, joyous whirl of a winter season in addition to early-morning visits to the alluring shops.

Thanksgiving, no different this year than in former times, savored of well-flavored viands, the first sight of holly berry, the usual stimulating football games and no end of dinners. All the town and country clubs opened their doors for turkey shoots, teas and dinner dances. But it was in the homes that most of the festivities were enjoyed, for Thanksgiving is essentially a day of family feasts which seems to bind one's kinsfolk together more strongly than any other day in all the year, and if not kinsfolk, then one's best friends, to share in the informality and merriment such an occasion inspires.

In the Richard Bishop party at a home dinner Thursday, were Mr. and Mrs. William T. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. King, Miss Bessie Hill, Mr. and Mrs. William Howard Thomas, Mrs. Levy, Virginia Bishop and John Bell Bishop, while Mr. and Mrs. Burton E. Green entertained a family group, including Richard Green, Luther Green and Effie and Robert, Calvin Green and Miss Ida Allen of Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Avery McCarthy were among those who enjoyed the day at Midwick, together with their houseguest, Miss Natilie Campbell. They were in the party entertained by Mrs. A. J. Howard, who also had Mr. and Mrs. Volney E. Howard and small son, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mellus and Miss Katherine Mellus were also there, as were members of the Charles C. Carpenter family, including Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh K. Walker, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. William May Garland went to their pretty country home at Crags Country Club for the holiday—a rendesvous that held attractions for many of the fashionables. Mr. and Mrs. Russell McDonald Taylor were at the club and had with them Mrs. A. C. Harden-Brown, Mrs. Julian Phelps and son, J. A. Stafford, Miss Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Phelps.

At their home, No. 351 Hobart boulevard, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Newell dispensed hospitality to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Newell, Mrs. Mary Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Baum, yellow and brown chrysanthemums adorning the board.

A hundred of their young friends made merry at a Thanksgiving dancing party which Miss Anabel Ralphs and her brother, Albert George Ralphs, assisted by their mother, Mrs. George A. Ralphs, gave at their Hollywood-boulevard home Thursday night. Holly branches, poinsettias and greenery were used decoratively.

More Debutantes.

Among the auspicious social happenings on milady's calendar for the coming week is the tea which Mrs. Isidore Bernard Dockweiler of West Adams street is to give at the California Club Saturday afternoon, between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock, to introduce her two young daughters, Miss Dockweiler and Miss Rosario Dockweiler, to more than 1000 friends.

Miss Eleanor MacGowan, Misses Gertrude and Marion Kerckhoff, Miss Eleanor Workman and Miss Marion Wigmore—all buds of this season—are to assist in welcoming the newest acquisitions to their ranks and in turn, to receive their share of the homage of full-fledged society folk. Among others who are to greet the Misses Dockweiler are:

Miss Eleanor Banning, Miss Helen Duque, Miss Louise Hunt, Miss Helen Jones, Miss Rosemary Sartori, Miss Dorothy Lindley, Miss Gertrude Grant, Miss Katherine Stearns, Miss Beatrice Fininyson, Miss Margaret Johnson, Miss Mary Forve, Miss Viola Vanderleck, Miss Chonita Vanderleck, Miss Marie Rose Mullen, Mrs. Bayre Macnell (Daphne Drake,) Mrs. Marcus Marshall (Delight Shaffer,) Mrs. Thomas Weeks Banks (Martha Woolwine,) and Mrs. Edwin Lockley Stanton, Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mrs. Walter Jarvis Barlow, Mrs. Lucien N. Brunswig, Mrs. Ernest A. Bryant, Mrs. Michael J. Connell, Mrs. Joseph E. Cook, Mrs. James Calhoun Drake, Mrs. George J. Denis, Mrs. William E. Dunn, Mrs. William May Garland, Mrs. Lewis A. Grant, Mrs. Frank S. Hicks, Mrs. G. Allan Hancock, Mrs. Mary Wilcox Longstreet, Mrs. Walter R. Leeds, Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner, Mrs. Dean Mason, Mrs. John G. Mott, Mrs. Daniel Murphy, Mrs. John G. Mosgin, Mrs. Granville MacGowan, Mrs. Eugene O. McLaughlin, Mrs. Henry W. O'Melveny, Mrs. Joseph Francis Sartori, Mrs. Louis C. Scheller, Mrs. I. N. Van Nuys and Mrs. Kate S. Vosburg.

It was thought that with the formal presentation of the Misses Dockweiler, the list of buds to make their official bows this winter would be complete, but it is not so. Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Emory of Pasadena have decided to introduce their daughter, Katharine, who is an intimate school friend of the Misses Gertrude and Marion Kerckhoff, and are soon to issue invitations for her coming-out tea.

It is, in fact, for these three young ladies that Mrs. James H. Adams, assisted by Mrs. Morgan O. Adams, will entertain the evening of the 20th inst., at the Los Angeles Country Club dinner dance—this particular party being almost wholly for the younger set.

Young people returning from school and college will be completely engrossed with social happenings from the moment of their arrival in town until the very end of their holiday vacation, sharing in many of the debutante parties.

Miss Dorothy Lindley's dance for the girls now launched socially, like the first flowers of spring, is to be an event of Wednesday night at the Los Angeles Country Club—the fortnightly dinner-dance, which is to be given under the direct supervision of Mrs. Frank Griffith, Mrs. Walter Leeds and Miss Louise G. Burke.

The Misses Kerckhoff are also to furnish the inspiration for Miss Eshman's luncheon at the California Club, Friday, and will be honorees at the Henry W. O'Melveny dinner dance on the 18th.

Then the dancing party which Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Weeks Banks are to give the evening of the 22nd inst., the Forve dancing party for the large party to be given to about 700 guests at the Los Angeles Country Club the evening of the 27th for the debutante set; the Guasti party for the 28th, and a score of other affairs now more or less embryonic, but which are to be given for either the buds or college set, will keep the social pendulum swinging steadily until the first of the year.

Montanans Wed.

Louis F. Lorenz and Miss Helen M. Copenharve surprised their friends of Butte, Mont., and defeated many plans for pre-nuptial entertainments for the bride-elect, by taking advantage of their presence in Southern California to be married at San Diego Thanksgiving Day. They came back to Los Angeles Friday and will return to Butte before Christmas.

Mr. Lorenz is assistant city attorney of Butte and his bride is the daughter and only child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Copenharve. Mr. Copenharve is a newspaper man in that city.

The bride, who is prominent in musical circles, came to California about a month ago on a pleasure tour with her parents and the party was joined in Los Angeles by Mr. Lorenz, the day before the wedding. They motored to San Diego, where the marriage ceremony was performed at noon Thursday in St. Paul's Episcopal Church, with Rev. Charles L. Barnes, officiant. A pleasant supplement to the nuptials was the reading of a message and blessing from A. K. Mosumdar, a Hindoo author and teacher, founder of a new religious society and a new system of philosophy.

After the wedding ceremony the party breakfasted at the U. S. Grant Hotel, and later in the day united a wedding and Thanksgiving dinner at the Stratford Inn, Del Mar, before returning to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Copenharve will leave for Butte Monday.

Club Members Enjoy Skit.

Among the week's social affairs at the Los Angeles Athletic Club was a luncheon given there Wednesday by the Misses Anna Louise and Catherine Albright in honor of Miss Mildred Strong, a bride-to-be. The luncheon, in the ladies' annex, was followed by a matinee party to the Orpheum. Present with the Misses Albright were Mrs. Pearl Strong, Mrs. Gwendolyn Mulholland, Mrs. Edward Shelton Dulin, Mrs. Lawrence Todd Baker, Mrs. George Pelton, Mrs. Harrison Albright, Miss Mildred Strong, Miss Edna Miles, Miss Helen Fenner, Miss Ana May Price, Miss Dorothy Arsner, Miss Mildred Dawson, Miss Vernita McCollough, Miss Louiez Johnson, Miss Grace Wilson and Miss Dorothy Heron.

The week proved especially active for the club entertainers, prominence being given to several unusually large and brilliant affairs. Tuesday evening the Uplifters, an organization of merry-makers inside the club, entertained with their annual ladies' night dinner, 250 members and guests being present. In connection with the affair were given a clever black-face comedy skit, written for the occasion by L. Frank Baum, and presented by a cast of club members, a minstrel show and a programme of music and songs.

Entertaining with an elaborate dinner the same evening was Seymour Swartz, whose guests numbered 130. The list of entertainers Thanksgiving evening included J. H. Lashbrook, who was a dinner host to eight friends; Frank Ryan, whose party included six, and Mrs. Joseph Merrill, who entertained for eight. Garretson Dulin was a dinner host Wednesday evening in compliment to five friends. Dr. Albert Soliand entertained with a luncheon Monday in the Sheritan room; Mrs. R. E. Lyons gave a luncheon Tuesday, and yesterday Mrs. Paul Shoup complimented seven guests with a luncheon in the ladies' annex.

Large Dancing Party.

Chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mead and Mrs. F. G. McCoy, Miss Ruby Lucile Mead and Miss Irene Louise McCoy entertained 100 high school pupils at an enjoyable dancing party Wednesday evening at the Huntley apartments.

The lobby and assembly-room had been converted into forest loveliness with the sagey green of mistletoe and holly. Strains of soft music came from a hidden orchestra. Punch was served throughout the evening.

Friday evening the formal opening ball of the Huntley was given, and at that time Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mead included forty of their friends to the affair, serving supper in their apartments following the dance.

Mrs. Mead, with a committee of women, has been instrumental in dressing 3500 dolls for the Shriners, who anticipate making many a poor little child happy this year. Included in the committee were: Mrs. C. H. Barnes, Mrs. Allison Barlow, Mrs. E. J. Boyle, Mrs. R. B. Bowles, Mrs. F. A. Bowles, Mrs. George Brock, Mrs. Frank Bryson, Mrs. W. E. Bush, Mrs. James Coleman, Mrs. C. C. Collier, Mrs. Harry Chamberlain, Mrs. A. H. Cheney, Mrs. C. J. Cresmer, Mrs. Mayme Goodrich, Mrs. Herman Hauser, Mrs. R. A. Haffner, Mrs. Charles Logan, Mrs. M. L. McCray, Mrs. J. F. Mullin, Mrs. Frank Munsey, Mrs. Frank Parker, Mrs. H. Montague Porter, Mrs. C. W. Pierce, Mrs. Fred Pierce, Mrs. William R. Ruess, Mrs. Elmer Riggle, Mrs. William Snyder, Mrs. Mae Spaulding, Mrs. Fred Stone, Mrs. A. T. Power, Mrs. Burt Roberts, Mrs. Perry Whiting, Mrs. Robert Wankowski, Mrs. Harry Ward and Mrs. W. P. Jefferies.

Church Wedding.

In West Adams Presbyterian Church Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock will be solemnized the marriage of Miss Marion Moore, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Moore of South Figueroa street, and Edgar Kapp Brown, young attorney of the city and son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown of Abbot place.

The bride-elect will be attended by Miss Delta Kapp, with little Marjorie Tribbit flower girl, while Howard Guinn will stand with the groom. Messrs. William B. Paris, Ford Prior, Grant Kuhns and Everett Ball are to usher, and Mr. Moore will give his daughter in marriage. Following the service, supper will be served at the home of the bride's parents.

Home from Berkeley.

Miss Bernice Karr, student at the University of California, is here from Berkeley to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Karr, of Westmoreland place.

Coming Festivity.

With Mrs. James P. Burns, Mrs. Robert H. Edwards, Mrs. Simpson Wilson, Mrs. W. G. Hutchison and Mrs. Sumner Brown assuming the duties of hostesses, a congenial crowd will dine and dance at the Los Angeles Country Club Tuesday evening—one of a series of like features that are bringing the club members much pleasure this winter.

Soon to be at Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mauck, formerly of No. 1716 West Adams street, are taking possession of their new home at No. 1734 West Forty-first drive, where they will be at home after the 7th inst.

Out of the City.

With the intention of spending Thanksgiving and the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest D. Snow have gone to Beaumont to visit Mrs. Snow's sister, Mrs. Albert Brower.

Wilcox-Richmond.

Mrs. H. J. Wilcox of No. 2103 Crenshaw boulevard announces the marriage of her daughter, Mary Retta, to William Tilton Richmond, an event solemnized Friday morning in St. Agnes Church, the service having been read by Father O'Toole in the presence of the immediate family. After a wedding breakfast the young couple left on a motor trip through Southern California before departing for Albia, Iowa, their future home, where the groom is a member of the law firm of Richmond & Richmond.

Newcomers.

The Misses Lois and Jean English, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. English, have come to Los Angeles from their Oceanside home and have taken the home of Congressman Benedict at No. 1739 South Kingsley drive for the winter. The family has frequently visited in this city and the young ladies attended school here, so they are being extended a warm welcome by many friends.

Moving to the State.

Mrs. M. Clarence Mattinson, who is better known here as Miss Ruth Anderson, is to return today from Chicago, where she has made her home since her marriage several years ago. With Mrs. Mattinson is her baby girl, now almost a year old.

Mrs. Mattinson will spend the winter with her mother, Mrs. M. J. Anderson, at the Beverly Hills Hotel, and she will after that make her home in California, for Mr. Mattinson has recently purchased the controlling interest in a bank at Porterville and will soon establish himself there, to be joined later by his family. Mr. Mattinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Mattinson of Gibson City, Ill., have been at Beverly Hills for some months and are planning to remain throughout the winter.

Returns to Native State.

Richard Brockway of St. Louis and a native son of Los Angeles is making his first visit in the State since leaving here thirty years ago, and is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred C. Deister, No. 1716 New England avenue. A Thanksgiving dinner was given by them Thursday, other guests being Mrs. George P. Bullard and Dr. Charles E. Kerfing, who are sister and brother of Mrs. Deister.

Mr. Brockway's family home was at old Hangtown, Eldorado county, where gold was first discovered. He is astonished by the improvements and growth of the State since early days.

Wed on Thanksgiving.

Miss Helen Hoffman and Ralph Sayles were married Thursday at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. M. Schaads, No. 1256 El Molino street. At the conclusion of a wedding trip the bridal couple will reside at No. 5618 Raleigh street, Highland Park.

Back in Town.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank T. Hovenstein have come from their home at Venice and taken an apartment at the Kensington, where Mrs. Hovenstein will give a series of parties in the near future.

Betrothed.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cohn of No. 914 West Eighteenth street announce the engagement of their daughter Helen to Lucien Haas. They will be at home to friends Thursday evening between 8 and 10 o'clock.

Here from Washington.

Mrs. Carolyn Baker Hatfield, formerly of Washington, D. C., is in the city and stopping at No. 562 Heliotrope drive. The visitor is the grandmother of Col. E. D. Baker, who came to California in the early '50s and was known as a brilliant orator. He went to the United States Senate from Oregon, but resigned his seat and answered his country's call to arms, and was killed at the massacre of Ball's Bluff, or the "Victors Hope" as it was better known, when he was colonel of the First California Regiment. Mrs. Hatfield is also a descendent of Admiral Dickinson, who commanded a fleet at Trafalgar. She contemplates making her home in Los Angeles.

In Yuletide Motif.

Choosing for her decorations many pretty suggestions of the Christmas tide, Miss Florence Danforth presided Friday over a bridge luncheon of sixteen covers at the Sierra Madre Club, places being marked for Mmes. George McFarland, E. Sherwood, Frank B. Ranger, Walter Overall, Earl Rogers, Frederick A. Junkquist, Charles Brown, H. Van Dusen, M. Finehout and E. Junkquist, and the Misses Willie McClelland, Juanita Lane, Siegmund, Cora Boettcher and Gertrude Brands and the hostess.

Enjoyed.

Quite sans ceremonie was the little tea Mrs. Walter M. Brunswig gave to a limited number of intimates Friday afternoon at her home.

For Five Buds.

The Misses Gertrude and Marion Kerckhoff, Miss Eleanor MacGowan, Miss Marion Wigmore and Miss Eleanor Workman constitute a bevy of honorees who on Tuesday are to receive a debutante courtesy when Miss Beatrice Finlayson entertains at a luncheon of eighteen covers at the Alexandria, followed by a theater party at the Orpheum.

Amateur Players.

With Mrs. James Adams of St.



A group of buds around whom holiday festivities will center.

Miss Eleanor Workman, one of our most popular debutantes, who is coming in for innumerable courtesies that are making her fir st season a tremendous success. Miss Mildred Wellborn, who will not be presented before next winter, though the charming young girl, now enrolled for special study at the U.S.C., is to fig ure prominently in the coming affairs planned for the debutante and college set. Miss Cecile McLaughlin is expected home from New York, where she attends a fashionable school for girls, in time to participate in a deluge of delightful gayeties.

SOCIETY.

James Park hostess, the Amateur Players will hold one of their literary afternoons on Tuesday, when Mrs. Horace R. Wing will read Galsworthy's "The Little Man," Mrs. J. Wells Smith will interpret Walter Stevens's "Three Men Watch the Sunrise," the prize one-act drama which has come in for much unfavorable discussion, and Mrs. Eugene Pettigrew will read "The Modern Prodigal," by Horace Holley. Ruth Comfort Mitchell Young had a one-act drama in the contest won by Mr. Stevens. It is called "The Sweetmeat Game" and Angelenos especially are interested in a comparison of the two modern creations.

OUT-OF-TOWN SOCIETY.

Pasadena.

THANKSGIVING was the motif for a large number of interesting social events in which the thankfulness of the heart was expressed through the medium of dancing feet. The larger parties were the dinner and ball at the Maryland, polo tea at the Midwick Country Club, and dinner dances at the Annandale and Altadena country clubs.

The ball at the Maryland was preceded by a number of large and small dinner parties. Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Treadison entertained at one of them, their guests including Mr. and Mrs. Waldo C. Galdwin, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Steinway, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stovall, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Lindway and Mr. and Mrs. E. Smith. As usual there were a number of dinner parties made up of out-of-town guests, Los Angeles, San Diego, Long Beach, Riverside and Santa Barbara and many of the smaller cities of the Southland contributed to the happy throng. It is quite the popular thing nowadays to have a motor car ride precede the Thanksgiving dinner, and the run to Pasadena from other points gives the proper tone to the appetite. A special feature of the evening's entertainment at the hotel was the exhibition dancing of Miss Violet Romer, daughter of Mrs. Ada Romer, portrait painter who is now engaged in painting three life-size portraits of Mrs. Anita Baldwin.

Among the interesting out-of-town visitors who were entertained at family dinner parties were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dean of Corona and their two young children, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Quans of No. 244 South Hudson street. Mrs. Dean, who was Miss Janet Williams, daughter of Col. R. P. Williams, former State Treasurer of Missouri, is a writer of distinctive charm and in the orange belt finds inspiration for pleasing verses. Mrs. Dean was the eldest of several attractive daughters and when her father was in office she was a leader in the social life of the Missouri capital.

By far the liveliest event of the past week was the dance given Friday evening at the Annandale Country Club in honor of the football players who participated in the Pasadena High School-Long Beach High School match of the previous day. More than 200 of the younger set were present and there were visiting parties from Occidental, University of Southern California and other near-by educational institutions. A special guest of the evening was "Tuffy" Conn, former Pasadena High School football hero and now with the Oregon Agricultural team. The arrangements were in charge of J. Lowell McAdam and W. Parker Lyon, Jr. The chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. Parker Lyon, Sr., and Mrs. Mahan, with many other of the elders in attendance.

Thanksgiving morning at 9 o'clock, Ambrose Begley and Miss Agnes Marquard were married at St. Andrews Catholic Church with Rev. Father Paul Datin officiating at solemn high mass. Miss Marie C. Polack was maid of honor and Miss Marian Begley, sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid. The brother of the bride, Fred Marquard, was best man, with another brother, William Marquard, groomsman, and little Beatrice Hamilton, ringbearer. After the ceremony, witnessed by a number of relatives and friends, breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents on Lincoln avenue, and later the bridal party motored to Los Angeles for Thanksgiving dinner at the home of relatives.

Judge and Mrs. M. S. Bailey of Denver, and the latter's sister, Mrs. Janes, are the house guests of Dr. and Mrs. R. K. Janes of No. 201 North El Molino avenue. Judge Bailey is one of Colorado's most distinguished legal authorities, and recently was re-elected to his third term as a member of the Colorado Supreme Court, having already held this important place for ten years. He and Mrs. Bailey are making their first visit to California. With their hosts they are devoting much time to sightseeing. The visitors are charmed with Southern California and enthusiastic in their appreciation of the many points of beauty noted on automobile tours.

South Pasadena.

PROBABLY the biggest of all Thanksgiving reunion dinners was that given by Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cass of Fair Oaks avenue and Oak street, honoring the immediate members of their unusually numerous family. Between thirty and thirty-five sons and aughters and grandsons and daughters, not to mention an uncle and aunt or so gathered around the Cass dinner table on turkey day.

Friday the Beati Hora Club was entertained with a luncheon by Mrs. James E. Pierce and Mrs. Florence Reber. The affair took place at the home of the former.

Mrs. John W. Monahan of Rollins street entertained Thursday with a Kensington tea in honor of Mrs. Mossom G. Ritchie and her mother, Mrs. Palmer of Detroit.

Those present at the large informal dance given Saturday evening by Miss Ruth Salisbury of No. 1416 Marengo avenue were the Misses Dorothy Thompson, Sara Cramer, Mary Doerr, Iyuna Hansen, Rebecca Patterson, Josephine Robbins, Marguerite Perry, Ida Burns, Adelaide Dow, Josephine Supple, Helen Bradbury, Ethel Wall, Orilla Daggett, Lucille Council, Emily Miller, Catherine Patterson; Messrs. Harland Beardslee, Ralph Wood, Lynn Spencer, Robert Hine, William Perry, Lyle Donavan, Charles Dodge, Bruce Spencer, Robert Cravens, Cornelius Supple, Ernest Supple, Ford Tussing, Homer de Witt, Tom Sanson, Earle Davis, Dana Dunton, Hugh Mason, Carleton Clark, Louis Fey, Robert Daggett, Carson Heising, Paul Kinney and Louis Filley.

Miss Louise Scott of No. 1701 Electric avenue entertained Monday for the Monday Evening Musical Club. A paper on the subject of song writers by Mr. Arthur Babcock, with accompanying selections



Blouse Patterns

—Neatly tied with ribbon and boxed for Christmas Giving.

—Another happy solution to the gift problem—blouse lengths of Scotch and Saxony flannels, silk-mixed tussahs, voiles, etc. 90c to $1.90.

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—A gift suggestion for the music lover—Q.R.S. 88-note music rolls—an extra holly box free with each, if desired.

(Main Floor—Monday)



"La Mazeno" Gloves

—The Ideal Christmas Gift!

—"She" will be delighted with a "La Mazeno" Glove Order for Christmas, because she knows that it means glove satisfaction in quality and value—and, what's more, "she" may have the satisfaction of selecting them herself.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

Hamburger's SUNSET

Throughout the Store th

—Everywhere the spirit of the holidays abounds—the decorations, the gift boo

SLIPPERS!

—The Xmas Gift for Everyone!

—Many's the time they'll bring back a pleasant thought of the giver.

—For a wide selection, come to Hamburger's—there are slippers here for the entire family, all of the very best quality to be had to sell at their respective prices.

—Slippers purchased now will be exchanged after Xmas in case sizes are not correct.

Men's House Slippers, $2.25

—What a joyful smile such a Christmas gift as this will bring to "his" face! Six different styles at this price—Opera, Everett and Romeo models, in black and tan; all sizes—$2.25.

Women's Felt Slippers, $1.25

—A most useful gift—what woman would not appreciate a pair of these attractive and comfortable slippers. Felt Julieta, with leather soles and heels; in black, gray and wine—$1.25.

—Also padded-sole, low-cut slippers, trimmed with ribbon; in black, brown, gray, red and blue—$1.25.

Women's Terry Cloth Bath Slippers

—These to match the Christmas bathrobes—priced 39c, 50c and $1.

Children's Xmas Slippers

—Just the kinds to please the kiddies—we've specialized on this line for this Christmas, and have an unusually large and attractive assortment for selection.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

The Gift Shop

—Is aglow with the spirit of Christmas—gifts of every kind, gifts for every one, gifts for the home—gifts artistic, gifts unique, practical gifts—

—And in addition to the great gift assortments of the gift shop, we have assembled gifts from every part of the store and arranged them as a gift suggestion bureau in Bungalow Beautiful—Visit it!

(Hamburger's—Third Floor—Monday)



Leather Goods

—Gifts for men and gifts for women—a great display now ready in the Hamburger Leather Goods Department. Here you may be certain that styles are new, qualities the best and prices the lowest. Suggestions—

Shopping Bags, $4.25—these of real seal, made to withstand hard wear.

Street Bags, $3.50—extremely smart in appearance—bags of dull and polished pin seal and also of Morocco—many styles.

Envelope Street Purses, $3.75—made of dull pin seal, smartly styled.

Domino Sets, $1.25—furnished in leather cases.

Fitted Cases, $3.00 to $15.00—these of leather; models for both men and women.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)



Santa Claus & Br

—Why, everybody knows what a wonderful place Toyland and surely come tomorrow—for it's the happiest, prettiest, most Christm

—Toys and dolls are everywhere—bright colors and gold tinsel abound—and then OLD SANTA and his BROWNIES are here, too, with a broad smile, and perhaps some candy or a toy for good little girls and boys.

American Model Builder

—Start the young mechanic out right—let him see what he can do. Perhaps he will win the prize offered by the manufacturers of the "American Model Builder." Ask for particulars tomorrow. The "American Model Builder"—a steel construction toy—priced 50c to $7.50.

Cloth Animals, 25c
—Dogs, cats, elephants, rabbits, etc.—well-made cloth animals—25c.

Painting Set, $1.00
—Great assortment of paints, stencils, painting book—complete in fancy box—$1.00.

Teddy Bears, $1.00
—15 inches high; thoroughly well made of excellent plush; glass eyes; voice—$1.

Naval War Game, $1.25
—Battleship and two torpedo boats—amusing for boys or girls—$1.25.

Christmas Tree Ornaments

—A most wonderful and complete stock—everything one might want for trimming the Christmas tree. Glass and tinsel ornaments, etc.—1c to 12c.

Tin Service Set, 45c
—Four cups and saucers; coffee pot, creamer, and tray—each piece decorated with pictures—45c.

Many Dolls at $1.25
—Baby character dolls and boy and girl dolls; dressed in various costumes; painted cloth bodies; papier mache heads—$1.25.

—Imported 11-piece Enameled Tea Set, $1.00.

(Hamburger's—Fourth Floor—Monday)

—Santa Claus Sends This Important Message t and Girls of Los Toyland Monday, the Brownies and I Are P xciting Things, In

Xmas Handkerchiefs

—"Why, this is the most remarkable lot of handkerchiefs I've seen anywhere"—we heard one of our patrons say just the other day. And indeed, she was right—for we fully believe we have the most complete and varied stock of handkerchiefs on the coast.



—Handkerchiefs of linen, cambric and silk, in an almost endless variety—hand-embroidered styles in Madeira, Irish and French designing; plain and hemstitched kinds—oh, we could tell you pages about our handkerchiefs, but we want you to be sure and see the beautiful Christmas displays.

The "Angelus" Handkerchiefs, 3 in box, $1

—Our leader in handkerchiefs at a popular price—made of pure linen, very sheer; with hand-embroidered corners—you'll be delighted with the quality and value—$1.00 the box of three.

Kerchiefs, box of 3 for $1.50
—The "Mission"—our celebrated pure linen hand-embroidered handkerchief made in Ireland especially for Hamburger's. A gift that would please "her" better than all else. Packed three in a neat box—$1.50.

Kerchiefs, box of 3 for 50c
—The "Poinsetta"—another handkerchief that Hamburger's is famed for, particularly for the fineness of quality at this popular price. Of pure linen, with fine embroidered designs as dainty as hand work—box of three for 50c.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

Xmas Clocks

—The best makes at Hamburger's—and what more could one ask for as a Christmas gift than a handsome, reliable clock that will tick away for years to come in memory of the giver.

Mantel Clocks at $7.00
—The famous Seth Thomas 8-day clocks, in beautiful adamantine mahogany finish; they strike the hours and half hours.

8-day Clocks, $2.00—the small size; in nickel case.

Alarm Clocks, $3.50—those mahogany tambour alarm clocks that are so attractive.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

Give a "De Luxe" Robe Blanket, $4.50

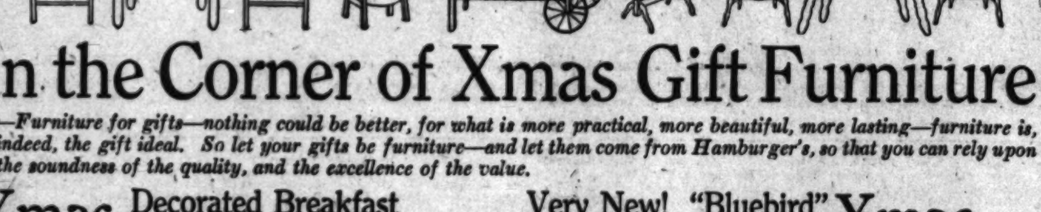
—Complete with cord and frog fastening—size 72x90 inches.

—Pretty Jacquard patterns in both light and dark colorings—and a great variety to select from now. These robe blankets in fine, soft finish, extra heavy weight—so cosy and warm! Ideal Christmas gifts at $4.50.

Robing Flannel, 40c yard
—The prettiest of the new patterns, of the popular "Beacon" robing.

—Cord and Frog to match, 45c set.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)



In the Corner of Xmas Gift Furniture

—Furniture for gifts—nothing could be better, for what is more practical, more beautiful, more lasting—furniture is, indeed, the gift ideal. So let your gifts be furniture—and let them come from Hamburger's, so that you can rely upon the soundness of the quality, and the excellence of the value.

Xmas Decorated Breakfast Room Suites at $26.75

—One that's causing much attention is decorated in black and gold with floral effects, all done by hand. Many designs and colors for choosing.

—And also—any color to match any scheme you desire—and the suite will be decorated in our own workshops, to your order.

Very New! "Bluebird" Xmas Breakfast Room Suites

—Something entirely different—decorated in our own workshop. Table in the popular Colonial style, the chairs of the Windsor type—rich, elegant furniture, finished in black, with hand-decorated blue-birds and floral designs, and dainty cretonne to match—priced, table, $18.50; chairs, $8.75 each.

Xmas Tea Wagons at $9.75
Very attractive tea wagons, in either oak or mahogany at this popular price—$9.75. Equipped with removable tray and rubber-tired wheels—$9.75.

—Other Tea Wagons, in fumed oak, Jacobean, mahogany, and decorated—priced to $35.00.

Xmas Muffin Stands, $6.75
—A gift that will be appreciated by any woman—and especially so if it's one of these very attractive stands. Made of mahogany, in a splendid mahogany, and finished—priced unusually low at $6.75.

Xmas Sewing Stands at $8.00
—Another gift that will please the woman of the home! Handsome sewing stands of mahogany, with loose tray with compartment for thread, needles, etc.—a most complete assortment—$8.00.

Xmas Sewing Tables, $13.50
—In the quaintly attractive Martha Washington design—a Christmas gift "she" will appreciate more than anything else. Select one now and have it laid away for future delivery—as the quantity is limited, and the price very special—$13.50.

Solid Mahogany Wing Rockers—for Gifts, $17.50
—They're of solid mahogany—think of it, and priced at just $17.50. A comfortable rocker, with hand-woven cane back and wing, and with attractive carved centerpieces in the back—$17.50.

Gunn Sectional Book Cases
—The sectional kind that are so widely favored because of their convenience. Buy enough sections to accommodate your library now—and as you increase the number of volumes, you may procure more sections for your bookcase.

—Make a deposit now on Christmas gifts and we will lay away your purchase and deliver it at any time you wish.

(Hamburger's—Furniture Department—Third Floor—Monday)

Make It An Electrical Christmas—Electrical Week!

—A Christmas in keeping with the times—a modern Christmas, practical and economical with all the joy and good cheer of this happy day—for instance—



Universal Toasters, $4.00
—In the upright pattern; nickel-plated.

Electric Portables
—An assortment of beautiful, new and artistic designs unequaled in the city, $2.50 to $65.00.

El Radio at $6.50
—A luminous radiator that is practical; nickel-plated, with copper reflector.



El Grillo at $6.00
—A toaster, grill and broiler all in one; of steel, nickel-plated.

Electric Irons, $4.00
—Nickel-plated; element guaranteed.

Coffee Percolators
—In the Mission pattern; copper, nickel-plated; 4-cup size, $3.00; 6-cup size, $3.50.



(Hamburger's—3rd Floor—Monday)

Fine Silverware —For Christmas Gifts

—*And, where is the housekeeper who wouldn't delight in a gift of silverware?*

—New—Table Crumb Sweeper, $2.00
—Artistic Silver Bread Trays, $3.00
—Silver Holder and Casserole, $3.50
—Handsome Silver Baking Dishes, $6.50
—"Grape" or "Queen Anne" Bonbon dishes, $2.25
—Three-piece Silver Tea Set, $7.50
—Also all the best qualities of table flatware, in sterling and fine silver-plate.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

Cameras for Gifts

—*We develop roll films free when prints are ordered.*

—Let your gift be an "Ansco" camera—Buster Brown 2A camera, takes 2½x4¼-inch picture, uses 6 or 12-exposure film—$2.00.

—Other "Ansco" cameras, $2.00 to $55.00.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

Prof. John H. Austin



Bacteriologist, Hair and Scalp Specialist of Chicago,

Will Tell You How to Save Your HAIR

—Prof. Austin will tell you, free of charge, just what to do to your hair to bring it back to a healthy condition. Both men and women invited. Women need not take down their hair.

—Hours: 10 to 12 and 2 to 4. Private Office—Hamburger's—Second Floor.

175 Co at $21.

Another Phenom vent!

—Those dashing new winter models that are the ... on the boulevards of the East.

—Wool velour, broadcloth, ...ings, in black, brown, navy, green, ...

—Yes, full-length coats, full-... with the new large ripple and cape collar ... material—deep cuffs, large pockets, wide ... very, very chic—and phenomenal in ...

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—Another DRESS OCCA... opportunities—150 dresses to ... Christmas sale.

—Street, afternoon and party ... smart looking combinations ... over-skirt models and semi-... braid, yarn embroidery; the very ... The colors of fashion, too—$12.75.

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...for satin is used in their fa... ...cing to match.

...how very picturesque they are. ...models in the bright, new sport co... ...of the kind you will see for man...

...—Second Floor—Monday)

1000 yds. Navy

—Yes, 1000 yards—the ... of greatest demand to sell ...

ck French Ser...

...e of our foremost mills—... ...prices—54 inches wide—$1. ...

...Floor—Monday)

...Gloves
...mas Gift!
...th a "La Mazeno" ...because she knows ...tion in quality and ...her" may have the ...m herself.
...e—Monday)

Established 1881
Hamburger's
BROADWAY EIGHTH HILL STREETS
SUNSET, E— —HOME 10063

Gifts of French Ivory



—*One Initial Engraved Free on each piece on orders of $5.00 or over.*

—French Ivory—those popular and dainty toilet accessories that thousands receive and give at Christmastide. Make selections early while stocks are fullest.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

Luncheon, 50c

Baked Spanish Mackerel—Aux Fine Herbe
or
Roast Young Turkey with Dressing and Cranberry Jelly or
German Pot Roast with Egg Noodles
Mashed Potatoes—Baked Potatoes
Gingerbread—Rolls—Corn Bread
Lettuce Salad—
Thousand Island Dressing
Chocolate Blanc Mange
or French Ice Cream and Cake
Tea Coffee Milk
—Also service a la carte.
(Cafe Beautiful—Fourth Floor—Monday)

Our School of Dressmaking Closed During December

—Watch for the announcement of the reopening date in our newspaper advertisements.

...ore th Christmas Spirit Abounds!

...ions, the gift boot...land and Dolldom, the windows, the merchandise and the great throngs of shoppers!



...us & Bro...es Hold Auto Show

...wonderful place Toyland and D... course, you've heard of it, and been there, perhaps—but oh! you must ...opiest, prettiest, most Christmas... tomorrow Santa Claus and the Brownies hold an *AUTO SHOW.*

...ght colors and gold tinsel ...d his *BROWNIES* are ...aps some candy or a toy

...Builder

...ows what he can do. Perhaps ...rers of the "American Model ..."American Model Builder"—a

...ing Set, $1.00

...t assortment of paints, stencils, ...g book—complete in fancy box—

...l War Game, $1.25

...tleship and two torpedo boats—...g for boys or girls—$1.25.

...Ornaments

...thing one might want for trim...ments, etc.—1c to 12c.

...y Dolls at $1.25

...y, character dolls and boy and ...lls; dressed in various costumes; ...d cloth bodies; papier mache ...—$1.25.

...Set, $1.00.

...(Monday)

The "Wizard," A Speed Demon, $5

—Finished in red, with yellow striping; strong steel wheels with ½-inch rubber tires; starting crank; size 12x28 inches—$5.00.

"Red Dot"—$7.50
—Painted red, with white striping; black enameled steering wheel; with steel bumper; 13-inch wheels, with ¾-inch rubber tires; sizes 14x34 inches—$7.50.

"Mogul"—$7.50
—Finished in green, striped with yellow; 13-inch rubber-tired wheels; with bumper; size 13x32 inches—$7.50.

"Skipper"—$10.00
—Finished in yellow, striped with black; 12-inch rubber-tired wheels; starting crank and bumper; size 13x41 inches—$10.00.

"Banner"—$11.00
—Size 12x42 inches; finished in red, striped with yellow; self-starter and hub caps; 13-inch rubber-tired wheels—$11.00.

"Super Six" Endurance and Speed, $6.00

—Length of body 29 1-2 inches; painted red, with yellow striping; 1-2 inch rubber tires—$6.00.

"Ballyhoo"—$12.50
—Gray, striped with black; size 14x40 inches; 14-inch rubber tired wheels; hub caps and bumper; strong wheels—$12.50.

"Olympia"—$30.00
—15x50-inch size; in green striped with black; upholstered seat; adjustable windshield; two lamps; steel bumper; 14-inch tangent spoke wheels with ¾-inch rubber tires—$30.00.

"Toledo Knight"—$20
—40-inch body; finished in blue and red with black striping; steel bumper; 16-inch wood rim steering wheel; 14-inch rubber tired wheels—$20.00.

"Comet"—$25.00
—Finished in red and green, upholstered seat; adjustable wind shield; bumper and hub caps; wood rim steering wheel; self-starter; 14-inch rubber-tired wheels; size 14x39 inches—$25.00.

(Hamburger's—Fourth Floor—Monday)

Important Message to ...and Girls of Los Angeles—"Come to Hamburger's ...wnies and I Are Pre...citing Things, Including a Punch and Judy Show."

Pocket Knives!

—Over 2000 pocket knives, from Milady's tiny purse knife to strong steel knives for men and boys, assembled for the great Christmas gift demand—25c to $5.00, as you wish.

Pocket Knives at $1.00

—Two to four-bladed knives, with pearl, stag, ivory or gunmetal handles, —yes, and the "Boy Scout" knife, too, at $1.00.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)



Yes, Jewelry!

—For Christmas Gifts

—Special preparations have been made in the great Hamburger Jewelry Department for this busy Christmas season—and you'll find it just full to overflowing with the best sort of gifts for men, women and children.

Men's Watches, $9.00—the "Elgin" watch, a model particularly suited for young men; 20-year gold case, 7-jewel movement.
—Boys' Peter Pan watches, $2.00.

Bracelet Watches, $12.50—these with 15-jewel movement, and 20-year gold case; convertible extension bracelet.

Outdoor Wrist Watches, $2.75—excellent timekeepers of American make; with leather wrist straps.

Rings for Men, $4.00 to $7.50—handsome solid gold signet rings.

For Baby, $1.50—a solid gold necklace, including charm and chain.

Lavallieres, $4.50—they're of solid gold, set with real cut diamonds—specially priced.

Collar Pins, $1.00 pr.—several styles, of of solid gold.

French Pearls, $1.00—these are of a fine quality and weight; with solid gold clasp.

Waldemar Magazine Pencils, $1.00—either of sterling silver or gold-filled.

Earrings, $3.50—many smart styles, all prettily jeweled.

Men's Belt Buckles, $1.25—"he" will be glad of one as a Xmas gift. They're made of sterling silver.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

CANDIES!

—*A Christmas Delight!*
—*Why, it's half the joy of Christmas to have candies about—boxes of candy, bags of candy, dishes of candy.*
—*And, of course, there must be candy for gifts, too.*

—Remember Hamburger's, when you buy your Christmas candy—for here you get the best and purest that's made, and you'll find the prices very low, too. All our Christmas candies are made here in our own Chocolate Shop—we know that everything is as it should be, that our candies are the best that can be made. Suggestions—holly wrapped and boxed—

—Candy Beads, all colors, 5c strand.
—Pure Sugar Xmas Broken Mixed, 20c lb.
—Fancy French Mixed, 25c lb.
—Asst. Satin-finish Buttercups, 30c lb.
—Hand-dipped Old-fashioned Chocolate Drops, 30c lb.
—Asst. French Cream Bonbons, 30c lb.
—Special Family Table Mixed, 30c lb.
—Fancy Christmas Chocolates, 35c lb.
—Old-fashioned Chocolate Peppermints, 40c lb.
—Chocolate-covered Marshmallows, 40c lb.
—Peanut Clusters and Honey Chips, 40c lb.
—Fancy Smooth Jordan Almonds, 45c lb.
—Arrow Chocolates, 50c lb.
—Mission Chocolates, 60c, $1.00, $1.80, $2.50 & $3 box.
—Hamburger's de Luxe Chocolates, 75c to $5.00 box.

Sunday-school Special—30-pound Pail Xmas Mixed and 50 Fancy Boxes } $4.50

—Also—an immense line of candy-filled glass novelties, snowmen, Santa Claus, Xmas trees, cornucopias, snowballs, fancy boxes, baskets, etc.
—Oh, it's a Mecca of candy lovers—this candy department of ours, plan to visit it tomorrow for your Christmas candies.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

Good Books for Xmas, 59c

—And after all, when one considers everything for Christmas gifts, there's nothing quite so appropriate, nothing that will be appreciated quite so much, as good books.
—Suggestions at 59c—wonderful values in the best books by the best writers—





—Trail of the Lonesome Pine, Fox
—Wild Animals I Have Known, Seaton
—More Heart Throbs
—Diane of the Green Van, Dalrymple
—Man and the Moment, Glyn
—The Desert Trail, Coolidge
—V V's Eyes, H. S. Harrison
—The Night Born, London
—It Happened in Egypt, Williamson
—Shorty McCabe on the Job, Ford
—The Victim, Thomas Dixon
—Laddie, Gene S. Porter
—Fortunate Youth, Locke
—How It Happened, Bosher
—El Estranjero, R. J. Waters
—T. Tembarom, F. H. Burnett
—Miss Billy, Eleanor Porter
—Flaming Sword, Geo. Gibbs
—Street of Seven Stars, Rinehart
—Penrod, Booth Tarkington
—The Clansman, Thomas Dixon
—Prince of Graustark, McCutcheon
—Kazan, James Oliver Curwood
—Contrary Mary, Bailey
—Rose o' Paradise, author of Tess.
—Dad, Albert Payson Terhune





—World's End, Amelia Rives
—The Rosary, Florence Barclay
—The Harvester, Gene S. Porter
—Anne of Green Gables, Montgomery
—Winning of Barbara Worth, Wright

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

175 Coat $21.75

Another Phenomenent!

—*Those dashing new ...winter models that are the fash...on the boulevards of the East.*

—Wool velour, broadcloths, ...gs, in black, brown, navy, green, ...

—Yes, full-length coats, full-lined ...with the new large ripple and cape collars of ...rial—deep cuffs, large pockets, wide ... very, very chic—and phenomenal in valu...



150 Dresses ...75

Yes, Away Unde...

—Another DRESS OCCASION ...opportunities—150 dresses to sell ... Christmas sale.

—Street, afternoon and party dres... smart looking combinations—... over-skirt models and semi-fitted ... braid, yarn embroidery; the very ... The colors of fashion, too—$18.75.

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Clever New...rt Hats—



—...have taken their In...spi... the art of the Chinese.

—A ... effect is obtained by appliques of ... and novelties.

—Of ... satin is used in their fashioning and sh... ...g to match.

—We ... how very picturesque they are. Try to see the ... ...s in the bright, new sport colors. It is the ... the kind you will see for many a day. See it ...

...Second Floor—Monday)

1000 yds. Navy...

—Yes, 1000 yards—the ... of greatest demand to sell ...

36-inch Chiffon— Taffeta, $1.50

—*A soft, lustrous quality, packed in a Gift Box if desired.*
—And chiffon taffeta, you know, will again be the favorite of fashion in the Spring. Black and all the new street shades. $1.50 yard.

The New 56-in. "Venetian" Suitings at $2.00 a yd.

—A new fabric resembling broadcloth in finish; soft and beautiful—in wine, navy, Myrtle and midnight blue.

(Hamburger's—Main Floor—Monday)

Fancy Fruits and Nuts—Gifts

Prices include express charges to any American or Wells Fargo Office in the United States.

Assortment A—$2.00
—Consists of Fancy Cluster Raisins, Calimyrna Figs and Assorted Nuts packed in neat wooden box, $2.00.

Assortment B—$2.75
—Consists of California's Fancy Cluster Raisins, Budded Walnuts and Almonds, Calimyrna Figs, Dates stuffed with Pecans and Glace Fruits packed in neat wooden box, $2.75.

Assortment C—$2.95
—Consisting of Hamburger's "Happy Thought" Basket—a typical gift of California. Fancy Japanese Basket filled with assorted Nuts, Cluster Raisins, Calimyrna Figs, Dates stuffed with Pecans, $2.95.

Assortment D—$1.00
—Consisting of Sunkist Navel Oranges; Tree Ripened Fancy Oranges, packed in Miniature Crates of one dozen, $1.00.

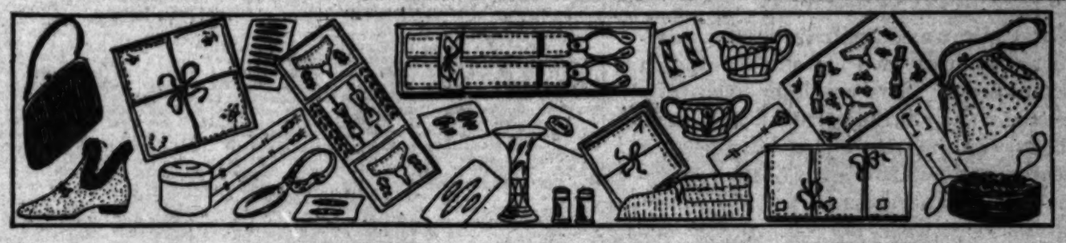
Hamburger's Special Glace Fruits
—Packed in fancy red wooden boxes.
10 oz. 60c 2 lbs. $1.85
1 lb. $1.00 3 lbs. $2.70

Hamburger's Rivera Walnuts—
California's Finest Walnuts
5 lb. sacks, $1.75. 10 lb. sacks, $2.95.

We also Pack Gift Baskets
—To your special order—$2.50 to $27.50.
(Hamburger's—Main and Fourth Floors)

...k French Serge—54-inch ...of our foremost mills—here at the very moment ...—54 inches wide—$1.50 yard. ...Floor—Monday)

$1.50



Christmas in the Basement Store

—*And what a wonderful Christmas it is—everything so new, so many, many gift booths — and best of all, you'll be greatly impressed with the excellence of the merchandise and the lowness of the prices. Plan to do your Christmas shopping in Hamburger's Basement Store—and plan to start tomorrow.*

Handkerchiefs for Men, Women, and Children
—Thousands of them—dainty 'kerchiefs of linen and cambric—and you'll find the Hamburger prices so low on them all.

Handkerchiefs at 19c
—Women's all-linen handkerchiefs, with hemstitched borders and hand-embroidered initials—19c.

Handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c
—They're of pure linen, sheer and fine; with hemstitched border—for women, 3 for 25c.

'Kerchiefs, box of 4 for 65c
—Of Irish linen, with dainty hemstitched border and embroidered designs—box of four for 65c. Women will think them dainty.

Child's 'Kerchiefs, 3 for 19c
—Initialed handkerchiefs for children, of sheer, fine lawn; all wanted letters—box of three for 19c.

(Hamburger's—Basement Store—Monday)

Women's Slippers—Gifts That'll Please } 98c
—Low-cut felt slippers of excellent quality; trimmed with ribbon or fur; padded soles with lambs' wool innersole; in all wanted colors; all sizes—98c.

Dainty Boudoir Caps at 25c
—Attractive caps of sheer silk, combined with lace and net; in pretty designs—25c.

Leather Collar Bags, 69c
—You'll recognize a quality that usually sell at a much higher price. They're of real leather, drawstring style, and nicely lined—69c.

Men's 'Kerchiefs, 2 for 25c
—Of good—quality cambric, with white or colored initials; in fancy boxes—two for 25c.

Men's Suspenders, boxed, 48c
—They're of excellent web, with leather ends; in fancy Xmas boxes—48c.

(Hamburger's—Basement Store—Monday)

Sterling Silver Deposit and Silver-plated Ware
—Christmas gifts that will be greatly appreciated! And just look how low are the prices—

At 25c—Silver-plated pieces—Baby Spoons, with curved handles; Mustard Jars, with glass spoon; Vases with pierced frames; Shakers; Dry Smelling-Salts Bottles; Sugar Tongs—25c each.

At 25c—Oxidized and gold-plated Jewel Cases; solid Nickel Nut Cracker and Picks; Polished Nickel Dripless Tea Strainers—25c each.

At 35c—Sterling Silver Deposit ware—Vases, Flower Baskets, Relish Dishes, Puff Jars, Powder Jars, Horse Radish Jars, Salt Shakers, with pearl top, Pepper Shakers, with pearl top, Candlesticks, Water Glasses, Sherbets, Creamers, Mustard Jars, Vinegar of Oil Cruets, Sugar Bowls, Small Plates—35c each.

At 35c—Silver-plated Pieces—Two-bottle Casters, Pair Salt and Pepper Shakers, Marmalade Jars, with spoon, Bud Vases, Napkin Rings, etc.—35c each.

Hair Ornaments at 49c
—All set with sparkling stones—so many, many pretty styles, including—casque combs, straight back combs, barrettes, fancy pins, fancy-shape combs with floral designs in rich colored effects—49c.

(Hamburger's—Basement Store—Monday)

SOCIETY.

In interpretations, was a particular feature.

Among South Pasadena Occidental alumnae present Friday noon at a luncheon meeting of the Occidental Women's Club, held at Christopher's, were Mildred Keith, Dora Raab, Lillian Wendling, Elizabeth Gardner and Alva Gardner. Mrs. Myron Hunt of Pasadena gave an account of her experiences in attempting to raise funds for a woman's dormitory at Occidental College.

Next Thursday Mrs. Lionel Redpath of Fletcher avenue will entertain with a large luncheon party.

December 16 Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Gortner of La France avenue will leave for an extended six weeks' tour of the East. They will first attend a family reunion at Goshen, Ind., and then proceed to New York for New Year's. The return trip will be made via New Orleans.

The Oneonta Dancing Club held another of their delightful monthly dinner dances on Friday evening at the Woman's Club House. Mrs. A. L. Shellhorn was in charge of the arrangements for the affair. About forty couple were present.

As the start of an over-Thanksgiving tennis tournament under the auspices of the Live Oaks Tennis Club, Milan and Marengo avenues, a tennis tea was held on the courts Saturday afternoon at 4:30. Mrs. W. E. Cooper and Mrs. Stevens of Bushnell avenue were in charge of the affair. On Thanksgiving Day the matches were played through to the final round, which will be played off on a future Saturday. Those still surviving are: Man's singles, William Weldon, Doerr and Clarence Barker; mixed doubles, Doerr and Irene Shilsbury vs. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barker. Several matches still remain in the men's doubles.

Saturday evening Catherine and Rebecca Paterson of No. 1707 Oak street entertained with an informal dance for the younger high school and college set.

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Santa Barbara.

With the coming of cold weather in the East the annual pilgrimage of winter residents to Santa Barbara has begun, and many Montecito and Santa Barbara homes, closed for a time during the summer and fall, will be opened again soon. The large hotels are receiving reservations which point to a stay of length here of many eastern society people whose visit will undoubtedly find hearty welcome on the part of Santa Barbarans.

Today, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Bourne of New York are expected in their private car Advance. They will stay at El Mirasol during their visit in Santa Barbara.

Irving T. Snyder is here from Denver, having joined Mrs. Snyder at a cottage they have taken in Montecito.

The Misses Elizabeth and Nancy Park are in San Francisco, where they went to meet Mrs. Ernest Bates and her sister, Miss Helen Ahern, who are returning from New Zealand. Mrs. Bates will be at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Ayers of Montecito, for a few weeks before leaving for England so that she may be near her husband, who is at the front.

There were many Thanksgiving parties in Santa Barbara, most of them family affairs, in keeping with the sentiment of the day, but one of the larger parties was a "no-host" dinner party at the La Cumbre Club preceding the Thanksgiving dance there. Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. Rexwald Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Park, Mr. and Mrs. Wolff, the Misses Nina Jones, Miriam Wolf, Mary Gallaher, Margy McLaughlin, Margaret Waterman, Mary Trowbridge, Pearl Chase, Gladys Keeney, and the Messrs. Harold Lease, Harlow Frink, James Canby, Richards Ilker, Ashby Keeney, Archie Edwards, Prince Hopkins and Stacy Harding.

Mrs. Francis H. Greene entertained at bridge at her home on Upper Santa Barbara street Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Milo M. Potter entertained at dinner at the Potter Hotel Thanksgiving evening.

Mrs. Franklin Price Knott has returned to her Santa Barbara home after a visit in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Grosvenor Porter Orton have returned from a week's stay in Los Angeles. They are now in their new home in Montecito.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Driver are in San Francisco, where they spent Thanksgiving with their daughter Edwina, who is attending school there.

Dr. and Mrs. David A. Conrad entertained ten guests at their home on Valley road, Montecito, Tuesday evening on the occasion of their sixteenth wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Dabney will leave tomorrow for Lone Pine, near Owens Lake. They will be gone about a week.

Dr. Phillip S. Chancellor and his son Phillip, Jr., were the Thanksgiving guests of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Sidebotham at their ranch, the other side of the mountain.

Mrs. J. J. Egan of Chicago and Miss Dora of Chicago are at San Ysidro for the winter. Mrs. S. McConnell and her two children of New York are there for an indefinite stay.

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Ventura.

Mrs. W. D. Blair entertained at an informal luncheon at her home at the Mound on Wednesday. Quantities of nasturtiums were used for the decorations which were also used as a centerpiece on the prettily appointed table where a delicious menu was served. The guests were Mrs. Joe Argabrite, Mrs. Will Daly, Mrs. Wren Cannon, Mrs. Webb Moore, Mrs. J. F. Tuffentaller, Mrs. Guthrie Clarke, Mrs. Russell Walker. Miss Eugenia Blair, the young daughter of the hostess, assisted in entertaining—Elisabeth Moore, Shirley Clarke and Master Joseph Argabrite. After the luncheon Mrs. Blair enjoyed with her guests the afternoon in conversation and with needlework.

Mrs. Edgar Carne extended hospitality to a number of friends on Friday afternoon at her pretty home on Poli street. The time was pleasantly spent in playing five hundred. Holly berries and autumn leaves were effectively used in decorations. The first prize was captured by Mrs. Earl Moss and Mrs. Frank Dennis won the second prize. The invited guests were Mrs. John Arnetil, Mrs. W. B. Aplin, Mrs. James S. Blackstock, Mrs. Neill Baker, Mrs. A. Bryant, Mrs. Don Bowker, Mrs. George C. Clark, Mrs. R. M. Clarke, Mrs. Charles Carne, Mrs. George Daly, Mrs. Frank Dennis, Mrs. Ed Dunn, Mrs. J. E. Elliott, Mrs. W. H. Frances, Mrs. Myron Gabbert, Mrs. S. A. Gavin, Mrs. H. V. Hammond, Mrs. Nick Hearne, Jr., Mrs. R. R. Hill, Mrs. Julius Hirschfelder, Mrs. W. H. Hoffman, Mrs. W. C. Hendrickson, Mrs. A. L. Hobson, Mrs. W. A. Hobson, Mrs. Ralph Hemer, Mrs. F. W. Hunter, Mrs. W. J. Lewis, Mrs. Walter Jones, Mrs. Clay Knox, Mrs. Earle Moss, Mrs. H. H. Neal, Mrs. Ed Newby, Mrs. H. F. Orr, Mrs. Walter Robinson, Mrs. E.



Smart Boots with White Kid Tops at $6.50 & $7

Come and see these dashing new boots in a strikingly effective combination of black and white.

They are notable examples of the *high grade footwear* we are offering at moderate prices.

Thousands of women confine their buying to this establishment because of the unusual service obtainable here.

A large force of trained shoe specialists is maintained by this house—a force large enough to give every patron careful, painstaking service. This is one of the reasons for our ever-increasing patronage.

Our windows portray the modes of the moment in fashionable foot toggery.

Give Gude's Footwear Certificates These certificates are distinctive, dainty and highly artistic.

Gude's GOOD FOOTWEAR 537-539 So. Broadway

TERRILLS

The Unique

CONSOLIDATION SALE

The consolidation of these two important establishments has so greatly over-crowded our floors that we have been compelled to announce this campaign of value-giving opportunities.

This is the most remarkable sale ever brought forth in this store. So great is its magnitude, so far reaching is its importance, that for days will continue the exceptional offerings.

Here will be found a wealth of Christmas Gift Suggestions, all of them under-priced, as follows:

Suits---

$26.25 $33.75 $41.25
$48.75 $56.25 $63.75

Higher Priced Garments Accordingly.

Coats---

$23.75 $28.75 $34.75
$38.75 $48.75 $54.75

Higher Priced Garments Accordingly.

Dresses---

$16.75 $23.75 $33.75
$41.25 $53.25 $64.75

Higher Priced Garments Accordingly.

—and in Conjunction Our First Annual Corset Clearance

Our entire stock of Corsets (GOSSARDS, Bien Jolie, La Vida, Mme. Mariette, Hortense and Unique) together with all French and Philippine hand-made Lingerie at—

⅓--⅓--¼ Reductions

Terrill's saleswomen and fitters will be with us permanently to assist you in your selections.

9 a.m. Monday at the Unique

The Unique Exclusive Agency Pictorial Patterns 725 South Broadway



Give Colburn Furs

—the gift incomparable

What gift can compare in beauty, comfort and utility with a smart, modish set of furs? Furs are long-lived gifts—particularly if they are **Colburn Furs.** They can be remodeled season after season and will lose little of their original beauty and usefulness.

Beware of inferior furs — cheap garments that will "go to pieces" in one season. Give furs that bear the Colburn label and the recipient will appreciate your thoughtfulness and judgment. Come and choose from our magnificent Christmas stocks. Every garment carefully selected for its intrinsic worth and beauty.

There must be good and substantial reasons why this establishment does the largest exclusive fur business in Los Angeles. Ask any woman who wears Colburn furs.

The illustration shows a beautiful blanket cape of Scotch mole trimmed with tailles ermine, with a new semi-round muff. This garment is one of the handsomest cape designs of the year.

The demand for Kolinsky furs is growing by leaps and bounds. Kolinsky was never in greater demand than this season.

We have a few odd skins in Silver, Natural Blue and Cross Foxes — at special low prices. They are excellent subjects for Christmas gifts.

Colburn's FURS EXCLUSIVELY 305 So. BROADWAY

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SOCIETY.

A. Rice, Mrs. L. Ramsaur, Mrs. W. F. Sittel, Mrs. Guy Stetson, Mrs. R. M. Sheridan, Mrs. N. S. Sanborne, Mrs. F. W. Sturgis, Mrs. F. J. Sifford, Mrs. E. L. Welst, Mrs. W. G. Wild, Miss Effie Bartlett, Miss Renee Canet, Miss Zelta Duval, Miss Ruth Dennis, Miss Lillian Amalee Smith, Miss Grace Hobson.

The prettiest of large dancing parties for the younger set and the most elaborate event of the season was given at the Athene Clubhouse Friday evening by four young popular ladies of the high school, the Misses Cecelia Periano, Doris McDonell, Dorothy Sudden and Kathryn Fowler. Guests came from Santa Paula, Oxnard, Saticoy and Camarillo; 160 invitations were issued. Those who received with the hostesses and acting as chaperones were Mrs. C. B. McDonell, Mrs. Nick Periano, Mrs. L. D. Fowler and Miss Ruth Sudden. The decorations were quite elaborate for the occasion, the color scheme was carried out in greens and red, with the assistance of holly berries, African grape vine and bamboo and gray moss. The affair will long be remembered by those who were present.

Mrs. John Lynch of Berkeley and Mrs. Charles Cottle of Los Angeles, State officers of the Daughters of the American Revolution, were the guests of honor at a handsomely appointed luncheon given at the Pierpont Inn on Friday. Members of the Santa Paula and Ventura chapter were hostesses of the day and who arranged the affair.

Mrs. John Ashdown entertained Thursday at a prettily appointed, but quite informal luncheon, complimentary to her daughter, Mrs. Leo Le Berthen and Mrs. O. H. Wycoff of Los Angeles. Those invited to meet the guests were Mrs. Knox, Mrs. J. P. Rasmussen, Mrs. H. A. Giddings, Misses Eva and Marie Rasmussen and Miss Anna Giddings.

The Misses Marie, Anna and Jeanette Silva entertained with a week-end party at their country home Saturday night. Five hundred and dancing were enjoyed. The house was decorated with quantities of pink carnations and ferns which were beautifully arranged. Sunday motor trips and a dinner were given. Those who enjoyed the delightful hospitality of their friends were Miss Lillian Mollen of Santa Barbara, Miss Margy Mangan of Oxnard, Miss Rosemary Hurd of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Case of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Curtis, John Medley, Dr. P. A. Sparks, Joe Silva, Mr. Tieberg and D. Fritz, Ventura.

Mrs. W. A. Hobson, accompanied by Mrs. William Arneill and Misses Ave and Isabella Camarillo of Camarillo, is leaving for the Hawaiian Islands, taking passage on the Great Northern, which is making its second winter trans-Pacific trip. They will be joined by a party of tourists at San Pedro. The return trip will be made in about three weeks.

Mrs. G. W. Ormsby entertained Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. M. Cannon. The guests were Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Ed Barlow, Mrs. Willis, Mrs. Russell Walker, Mrs. George Cassidy, Miss Elliott, Miss Willis. A pleasant social afternoon was enjoyed and dainty refreshments were served.

Mr. Dudley Field Malone, Collector of the Port of New York, who is touring the State with a party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mestro, Miss Dorja Stevens and Dr. Millicent Cosgrove of San Francisco, are guests at the Pierpont Inn for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Kohl and family left Saturday for New York City, to remain for an indefinite period. Mr. Kohl has been called to attend to matters of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fuller of Boston spent a few days in the city. They are placing their two sons, who accompany them, in the Thatcher School, in the Ojai Valley.

Pomona.

MR. AND MRS. I. L. NOGGLE of No. 390 East Piedmont street entertained a company of friends with a Thanksgiving dinner and an auto ride Thursday. Among the guests were Miss Julia Noggle, who is attending Los Angeles Normal School, and her sister, Miss Bess Noggle, who is a teacher at San Fernando. Mrs. Emily Kerr of Long Beach, who is Mrs. Noggle's mother, was also present. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gapp, Miss Hazel and Eben Gapp and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Schmidt from Los Angeles.

One of the pleasant Thanksgiving parties of the week was given by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bartlett at their residence on the Foothill boulevard Thursday. The color scheme throughout the house was yellow, brown and green, marigolds being used effectively in decorating for the occasion. In the family party were Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kimmel, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Yetter and sons, Robert and Keith; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schroeder, Mrs. J. H. Sypult and Mrs. Edith Skaer, the latter from Los Angeles.

Monday afternoon Mrs. A. E. Pelton delightfully entertained the Our Times Club at her residence on West Fifth street. She had at that time as special guests her daughter, Mrs. R. A. Sampson, and her children, Edna and Arthur, and Mrs. Rosie Wilmot of Santa Monica. During the course of the afternoon Mrs. Pelton and Mrs. Wilmot played two piano duets and Mrs. James Steele read a paper entitled "The Courtship of Miles Standish." Among the club members in attendance were Mmes. C. W. Priestly, Emma Heath, C. H. Chain, C. F. Sawyer, G. F. Ayres, James Steele, B. F. Feather, B. F. Ransford, J. G. Boake, J. B. Irwin, Edward Pendleton, Guy Paine, A. C. Slykhouse, B. H. Irwin and Susie Dewey.

One of the enjoyable events of the week was a quail dinner which Theodore B. Modra gave in his art studio on East Holt avenue. A party of Los Angeles friends were present, and they were given an opportunity to see Mr. Modra's latest paintings.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Brehaut of No. 597 West Holt avenue entertained their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brehaut of Claremont, at Thanksgiving dinner. Other guests were the Misses Gladys and Helen Brehaut, J. W. Norton and Harold Brehaut.

Thursday afternoon Dr. and Mrs. George Forester opened their beautiful home at No. 625 North Park avenue to a party of friends, and were assisted in entertaining by their daughter, Miss Hazel Forester. The latter gathered mistletoe and other holiday greenery in the hills north of here and used it for decorations in the house. The guests at a big turkey dinner were Rev. and Mrs. Frank Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Dwaine Tuppening, Mrs. W. P. Williamson, Mrs. Mary Lewis, Mrs. Minnie Mason and Mrs. Elsie Scott.

Keeping pace with a custom established several years ago, Mr. and Mrs. E. Alva Lawrence gathered the various members of their family about them and set them down to a magnificent turkey dinner on Thursday. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. E. Alva Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Snow, Mrs. Nellie Jewett, Albert Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Williams and daughter, Miss Susie Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Baker gave one of the largest Thanksgiving parties in the city on Thursday. They entertained a company of relatives from Long Beach and eastern points. Mrs. Baker decorated the house prettily with smilax and chrysanthemums, carrying out a yellow, white and green color scheme. An elaborate turkey dinner was served at noon, covers being laid for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Baker and daughter, Miss Tillie Baker of Long Beach; Paul Baker from Des Moines, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Baker and son, Harold, and daughters, Florence, Esther, Dorothy, Hazel and Lillian; Misses Agnes and Vera Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Tadlock of this city.

A Thanksgiving dinner party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stillinger at their home on South Palomares street Thursday noon. After serving a big turkey dinner the hostess and host entertained their guests with music and games. Those who attended the party were Mr. and Mrs. Marion Maple, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Fox, Miss Iva Maple, Mr. and Mrs. Fayne Hill, Mrs. J. F. Stewart and the Misses Vera, Geneva and Effie Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Rickett gave a family dinner at their residence on San Francisco street Thursday. The members of the party were Mr. and Mrs. Rickett and their son, Arlo E. Rickett, Jr., and Wilbur Rickett, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Baynham and sons, Robnette and James; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baynham of Claremont and George Russ of Menlo, Iowa.

Manhattan Beach.

MRS. ERNEST B. PENTZ of No. 124 Twentieth street charmingly entertained the members of the Manhattan Bridge Club at her home on Thursday afternoon. The meeting was the last one before the Christmas holidays, and Mrs. Pentz had the house beautifully decorated in holiday colors. A new member, Mrs. John Webster, was initiated into the club. During the afternoon bridge was enjoyed and Mrs. Pentz served a delicious collation before the guests departed. Among those present were Mrs. Ray Raymer, Mrs. J. Harry Withers, Mrs. Will Simpkins, Mrs. Lewis Bock, Mrs. John Webster and Mrs. E. B. Pentz. Mrs. Martin La Baig was absent.

Serving a delicious turkey dinner on the sands, was the stunt which met with the approval of the guests of Mrs. Montgomery Chatworth, who entertained in this novel fashion on Wednesday evening on the sands near the pier. Mrs. Chatworth and her guests motored down with hampers filled with turkey and other delicious dishes, and a bonfire was kindled for the picnickers. Among those who enjoyed Mrs. Chatworth's hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Chatsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Franklyn Morse and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Needham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webster of the Manhattan grocery store delightfully entertained with a luncheon on Friday at noon out-of-town guests who were down for a few days to enjoy the beach. The Webster cottage on the ocean front was prettily decorated in a color scheme of red and green, and those who enjoyed the luncheon were Mr. and Mrs. John Webster, Mrs. H. Adams, Mrs. L. Hennigny of Hollywood and Mrs. M. Underwood. The luncheon preceded an auto trip through the surrounding country.

The largest dance of the season was given on Friday night at the new Manhattan Beach City Hall, when the City Trustees and their wives opened the hospitable rooms of the new building and entertained with dancing and cards. The white walls of the rooms were decorated with asparagus plumosus ferns and red carnations, and punch was served in a booth profuse with flowers. A large number of the younger set enjoyed dancing, while some played cards. Among those present were Mr. "Chic" Webb and Mr. Willilam Hoskings, who dispensed music; Mr. M. M. Murray, Mayor and Mrs. Frank Daugherty, Marguerite Cashin, Miss Ines O'Brian, Mr. S. Cashin, Mr. Joseph Chattwood, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Castile, Mr. Gabriel Dagle, Miss Grace Moesman, Miss Winifred Wilkinson, Mr. Joseph Dagle, Mr. and Mrs. Max Venable and many others.

In honor of Miss Edith Harris, who is soon to marry Mr. Fred R. Cramer of Los Angeles, a party was given on the beach on Thursday afternoon which was attended by many of the friends of the young couple. One of the novel features of the occasion was the hide-and-seek hour which the guests enjoyed. Miss Harris's presents were buried in the sand, and she was obliged to dig them up with a toy shovel. Those at the party included Miss Frederick J. Harper and Miss Lotta Goodrich, who were the hostesses, and about twenty others.

There have been many pleasant house parties formed during the past week, who are enjoying the holiday season at the seaside, and among the Los Angeles people and others who are enjoying their beach homes for a few days are Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Newberry and family, Roland Emory and Fred Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Don Richards of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jarvis and children of St. Louis, Miss Carrie Morrison and Miss Hester McDougal of Boston, and Mrs. Pearl Platt Vawter and children and father, Capt. Josiah Platt, of Pasadena.

Venice.

AMONG the many parties last week was one given by the Phi Alpha Delta law fraternity at Venice. Some of those who attended were Frances Ackley, Howard Hensley, Marion Gerard, Ben Sheppard, Mabel McNeely, Sam Garroway, Daisy King, Edward Beal, Dorris Jones, Walter Little, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Frampton.

In honor of Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Higgins of Minneapolis, who are spending a few weeks with them, Mr. and Mrs. Horace W. Beek of the Fremont apartments, Santa Monica, entertained last Tuesday evening with a Thanksgiving party at Venice. Those among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Langley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Floyd Nutting, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schermerhorn, Dr. and Mrs. Byron Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Thornbury, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Graham Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Allison Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Clinche, Mr. and Mrs. George Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cornell, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Pratt, Mrs. J. T. Dennis, Mrs. E. J. Vawter, Misses Belle Perkins, Florence Judson, Ira Ferguson, Belle Smith, Messrs. E. H. Skilling, Joseph Keefe, Lloyd Simondson, John Pagett and Oliver Brown.

Mrs. Evelyn G. Dwyer was hostess during the week to the Five Hundred Club of Venice. The reception was in the nature of a surprise to the members of the club, who were given a royal welcome. Those who captured prizes are Mrs. H. R. Jones, Mrs. J. E. Horton, Mrs. Joseph James, Mrs. M. Horsfield, Mrs. A. C. Beacox, Mrs. Jennie Gory and Mrs. Linda M. Bell.

A delightful Thanksgiving dinner was given Thursday by Dr. and Mrs. Byron Palmer in honor of their daughter, Ruth, who returned from Ramona Convent for the holiday. The affair was a family gathering, the guests including Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell of Columbus, O.; Mrs. Aridna Goodrich of Columbus, Miss Nellie Campbell of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ranney of Los Angeles, and members of the Palmer family, including Miss Ruth, Miss Catherine and Byron, Jr.

A group of congenial friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Walter of Playa del Rey on Thursday for a holiday dinner. The apopintments were artistically arranged. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Walter of Los Angeles, Mrs. Charles Jacoby of Ocean Park, Mr. and Mrs. Markowitz of Santa Monica and Arthur [illegible] of San Francisco.

The A. C. Five Hundred members were the guests of the week of Mrs. Charles [illegible] Breeze avenue. Luncheon was [illegible] for Mrs. Fred Barrett, Mrs. J. Kelley, Mrs. E. T. Bergin, Mrs. Reel, Mrs. F. J. Early, Mrs. C. Miller and Mrs. L. Amiar.

Redondo Beach.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE ANDERSON and Miss [illegible] Dickson entertained at Masonic Hall on Saturday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. [illegible] of Escondido, parents of the hostesses. A turkey dinner was served in the banquet-room and the hall was decorated with red carnations potted plants and greens. Those who helped serve were Misses Ruth Anderson, Lorene [illegible]ley, Beatrice Thomas, Rose [illegible] Craig, Talma Breeden and Messrs. Kendall Jenkins and Wm. Anderson. Others present included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Matteson, and Mrs. W. R. Albee, Mr. and Thatcher, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. [illegible]nett, Mrs. A. R. Hopkins, Mrs. Mrs. Edward C. Thomas, Prof. and Mrs. C. A. Langworthy, Prof. and Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee, Mr. and Seltzer, Miss May Mohn, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bullock, and the Misses Hortense Weibers, Vera Rose, Evelyn Moran, Cora Scheurer, [illegible] Bartells, Luella Simpson, [illegible] West, Juana Nava, A. K. Hall, Violet Mitchell, Pearl Webster, [illegible] Perry, Evelyn Leete, Fannie Mae Dorothy Dean, Alta Muirien, [illegible] Haslett, Blantha Haynes, O. [illegible] Laughlin, Francis Cleveland, [illegible] Leege, Blanche Taylor, Emily [illegible]bor, Thelma Woods, Alvis Wood, [illegible] Piele, E. Sprung, Mildred [illegible] Juanita Hamilton, G. Bennet, R. [illegible] Faith Shaw and Maude Keene.

Mrs. L. R. Mitchell of No. 6[illegible] net street was hostess to the members of the Bluebirds Club on Friday afternoon at her home. Mrs. Mitchell used Thanksgiving decorations and served individual pumpkin pies to her guests during the afternoon. The place cards were of hand-painted designs of Thanksgiving turkeys. Guests of Mrs. Mitchell's for the afternoon were Mmes. D. L. Coben, R. C. Ingals, J. White, Herman Hansen, Pickens, Harry Seaton, Russell [illegible]nick, William Adkins, Fred Le[illegible]ff, Heath and Mrs. Ralph Green of Los Angeles.

The members of the Congregational Church held a Thanksgiving costume party in the church parlors Thursday evening, which was largely attended.

The women of the Redondo Beach Woman's Club will hold a Christmas Bazaar in the Pavilion Dancing Natorium, Thursday and Friday, December 7 and 8, which will be one of the largest affairs of the season. Mrs. J. Franklin Tower will be in charge of the fancy work department, Mrs. Frank Perry head of the kitchen department. Mrs. Whyres will be in charge of the dolls, Mrs. John Hart of the home cooked foods department, Mrs. Ralph Mansell will be in charge of the Christmas tree, Mrs. Robinson, cards and calendars; Mrs. E. T. Thompson will conduct the baby show, and Mrs. Mary Hall will have charge of the dining room department.

A number of the members of the Elks lodge of this city motored to San Pedro on Monday evening to witness the initiation services put on for two new members from Redondo Beach, Mr. J. P. Erickson and Mr. E. J. Murphy. Those who motored down the evening at Elk Lodge, No. [illegible] from Redondo Beach, included Messrs. Herbert Culler, E. J. Murphy, J. P. Erickson, Charles McCall, Will Culler, Jack Funk, Charles Ashley and Oliver Collins.

Mrs. Ernest Grant of North Alberta avenue entertained in honor of her son, Joseph, on Saturday afternoon, a number of his friends. Thanksgiving dinner was served during the afternoon to the following guests: Violet Myers, Clark [illegible] Lucille Temple, Roy Hoffman, Francis McKnight, Robert Brown, Edward Wolfe, Joseph Grant, [illegible] Boyles, Genevieve Browning, [illegible] Grant, Dorris Chambers, [illegible] Grant, Malcome Goss and [illegible] Woods.

City Attorney and Mrs. Frank Perry entertained with a Thanksgiving dinner at 1 o'clock on Thursday afternoon, the following guests: and Mrs. H. C. Howard, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Thomas, Mr. W. N. Perry, Mrs. L. J. Perry.

Burnette Stump, Fred Foote, Bowen Towner, Stanley Blocker and [illegible] from this city left Wednesday evening for West Fork, where one of the party owns a cosy cabin. They will return the first part of the week.

Redlands.

THERE was a note of real high jinks to several affairs given this week, as a part of farewell entertainments to be given arranged for the students who will leave for the Thanksgiving holidays for their various homes in the north. One of the most charming affairs was the dinner given at the Wood Mission Inn by the Kappa Psi Sorority of the university. Dinner was served in the private dining-room and the table was beautifully decorated with [illegible] Brunner roses, ferns and [illegible]. The members of the sorority enjoyed a special musical programme. Those present were [illegible] Guy Jones, Olga Steeb, Mary [illegible] Curtis, Evelyn Brown, Beaulah [illegible] Cleo Ballard, Marian Mitchell, [illegible] Carlyle, Ruth Blowers, Josephine Blowers, Elizabeth Smith, Mary [illegible] Alstrom, Eva Bemis, Ruth Jones, Ora Porter, Anne Rodden, Mary [illegible] Kling, Floy Gleason, Edith [illegible] Isabel Carpenter, Helen Beach, Minnie McQuilkin, Fays Cole, Villa Nye, Helen Field, Ann Cole, bell, Miriam Scott and Louise [illegible]. The Alpha Theta Phi Sorority of the university also had the brilliant affair of the season of the week, covers being laid for twenty-eight at the dinner which was decorated with [illegible] Brunner roses. After the dinner Miss Gladys Osborn gave a recital. Miss Edith Hill was patroness. Thirty-two were present at the Fine Arts Building of the university when the Alpha Phi Sorority gave a party. Todd was the chaperon and the evening was spent in a delightful manner.

The Ladies' Altar Society of the Sacred Heart Church entertained with a whist party at the hall which about 100 were present. Mrs. Loretta Huntington and Oliver Patterson won the prizes. The hall was decorated with chrysanthemums and cake, coffee and candies were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanbridge [illegible] of West Olive avenue entertained the members of the choir of the First Methodist Church Friday evening. There were about twenty present, and a quartette, consisting of Russell Booker, Karle Gray, A. Small and Ray Canterbury, rendered several numbers. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The first of the series of [illegible]

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[illegible] given here by Miss Olga Steeb of Los Angeles, who is hailed as one of the greatest pianists of the day, was a great success, the Century Club House being filled. The climax of the programme was reached in the Schumann Symphonic Etudes, which Miss Steeb played as the composition has never before been played here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lauterborn were pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening when a number of friends came to help celebrate their fifteenth wedding anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pennant, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Buttolph, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burton, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Leech, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Calhoun, Mrs. Schermerhorn, Clara Evans, Minnie Judd, Henry Scheurer, Vera Leech and Percival Cuvelier.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph P. Smith of the Trinity Episcopal Church were honored guests at an informal reception given by the ladies of the church at the parish house. The table, where coffee, sandwiches and cake were served, was decorated with a bowl of roses. During the evening Mrs. Horace Slater and Mrs. McDonald gave a programme of music.

Mrs. Daniel Smiley has arrived at Lake Mohonk House in New York to spend the winter at the Smiley home on Smiley Heights. Mr. Smiley will remain at the hotel until December. She says that the hotel had a large number of guests during the summer and that the day she left there was a heavy fall of snow.

Mrs. J. B. Constable and Mrs. Arthur Watson gave a birthday party for their sons, respectively, James Constable and Master George Stone, assisting in entertaining the children. Those invited guests were Dorothy [illegible], Eva Phillips, Lucille and [illegible] Nahmens, Helen and Donald Watson and Jamie Constable.

Mrs. John H. Fisher of West [illegible] avenue entertained with a [illegible]ty-appointed bridge party on Monday in honor of Mrs. Hugh [illegible] and Mrs. Sidney Lassell. [illegible] Robin roses were used in the living-room and sunroom and [illegible]cyclamen on the tea table. There were ten tables for bridge. Alonso Hornby, Mrs. Hester and Mrs. George Wilder presided at the two tables, several [illegible] coming in for tea.

Miss Altie Kimball was given a party at the home of her parents [illegible] a number of her friends called to help celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Riverside.

MR. AND MRS. W. D. HACKER, who left for their new home in Chicago on Friday morning, were the guests of honor at a six o'clock dinner on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] G. Barks of North Ivy avenue. The dinner was charmingly appointed, pink carnations and gypsophilia formed the centerpiece, [illegible] pink bonbon baskets and place cards carried out the same dainty color scheme. Places were marked for the hosts, the guests of honor and Mrs. L. N. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Nye and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Belden.

Mrs. J. M. Moss, sister of Mr. Edward Scott, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott this week. Her husband is an ensign in the navy and had been stationed at San Diego but has been transferred to the [illegible], Wash. Mrs. Moss left Saturday for Ontario, where she will visit her sister, but will return in a few days in Monrovia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Myers left on Monday over the Shore Line Limited for a three or four months' tour trip. They will go to Salt Lake City, Amarillo, Houston and San Antonio, Tex., visiting Mr. Myers' former home in the Lone Star State.

Mrs. G. C. Coleman of Concord [illegible] was guest of honor at his party on Thursday evening, the [illegible] being a surprise given him by [illegible]-six of his friends, who came to help him celebrate his birthday [illegible] anniversary. After a merry [illegible] of five hundred dancing was enjoyed, the affair was concluded with the serving of elaborate refreshments. Roses were used in the pretty decorations.

Mrs. L. L. Day of North Ivy avenue was the charming hostess on Monday at a 1 o'clock luncheon [illegible] for the millinery class, of which she is a member, and which has just completed a course of lessons. The luncheon was original in its appointments, and appealed to the feminine love of a bonnet. The [illegible] was unique with a Leghorn hat [illegible] upside down and filled with artificial flowers. The place cards were hand-painted reproductions of hats by the one to be seated, while [illegible] almonds were served in [illegible] hand-made flowered hat [illegible] tied with fluffy tulle bows [illegible] the color of the box. After luncheon the guests were asked to [illegible] an exhibition of their knowledge of millinery by guessing the different parts of a hat and the [illegible] used in its making, which were displayed about the rooms. Edward Scott, being the most successful, won a hatpin, while Mrs. [illegible] Coleman was consoled by a [illegible] pin.

Miss Elizabeth Teagarden, who [illegible] the week-end with Miss Dorothy Brown of Wild Rose avenue, left [illegible] home in the East on Saturday evening, after a very delightful [illegible] through Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dye of Ohio are the guests of Mr. Dye's brother, [illegible] Dye of North Ivy avenue. They [illegible] to spend the winter in Los [illegible] and vicinity.

One of the charming affairs of the week was a luncheon and reception given on Friday by Mrs. C. H. Reed of [illegible] Grevstone avenue in compliment to Mrs. M. Louise Butts on the anniversary of her eighty-second birthday. The house was artistically decorated with fluffy chrysanthemums, while coral begonias were used on the luncheon table, at which places were marked for the guest of honor and her son, William [illegible], the hostess and Mr. Reed, and Mrs. Dexter, old-time friends from Birmingham, Ala., and Mrs. George Hutchins and daughter, Harriet Hutchins. After luncheon Mrs. C. H. Harris and mother, Mrs. Crandall; Mrs. W. G. Davison and mother, Mrs. Hoagland; Mrs. Bartle and Mrs. G. M. Blake called to add their congratulations and best wishes for the day to those of the other guests, and spent a delightful afternoon.

L. N. Wheeler entertained at a delightful dinner-party on Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. [illegible], who has been the guest of her brother, Edward Scott, [illegible] for the past week. Roses were the pretty decorations. Covers were laid for the guest of honor, Mr. and Mmes. A. W. Hasen, C. Baker, R. V. Nye, J. A. Crane, the hostess and Dr. Wheeler, G. E. Phillips and son are [illegible] to arrive from Schenectady, N. Y., on Wednesday to spend the [illegible] with Mrs. Phillips's sister-in-

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The members of the Congregati... al Church held a Thanksgiving co... tume party in the church parlors ... Thursday evening, which was larg... ly attended.

The women of the Redondo Beac... Woman's Club will hold a Christm... Bazaar in the Pavilion Dancing Au... torium, Thursday and Friday, De... cember 7 and 8, which will be on... of the largest affairs of the season. Mrs. J. Franklin Tower will be he... of the fancy work department, Mr... Frank Perry head of the kitchen d... partment, Mrs. Whyres will hav... charge of the dolls, Mrs. John Ste... art of the home cooked foods depar... ment, Mrs. Ralph Munsell will hav... charge of the Christmas tree, Mr... Robinson, cards and calendars; Mr... E. T. Thompson will conduct th... baby show, and Mrs. Mary Hanse... will have charge of the dining-roo... department.

A number of the members of th... Elks lodge of this city motored t... San Pedro on Monday evening t... witness the initiation services put ... for two new members from Redon... Beach, Mr. J. P. Erickson and ... E. J. Murphy. Those who enjoye... the evening at Elk Lodge, No. 9... from Redondo Beach, included ... Messrs. Herbert Culler, E. J. Murph... J. P. Erickson, Charles McGehe... Will Culler, Jack Funk, Charles Ne... ley and Oliver Collins.

Mrs. Ernest Grant of North Re... berta avenue entertained in honor ... her son, Joseph, on Saturday afte... noon, a number of his friends. A ... Thanksgiving dinner was served dur... ing the afternoon to the following ... guests: Violet Myers, Clark Hus... Lucille Temple, Roy Hoffman, Fra... cis McKnight, Robert Browning, ... Edward Wolfe, Joseph Grant, Gle... Boyles, Genevieve Browning, Ro... Grant, Dorris Chambers, Lorin... Grant, Malcome Goss and Mildred ... Woods.

City Attorney and Mrs. Frank L. ... Perry entertained with a Thanksgiv... ing dinner at 1 o'clock on Thursd... afternoon, the following guests: M... and Mrs. H. C. Howard, Dr. and Mr... P. M. Thomas, Mr. W. N. Perry an... Mrs. L. J. Perry, ... Burnette Stump, Fred Foote, Bert... Tower, Stanley Blocker and other... from this city left Wednesday morn... ing for West Fork, where one of the... party owns a cosy cabin. The party ... will return the first part of next ... week.

Redlands.

THERE was a note of college ... high jinks to several affairs ... given this week, as a number ... of farewell entertainments have ... been arranged for the students who ... left for the Thanksgiving vacation ... for their various homes in the south. One of the most charming affairs ... was the dinner given at the Glen... wood Mission Inn by the Delta ... Kappa Psi Sorority of the univer... sity. Dinner was served in the pri... vate dining-room and the table was ... beautifully decorated with Cecil ... Brunner roses, ferns and violets. The members of the sorority later ... enjoyed a special musical ... gramme. Those present were Mes... S. Guy Jones, Olga Steeb, Margaret ... Curtis, Evelyn Brown, Beaulah Dye... Cleo Ballard, Marian Mitchell, Rach... Carlyle, Ruth Biowers, Jeanette ... Biowers, Elizabeth Smith, Eleanor ... Alstrom, Eva Bemis, Ruth Johnson, ... Ora Porter, Anne Redden, Margaret ... Kling, Floy Gleason, Edith Parr... Mabel Carpenter, Helen Beamer, ... Minnie McQuilkin, Faye Curtis, ... Vila Nye, Helen Field, Ann Camp... bell, Miriam Scott and Louise Ford. The Alpha Theta Phi Sorority of ... the university also had the most ... brilliant affair of the season during ... the week, covers being laid for ... twenty-eight at the dinner table, ... which was decorated with Cecil ... Brunner roses. After the dinner ... Miss Gladys Osborn gave an organ ... recital. Miss Edith Hill was the ... patroness. Thirty-two were present ... at the Fine Arts Building after the ... university when the Alpha Sigma ... Phi Sorority gave a party. Miss ... Todd was the chaperon and the even... ing was spent in a delightful man... ner.

The Ladies' Altar Society of the ... Sacred Heart Church entertained ... with a whist party at the hall, at ... which about 100 were present. Miss ... Loretta Huntington and Oliver Pat... terson won the prizes. The hall was ... decorated with chrysanthemums, ... and cake, coffee and candies were ... served.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanbridge Skinner ... of West Olive avenue entertained ... the members of the choir of the ... First Methodist Church Friday even... ning. There were about twenty-five ... present, and a quartette, composed ... of Russell Booker, Karle Grassle, R. ... A. Small and Ray Canterbury, gave ... several numbers. Refreshments ... were served by the hostess.

The first of the series of recitals ...

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given here by Miss Olga Steeb ... Angeles, who is hailed as ... the greatest pianists of the ... was a great success, the Con... ory Club House being filled. ... max of the programme was ... in the Schumann Sym... Etudes, which Miss Steeb ... as the composition has never ... been played here.

... and Mrs. W. J. Lauterborn ... pleasantly surprised Tuesday ... when a number of friends ... to help celebrate their fif... wedding anniversary. Those ... were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. ... ast, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Butt... Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burton, Mr. ... Mrs. F. H. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. ... Leech, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. ... e, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cun... e, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Cal... Mrs. Schermerhorn, Clara ... Minnie Judd, Henry Scheur... ... Leech and Percival Cov...

... and Mrs. Ralph P. Smith of ... Trinity Episcopal Church were ... guests at an informal re... given by the ladies of the ... at the parish house. The ... where coffee, sandwiches ... were served, was deco... with a bowl of roses. During ... Mrs. Horace Slater and ... Donald gave a programme ...

... Daniel Smiley has arrived ... Lake Mohonk House in New ... to spend the winter at the ... home on Smiley Heights. ... will remain at the hotel ... ember. She says that the ... had a large number of guests ... summer and that the day ... left there was a heavy fall ...

... B. Constable and Mrs. Ar... noon gave a birthday party ... sons, respectively, Jamie ... old, Mrs. George Stone as... entertaining the children. ... ted guests were Dorothy ... Eva Phillips, Lucille and ... Nahmens, Helen and Don... and Jamie Constable.

... John H. Fisher of West ... avenue entertained with a ... -appointed bridge party ... day in honor of Mrs. Hugh ... and Mrs. Sidney Lasell. ... Robin roses were used in ... ing-room and sunroom and ... men on the tea table. ... were ten tables for bridge. ... Lorenzo Hornby, Mrs. Henry ... and Mrs. George Wilder pre... the tea tables, several ... coming in for tea.

... Altis Kimball was given a ... at the home of her parents ... number of her friends called ... celebrate her birthday anni...

... AND MRS. W. D. HACKER, ... who left for their new home ... Chicago on Friday morn... ... the guests of honor at a ... dinner on Thursday eve... ... the home of Mr. and Mrs. ... Barks of North Ivy avenue. ... Baker was charmingly ap... ... pink carnations and gyp... formed the centerpiece, ... pink bonbon baskets and place ... carried out the same dainty ... scheme. Places were marked ... the guests of honor, ... Mrs. L. N. Wheeler, Mr. ... R. V. Nye and Mr. and ... W. Belden.

... J. M. Moss, sister of Mr. Ed... Scott, is visiting at the home ... and Mrs. Scott this week. ... band is an ensign in the ... had been stationed at San ... has been transferred to ... Wash. Mrs. Moss left ... for Ontario, where she ... her sister, but will return ... days in Monrovia.

... and Mrs. C. H. Myers left on ... over the Shore Line Limi... a three or four months' ... trip. They will go to Salt ... City, Amarillo, Houston and ... Antonio, Tex., visiting Mr. My... former home in the Lone Star ...

... G. C. Coleman of Concord ... was guest of honor at his ... party on Thursday evening, the ... being a surprise given him by ... ... of his friends, who came ... help him celebrate his birth... anniversary. After a merry ... of five hundred dancing ... enjoyed, the affair was con... with the serving of elab... refreshments. Roses were ... the pretty decorations.

... L. L. Day of North Ivy ave... ... the charming hostess on ... day at a 1 o'clock luncheon ... for the millinery class, of ... she is a member, and which ... completed a course of les... The luncheon was original in ... appointments, and appealed to ... dainty love of a bonnet. The ... was unique with a Leghorn hat ... a spade down and filled with ... flowers. The place cards ... hand-painted reproductions of ... the one to be seated, while ... almonds were served in ... hand-made flowered hat ... with fluffy tulle bows ... the color of the box. After ... noon the guests were asked ... an exhibition of their knowl... of millinery by guessing the ... parts of a hat and the ... used in its making, which ... displayed about the rooms. ... Edward Scott, being the most ... , won a hatpin, while Mrs. ... Coleman was consoled by a ...

... Elizabeth Teagarden, who ... the week-end with Miss Doro... ... of Wild Rose avenue, left ... home in the East on Satur... ... after a very delightful ... through Southern California. ... and Mrs. Charles Dye of Ohio ... guests of Mr. Dye's brother, ... of North Ivy avenue. They ... to spend the winter in Los ... and vicinity.

... of the charming affairs of the ... was a luncheon and reception ... Friday by Mrs. C. H. Reed ... Grevstone avenue in com... to Mrs. M. Louise Butts on ... anniversary of her eighty-sec... birthday. The house was ar... decorated with fluffy chrys... ... while coral begonias ... on the luncheon table, at ... places were marked for the ... honor and her son, William ... the hostess and Mr. Reed, ... Mrs. Dexter, old-time ... from Pirmingham, Ala., and ... Hutchins and daughter, ... Hutchins. After lunch... C. H. Harris and mother, ... dall; Mrs. W. G. Davison ... Mrs. Hoagland; Mrs. ... and Mrs. G. M. Blake ... their congratulations ... wishes for the day to ... other guests, and spent ... delightful afternoon.

... N. Wheeler entertained ... delightful dinner party on ... evening in honor of Mrs. ... who has been the guest ... brother, Edward Scott, ... for the past week. Roses ... the pretty decorations. Cov... laid for the guest of honor, ... and Mmes. A. W. Hasen, C. ... Jr., R. V. Nye, J. A. Cran... hostess and Dr. Wheeler. ... E. Phillips and son are ... to arrive from Schenectady, ... Wednesday to spend the ... with Mrs. Phillips's sister-in-law, Mme. E. A. Phillips of East Palm avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark of Highland place entertained at dinner on Monday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. John Fitch and Mr. and Mrs. Newton Sheets of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Arms. Mr. and Mrs. Sheets have been house guests at the Clark home for the past few days.

Mrs. M. E. Spellicy and Mrs. Elliott Grasset were hostesses at a delightful affair given Saturday afternoon at the Beck home on Valley View avenue, where Mrs. Grasset is at present. Auction bridge was the amusement for the afternoon. Mrs. Rogers won first prize. The decorations were autumn flowers and greenery, the flowers carrying out the color scheme of each room. It was a large and thoroughly charming affair in all its appointments. About fifty guests were present.

The Backus home on North Mayflower avenue was the scene of a very pleasant affair Saturday evening, when Miss Wanda Backus entertained twelve of her friends at 6 o'clock dinner.

Santa Ana.

A SURPRISE shower was given by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nelson for Miss Ruth Frackleston of Los Angeles and Mr. Lester Carden, who are soon to be married. Auction bridge was the diversion of the evening, in serving a dainty collation the host and hostess were assisted by Miss Marvel Baker and Mrs. Carl Sinke. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sinke, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hawk, Mr. and Mrs. Scove, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dubois, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Barnes of Anaheim, Misses Marvel Baker, Esther Fluor, Ruth Frankleton, Harvey Gardner, Lester Carden, Ralph Walbridge and Elmer Prince.

One of the most charming social events of the season was the whist party given at Elks' Hall by Mrs. W. L. Grubb, Mrs. M. R. Scott and Mrs. J. C. Metzger. Assisting the hostesses were Misses Ruth Turner, Josephine Scott, Virginia Metzgar, Frances Baker and Louise Grubb. Mrs. A. W. Rutan, Mrs. C. V. Davis and Mrs. L. L. Whitson won the attractive trophies.

The floors of the large hall were covered with Indian rugs, while the cheerful coloring was added to by masses of fern and pink carnations. Beautiful gowns, lovely hostesses and a congenial gathering made the party a notable one.

Misses Gertrude Carnahan, Grace Eckhardt, Olive Brown and Miss Marie May were present at a delightful gathering of the Merry Six Club at the home of Miss Pearl Way on Highland street.

Football and Thanksgiving were featured at a delightful function at which Miss Gwendolyn Hoyle and Miss Esther Zimmerman and their friends entertained the members of the Santa Ana High School football team at a dance, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hoyle, at the Orange County Country Club. Articles mentioned upon a clever football menu card were served at 11 o'clock. Those present were Misses Gwendolyn Hoyle, Esther Zimmerman, Helen Sylvester, Myrtle Law, Mildred Ward, Frances Baker, Dorothy Hendrie, Pearl Powers, Ella SlocuM, Effie Wylie, Ardis Burns, Atleta Merigold, Mabel Trindle, Marion Scudder, Mildred Murphy, Blossom Ward, Muriel Cravath, Ruth Boyd, Ada May, Sharpless and Messrs. Eugene Trago, "Joe" Irvine, Neal Raney, "Bill" Cole, Wayne Stewart, Robert Hill, Donald Winans, Leigh Faul, Berkeley Davis, Frank Sproul, Hugh Osborne, Moyle, Willard Best, Kenneth Horton, Basil Smith, Raymond Marsile and Jack Callahan.

Thirty-five members of the Barean class of the United Presbyterian Church invaded the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Kellogg and furnished a celebration of the couple's crystal wedding. Music and pleasing addresses by Rev. J. G. Kennedy and Miss Rosaline Kellogg marked the occasion.

A Thanksgiving party was given by Miss Mae Walton at No. 1134 Pine street. Those who enjoyed the pleasant affair were Misses Myrtle Montgomery, Kathleen Montgomery, Eva Carothers, Bessie McClain, Kate Hendrickson and Orin Daniel, Jay Brooks, Lloyd Brooks, Sidney Allender, Fred Nimmock and Walter Raymond.

Seventy-five friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. John Rudnick gathered at Trinity Lutheran Church, of which Rev. Edward J. Rudnick, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rudnick, is pastor, to celebrate the couple's golden wedding. While Mrs. Clara Rost played the organ the aged couple were led to the altar by three of their grandchildren, Alma, Beata and Helen Rudnick. Songs were sung during the evening, and altogether the occasion was a happy one.

Miss Esther Fluor was hostess Monday evening, entertaining with a theater party followed by the serving of refreshments at her home on North Ross street. Her guests were Misses Mildred Britton, Alice Huntington, Emily Lykke, Irene Craemer, Edna Meyer, Helene McNeill, Gertrude Potts, Grace White and Mrs. C. F. Hammett.

The Rainbow Club met at the home of Mrs. Joseph Wicks, and a pleasant afternoon of conversation and fancy work was enjoyed by Dolores Miller, Mary Joe Wicks, Sarah Sebastian, Jean Winslow, Lois Sweet, Adeline Cochems, Lula Brady, Gladys Prevost and Mildred Joyce.

San Bernardino.

A MERRY and informal gathering of the members of a bridge club, which has been formed by a number of society women, was held at the home of Mrs. W. T. Barrows on Victoria avenue Tuesday. Lavender chrysanthemums were arranged in brown baskets about the rooms, making an artistic form of decoration. Miss Marguerite Mogeau was awarded the prize after the tournament. Mrs. Broks MacCracken and Mrs. John Dales were guests of the afternoon in addition to the club members who are Mrs. L. A. Atwood, Mrs. Raymond Hodge, Mrs. J. Walter Roberts, Mrs. H. H. Weir, Mrs. Edgar Ham, Mrs. William Guthrie, Mrs. James A. Guthrie, Mrs. C. D. Perkins, Mrs. Howard Way, Miss Marguerite Mogeau and Mrs. Barrows.

Mrs. J. William Smith of No. 737 E street entertained the bridge club of Highland and San Bernardino ladies at her home Monday and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent in a bower of La France roses and African marigolds, which were used by the hostess to adorn the rooms of her lovely home. A two-course menu was served at the bridge tables. The special guests of the afternoon were Mrs. W. S. Conger, Mrs. C. W. Monohan, Mrs. T. O. Carter. The ladies enjoying the happy occasion were the Mmes. G. W. Prescott, Florence Orton, J. A. Reilly, W. W. Wilcox, Edwin Wayte and J. M. Webster of Highland, and Mmes. A. M. Ham, W. S. Shepardson, G. A. Atwood, T. W. Duckworth, W. H. Swan, R. D. McCook, J. S. Wood, W. M. Parker and J. William Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Skinner celebrated their silver wedding the past week at their home, No. 540 Eighth street, with a large circle of friends and relatives attending. Among the guests were Mrs. Skinner's mother, Mrs. A. S. Davidson of Upland, and two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Hofman of Upland and Mrs. G. A. Hatfield of Fresno.

Soon after Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Goldman returned from a visit to Los Angeles they were unexpectedly called upon by a large company of friends from Sunshine Temple, Pythian Sisters, who had planned a clever surprise as a farewell to the Goldmans who leave soon for Winslow, Ariz., to make their home.

Hermosa Beach.

CLARENCE M'GEE of this city, the well-known journalist and lecturer, gave a short talk before the Southern California Woman's Press Club banquet at Christopher's on Tuesday evening. Mr. McGee, who has spent many years of his life in the Orient, recently returned from Japan, and is now living in this city, corner of Haynes and Prospect avenue. His talk Tuesday evening was very brief, as he is to speak on Tuesday before the club again, on Japan. Other speakers on the programme were: Harry Carr, war correspondent for the Los Angeles Times, who made the address of the evening; Mrs. S. ... Marshall, first president of the Southern California Woman's Press Club; Dr. (Mrs.) Cornell; Miss Rose Elberbe, president; Mrs. Lavina Griffin Graham, past president, and Grace Tower of Honolulu.

Miss Grace Corbin, whose home at the corner of Thirteenth street and Longfellow avenue has been the scene of so many delightful gatherings, was hostess on Tuesday evening, to a few friends, who dropped in for a game of cards. Bridge was enjoyed during the evening, and those present included Miss Grace Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Preston and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. McDougal of El Segundo. Light refreshments were served.

A dainty luncheon was served on Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock by Mrs. Ernest Taylor of this city and her charming daughter, Miss Marjorie. Mrs. Taylor served a chicken lunch to members of several clubs to which her daughter belongs, and during the afternoon the guests enjoyed fishing from the pier. Those at the luncheon were: Miss Marjorie Taylor, Mrs. Ruth Kingsley, Mrs. Etta White, Mrs. Delia Gerhart and Miss Ethel Smith.

Mrs. Mary B. Bemus, the artist whose pictures are attracting such favorable comment, has as her guests this week, Mrs. J. E. Kittredge of Rochester, N. Y., and Mrs. Paul Bell and little son, whose home is in the Philippines, and Mr. and Mrs. George Bemus of Los Angeles, parents of the hostess.

In honor of Miss Joan Anderson, who leaves soon for her home in Nevada, Miss Dorothy McCourt entertained at their home, Twenty-fourth and Myrtle avenue on Friday evening. Miss McCourt was assisted in entertaining by her mother and brother, Mrs. John McCourt and Benjamin McCourt. Various amusing games were played during the evening and later delicious refreshments were served. Those who wished Miss Anderson a speedy return to California were the Misses Rosamond Craid, Dorothy McCourt, Elizabeth Thomas, Minerva McCarrell, Colise Slater, Lina Parker and the Messrs. Burnett Stump, Stanley Blocker, Donald Porter, John McCourt and Corby Ten Eyck.

Miss Margaret Salinas, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Salinas of No. 43 Twenty-th street, made her debut recently as a singer a... a recital given in the Thomas Taylor Drill studio in Los Angeles. Numbers which this talented girl sang included Liszt's "Loreley," Lang's "The Day is Gone," Eva Del Acqua's "Villanelle," and aria from Rossini's "Barber of Seville," Liza Lehmann's "If No One Wants to Marry Me," and Delibes's "Les Filles de Cadix." She also sang in a duet, "La Ci Darem" from Mozart's "Don Giovanni," with Mr. Drill.

Mr. and Mrs. James McArthur chaperoned a merry house party on Saturday and Sunday which enjoyed the week-end spent at the seaside. The party occupied the McArthur summer home on the Strand, and among those who enjoyed the weiner bakes and dances and general good time were the Misses Clara Foster, Alta Douglass, Grace Fenshaw, Juanita Foldat, Hilda Peterson and the Messrs. Harry Dietrich, Ralph Fenshaw, Wilbur Sunning, Harold McArthur, Morris Glendenning, Richard Foster and Mr. and Mrs. James McArthur.

Ontario.

PROMINENT among the noteworthy events of the fall season was the supper dance of Saturday evening at which Dr. and Mrs. Jerome Hill Titus and Mr. and Mrs. George Edward Bender were hosts at Hotel Casa Blanca. Beautiful women, handsomely gowned, and their escorts in immaculate evening attire all added their quota of brilliance to the happy assemblage and the beautiful hotel was never more attractive. Quantities of mistletoe and great clusters of gay California holly added a touch of brightness to the lobby and foretold the approach of the holiday season, while French marigolds, blending perfectly with its blue and gold appointments, served to enhance the beauty of the ballroom. Promptly at 9 o'clock, the entrancing strains of Doesinger's orchestra announced the opening of the ball and from then until the mystic midnight hour, the mirror-like floor presented a gay kaleidoscopic scene as the dancers surrendered themselves in joyful abandon to the dictates of Terpsichore. Only with the announcement of supper came an intermission in the dance and following the menu the rythmic music of the orchestra called the guests once more to the floor. Those enjoying the brilliant event numbered Mr. and Mrs. Earl M. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Scott Strain, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hugo Mertz, Mr. and Mrs. William Starbuck Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Baugh Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Stearnes Ingalls, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Earle Blakeslee, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Lynnward Grahame, Mr. and Mrs. Reid B. Bordwell, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Henry McQuillen, Miss Frieda Graettinger, Leonard J. Frankish, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon D. Wimpress, Dr. and Mrs. Charles H. Wimpress, Miss Eva Gerry, Harold C. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Morrow, Keith Johnston, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Monroe Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eugene Grior, Miss Helen Fitzgerald, Elmer H. Valle, Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart Ingalls, Miss Gladys Holmes, Miss Alma Holmes, Morris M. Taylor, Miss Ala Ballou, Albert C. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Welles Thompson Ross, Mr. and Mrs. William Freeman Brainard, Mr. and Mrs. Cromlee Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Herman M. Hille-

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Carnations in pink and white artistically combined with plumosus fern formed the attractive decorative motif for the home of Mrs. Charles W. Faris, No. 405 West D street, Thursday, when she happily entertained a group of friends at a charming afternoon affair.

The Richard H. Lesson home in West Fourth street was the scene of a jolly party over the week end, a number of Lloyd Lesson's college friends from the University of Southern California law school being the guests of honor. The principal event of the week end was a supper dance Saturday evening, to which a number of favored young women were also bidden.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett Sherwood celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding day in charming fashion Saturday evening when they entertained with a dinner party of pleasing appointments at their home in West Sixth street.

Howard Hatcher happily entertained a merry party of friends Wednesday evening at the home of his father, Dr. James Henderson Hatcher, No. 425 West D street, with a delightful little dancing party.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Warmer, who recently returned from an extended eastern trip, entertained a small party of friends, Friday evening at their home, No. 613 East D street. Dr. and Mrs. Warmer's guests were chiefly members of the Ontario Racing Homer Club and an interesting talk by the doctor on his attendance at the recent sessions of the National U. Racing Pigeon Union in Philadelphia was a feature of the evening, toward the close of which a tempting supper was served. The guests numbered Mr. and Mrs. Ray R. Delhauer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Whitson, Mrs. J. Fitzgerald, Loten Arnett, William Bachelor, O. E. Holman and L. R. W. Hawk.

Many messages of congratulation and good wishes are being received at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Otis Goss, No. 945 North Euclid avenue, over the arrival Sunday of a small son. The young man has been named James Robert Bell Goss.

John T. Morris was the guest of honor Sunday when Mrs. Morris entertained with a dinner party at their home, No. 130 West G street, the occasion being the anniversary of Mr. Morris's birth. Covers were marked for eighteen.

Colton.

BY WAY of "housewarming" their new home in Colton the Misses Marjorie and Lucille Alexander, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Alexander, who have moved over from Redlands for the winter, were hostesses on Friday evening to a merry coterie of friends, dancing being the diversion enjoyed. At a late hour a tamale supper was served, places for the feminine guests being marked by Japanese flower pots sporting a plant in bloom and, for the boys by papier mache dogs. Sharing in the fun were the Misses Dorothy Clock, Mildred Wheat, Christine Chesnut, Dan Carpenter, Hari McDonald, Burr McDonald, Leslie and Harold Harris, William Bethell and Milton Brown of Redlands, Miss Helen Phillips of Riverside, Miss Marie Bonnell of Colton and Charles Clapp of San Bernardino.

In celebration of the twenty-first birthday of their eldest son, Chester, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Hartley entertained on Saturday evening with an elaborate stag dinner party, a 30-pound roast pig being the piece de resistance of the six-course feast. A brass basket of pink roses decked the center of the long table arranged in the drawing-room and there was also a birthday cake lighted with twenty-one tiny candles. Rose-ornamented cards bore the names of Van Arsdale Smith, Ben Hurd and Floyd Summers of Colton, Will Harris, Jay Gill, Cam Boswell, Forrest Cogswell, Charles Weber, Will Shay, Cecil Wood, Harold Wood, Paul Hill, Will Esdie, Thayer Cline and Dr. Earl Hancock of San Bernardino, Dr. Ray Swartz of Coachella, Chester Hartley and Mr. Hartley, Sr. In serving Mrs. Hartley was assisted by Mrs. J. R. Boynton and by Ralph Hatchett and Charles Hartley as waiters. Cards furnished pastime for the after-dinner hours.

Very pleasantly commemorated was the birthday anniversary being celebrated on Thursday by Mrs. C. D. Wilson when a group of friends, Mrs. F. H. Pritchard, Mrs. R. L. Riley, Mrs. G. H. Jantzen, Mrs. E. G. Palmer, Mrs. E. F. Van Luven, Miss Bessie Topp and Miss Jennie French, made an unexpected afternoon call, bringing with them gifts of cut flowers and potted plants. After rounds of auction bridge, refreshments, also brought along by the guests, were enjoyed.

Lights shaded in yellow and quantities of English ivy and mistletoe furnished a pretty setting for the little dancing party at which the Misses Lila and Edna Vaughan and Hazel Poole were hostesses on Saturday evening at the W. E. Vaughan home. The yellow note was furthered in the dance programme and the refreshments of ices and cakes served during intermission on the screened-in veranda. Miss Gladys York furnished music for the guests, who numbered the Misses Edna General, Evelyn and Helen Harper and Josephine Scribner, W. H. Smith, Roy Poole and Russell Alverson of San Bernardino, Robert Eddy, W. H. Chase, Owen Garner and Earl Stuchbury.

For the annual Thanksgiving family reunion at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. A. J. LaMotte the guests were Mrs. M. E. Bradley, the Misses Blanche and Frances Bradley and Edward Bradley of San Bernardino. A turkey feast was enjoyed.

At the F. H. Pritchard home covers were marked at a bountifully-burdened Thanksgiving table for Prof. and Mrs. G. H. Jantzen and son Hugh, E. E. Wellemeyer, Miss Jennie French, Douglas French and Dr. and Mrs. Pritchard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Flinn and family entertained as their Thanksgiving dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Murray B. Howard, Mrs. Della Bailey, Mrs. A. D. Bailey and Leon Vaughn of Los Angeles.

Santa Monica.

SOCIETY folks this week are getting ready for the big Christmas tree to be fostered by the Santa Monica Bay Woman's Club. In addition to being an event that is looked forward to by Santa Monicans, the Christmas tree event is the center of interest during the holidays for society people. Mrs. J. G. Urquhart, president of the club, will be assisted in the extensive arrangements for the Christmas event by a large committee of club women.

Mrs. D. G. Stephens, president emeritus of the Santa Monica Bay Woman's Club, was honored at a tea given by a large number of the club members during the week. Tea was served by Mrs. J. N. George, Mrs. George McCambridge, Mrs. Edward C. Jappe, Mrs. Charles Tegner, Misses Dora and Hannah Buckendorf, Miss Elsie Eicher and Mrs. D. V. Swinney. Mrs. John McTear and Mrs. Jessica Clark arranged the floral decorations.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Shutt were the host and hostess Thursday for Judge and Mrs. Fred H. Taft, Miss Charlena Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Harris Taft and Joan and Roderick Taft, Miss Lillian Bennett of Los Angeles, Lieut. Vincent Shutt of Santa Monica, Mrs. Foster and Master Nado Shutt. Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Harris Taft entertained the same people in honor of Mrs. Joe W. Foster of Pomona.

Society folk turned out en masse to a dance given Tuesday night at the Bay Cities Garage. The patronesses for the affair were Mrs. C. H. Tegner, Mrs. D. G. Stephens, Mrs. J. C. Urquhart, Mrs. Jessica Clark, Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. D. J. Evans, Mrs. C. W. Malchow, Mrs. John McTear and Mrs. T. H. Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lotus Loudon of No. 111 Ninth street, Santa Monica, were the host and hostess during the week for Mr. and Mrs. Earl Myer of Whittier, who are newly-weds. Mrs. Myer is a sister of Mrs. Loudon. A delightful dinner was arranged in honor of the bride and groom.

Glendale.

THANKSGIVING week has been full of so many enjoyable affairs that the days have not been long enough or numerous enough to accommodate the throng of merry social affairs with which they have been filled to overflowing. Foremost on the week's social calendar was the reciprocity day given by the music section of the Tuesday Afternoon Club at Masonic Hall, Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. E. W. Kinney, music curator of the club, had charge of the programme, and presented many artists of local and international fame. Miss Constance Balfour of Los Angeles sang several songs, and Julius Kranz played a group of violin solos. J. Carl Breil, the composer of the music for "Intolerance," rendered several of his own compositions. Miss May Orcutt Brooke and Mrs. Mattison B. Jones made splendid accompanists. To say that the programme was delightful expresses in no degree the excellence of the afternoon's entertainment. The artists individually and collectively excelled in their own particular fortes, and members and guests enjoyed the rare treat to the utmost. A social hour occupied the time after the programme, and dainty refreshments were served.

One of the most delightful and unique social events of the season was the Japanese party and shower given this week by Mrs. E. R. Stauffacher and Miss Ethel B. Land at the home of Mrs. Stauffacher at No. 833 Campbell street, Casa Verdugo, in honor of Miss Irene G. Read, who will become the bride of John White Garver, of Torrence, in December. Those who enjoyed the charming affair were Miss Bessie Prevolt, Miss Mattibelle Prevolt, Miss Clara Prevolt, Miss Clara Read, Miss Charlotte Read, Miss Ethel Read, Miss Olga Furt, Miss Lillian Shropshire, Miss Gertrude Champlain, Miss Harriet Nichols, Miss Margaret Nichols, Miss Frances Jackson, Miss Ella Wall, Miss Marguerite Stauffacher, Mrs. Frag Morse, Miss Arline Hallihan, Miss Amy Bowerfind, Mrs. James L. Flint, Mrs. J. Wenger, Mrs. George Bannock, Mrs. Roy Rishforth, Miss Matilda Thompson and Miss Cecelia Wilson of Los Angeles.

Miss Mabeth Pigg, one of the most popular of the younger set, will become a December bride, and has been extensively entertained by her many friends. Saturday afternoon she was the guest of honor at a "Cupid" party given for her by Mrs. R. M. Jackson and Miss Atala Browning at the home of the former at No. 102 South Maryland avenue. Red was the color used throughout the affair. Covers were laid for thirty-six.

A joyous silver anniversary dinner was given Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. James Pettit of South Louise street to a number of their friends. Those present were Mrs. T. F. Title of Great Falls, Mont.; Mr. and Mrs. Delos Jones and daughters, Esther and Gladys; Mr. and Mrs. David Francy, Mr. and Mrs. George Lemon and son, Wilbur; Mr. and Mrs. James Pettit and son, Guy Pettit.

El Segundo.

MISS FLORENCE GILBERT was pleasantly entertained at her home in this city on Saturday evening, with a surprise party in honor of her sixteenth birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and an impromptu musical programme was offered. Miss Gilbert received many beautiful gifts from her friends, among whom were: the Misses Isabel Fitzgerald, Claudine McElwain, Rose Ashire, Evelyn Fitzgerald, Eleanor Griffin, Annie Trenberth, Ruth Paxton, Clara Gilbert and Merieum Gilbert, and Messrs. Arthur Tuck, Thomas Stinnett, Louis Erb, Arthur Koonuse, Vernon Barber, Ray Dingman, Albert Foster, Gail Skinner and Earl Chubb.

The Misses Ruth and Rachel Hanna entertained at their home on Virginia street, the members of the Friday Evening Five Hundred Club on Friday evening, which proved to be one of the most delightful affairs of the season. The guests were ushered into the rooms which were perfume with roses and lilies. Miss Emilie Rueger was winner of the ladies' first prize at cards and Adolph Johnson received the gentlemen's first prize. Others present were Ruth Paxton, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Converse and the Messrs. Francis Smith, Joseph Bensinger, Adolph Johnson, Russell Allen and Walter Peterson.

The R. M. Dingmans and their daughter, Miss Opal, entertained a number of friends on Thursday evening. The event was in honor of Miss Opal's birthday anniversary and was a thoroughly delightful affair. Several novel games were played during the evening, and Mrs. Dingman served delicious refreshments to the following guests: The Misses Violet Hultquist, Edith Paxton, Viola Ward, Florence Hultquist, Mary Manson, Chiquita Kelley, Ethel Griffin and Margaret Manson, and the Messrs. Leonard Vincent, Maurice Kelley, Teddy Powell, James Stewart, Charles Manson, Charles Dunkle, Wilbur Manson and Arthur Dunkle.

Organd.

AMONG the many residents of this vicinity who spent Thanksgiving with relatives elsewhere were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frederick, who were guests of the Charles Borchards in Sana Ana; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Maulhardt and family, who spent he day with the Louis Hartmanns in Ventura; Charles Peverly and family, George Peverly and family, and Joseph Hartup motored to Los Angeles for a family reunion; Mr. and Mrs. Al Hostlet and family were Thanksgiving and week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon in Thermal, motoring over; Miss Zoe Bartruff spent the holiday with her sister in Claremont. Many pleasant family parties gathered in Oxnard as well; Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Witman entertained a dozen members of their family from Southern California points; Mr. and Mrs. Mel Elliott entertained a number of guests, among them being the Orin Patterson family of San Fernando, Mrs. W. L. Montgomery of Kansas, T. B. Tucker and family and Ralph Elliott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolfo Camarillo entertained at dinner at their home in Camarillo Saturday for their daughters, the Misses Ave and Isabelle Camarillo, who left Thursday for a cruise to the Hawaiian Islands. Mrs. L. H. Hope was hostess to a small party of congenial friends on Tuesday evening for dinner and bridge.

Mrs. Kenneth Meserole entertained at cards Monday afternoon, five hundred being the game played. Mrs. R. P. Farrell won first prize for high score, and Mrs. John Eberhard second. A delicious luncheon followed the afternoon's playing.

Miss Anpie Geyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Geyer of Redlands, and Mr. Robert Diedrich, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Diedrich of Oxnard, were married Tuesday morning in the Catholic Church at Redlands. Miss Rose Geyer was bridesmaid and Mr. Moritz Diedrich best man. After a wedding trip to San Diego the young couple will live on the foothills road, this county.

A miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. Vera Fairly Tuesday evening announced to friends of Miss Wallie Billinger her approaching marriage to Mr. Floyd Williams, which occurred in Los Angeles the next day, Wednesday. The evening at Mrs. Fairly's home was spent in cards and music, and a dainty luncheon was served. Twelve young ladies, intimate friends of the guest of honor, were present. Miss Billinger and Mr. Williams went to Los Angeles on Wednesday morning on the Lark. Arriving there, they were met by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, James Potts and Miss May Hennessy, who had made arrangements for the ceremony. After a wedding trip in the south they will make their home in Oxnard.

The thirtieth wedding anniversary of the James Eastwoods, [illegible] View was the occasion of [illegible] ant gathering of friends [illegible] Cards and music occupied [illegible] ning, and a merry feature [illegible] supper was the cutting of a [illegible] ding cake, brought by the [illegible] and which was found to be [illegible] with baby dolls. About thirty [illegible] were present.

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Whittier.

MRS. A. C. JOHNSON [illegible] tained one evening [illegible] complimentary to Miss [illegible] Vail of Pasadena, a former Whittier College student, whose marriage to Edwin Curl will be celebrated [illegible] The guests were friends of the bride-elect, who were intimately associated with her during her residence in Whittier. The affair was also a handkerchief shower for Miss Vail. The guests included the Misses Lillie Vail, Edith [illegible] Jean Arnold, Lottie Sanders, [illegible] McClure, Margaret Hampton, [illegible] Ellis, Inez Cowgill, Gertrude [illegible] Mabel Burdge.

A wedding of a popular [illegible] couple that came as a surprise to their many friends was that of [illegible] Leona Baker of Los Nietos and [illegible] C. Meyers of Whittier Saturday evening. Unannounced the young people repaired to the home of the [illegible] Rev. Henry Edwin McGrew of the Friends Church and in the presence of only a few immediate friends were made husband and wife. Miss Baker is a graduate of the Whittier High School and a vocalist of ability. Mr. Meyers is a rising young business man of Whittier. The newlyweds will be at home at No. [illegible] Hadley street after a trip to [illegible] from a short honeymoon trip to San Diego.

Mrs. Herman L. Perry and Dr. O. E. Green entertained at the home of the former, No. 414 Friends avenue, Monday afternoon complimentary to a number of those who have recently come to Whittier from Spencer, Iowa, the home of Mrs. Perry. The guests were all former Spencer people and the affair was one of delightful informality and old-time reunion. The guests brought their fancy work and later in the afternoon a collation was served. The Spencer colony in Whittier has recently been augmented by the arrival of a number of families. Among the guests were Mrs. Albert Green, Mrs. Emma F. Coffin and daughter, Miss Lela Coffin; Miss Laura [illegible] Mrs. E. A. Buehler, Mrs. Dr. [illegible] Collister, Mrs. Ernest E. Day, Mrs. D. E. Knight and daughter, the Misses Lillian, Frankie and [illegible] Mrs. Charles Kilpatrick and daughter, Miss Ruby; Mrs. Ketchem and daughters, Miss Alice and Miss [illegible] Ketcham; Mrs. B. Rasmussen, Miss Temperance Rasmussen, Mrs. George Gilbert of Linda [illegible]

The R. W. George home in Whittier was the scene of a pleasant afternoon affair recently, Mrs. George's daughter, Miss Mildred England, entertained complimentary to her cousin, Miss [illegible] Hadley, who is from Fresno and has been a house guest in the George home for some days. The affair was passed pleasantly in social converse and in fancy work. Those present included Mesdames M. J. Hadley, Robert Schneller, Peter McLaren, F. Blaich, Louis Wicker, Oval Simon, Merle Allen, Frank Creed, Leslie Stahl, and the Misses [illegible] Maulsby, Elsie Bacon, Ethel [illegible] Laura Sorenson, Grace Griffin, Karma Anderson.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Whittier College are planning a dance for evening for December 5, when Margaret McKee, the well-known Los Angeles whistler, will appear. The college auditorium is to be assisted by the college glee clubs. Stereopticon views of the [illegible] stone will also be shown.

Among those who took advantage of the short holiday season afforded by Thanksgiving and the week after to see the San Diego exposition before it closes were Mrs. H. L. Perry and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Coppock, who formed a motor party; Judge and Mrs. A. B. Cecil P. Foster, Vocal teacher, and Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Beaver in a motor party.

Mr. and Mrs. Oval Redmon and C. W. Redmon formed a motor party to Tulare county this week for a hunting trip, which will extend into next week.

Mrs. M. J. Harris of Oakland is house guest of her daughter, Mrs. B. A. Edgington of North Painter avenue, and will remain here during the winter.

Anaheim.

A DELIGHTFUL family [illegible] taking somewhat the form of a Thanksgiving dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McClellan on South Lemon street last Sunday. After a delightful time in social visit all present did full justice to a splendid chicken dinner with all the usual "fixin's".

Miss Adelaide Trowbridge entertained her piano pupils at her newly-furnished studio on Center street. The usual good programme was given by the members of the class. Miss Trowbridge explained the concerts given in Los Angeles by Ganz and Granger. Miss Stanley played one of the numbers and Miss Trowbridge also played. Ice cream and candy were served to the [illegible] five present.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church was pleasantly entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. [illegible] at her home on East Center street. An interesting meeting was held, the large number of ladies present. A musical programme was rendered. Miss Emily Gilbert, Miss Williams and Earl Gilbert. Miss Gilbert also gave a reading.

Mrs. C. E. Douglas was hostess to the A. O. Circle at her home Friday afternoon. A social time was spent, the afternoon being devoted to fancy work and the discussion of current events. Refreshments were served late in the afternoon. Those present were Mmes. T. C. Pearson, A. C. Pearson, J. O. Bond, Easton, J. Cook, C. W. Reed, F. Chamberlain, J. H. McKee and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Hilton entertained the members of their family at the Hotel Green Thanksgiving Day with a sumptuous turkey dinner. The [illegible]

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SOCIETY.

decorations were in keeping the holiday season. The guests Mrs. Jeanette Johnston, mother the host; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. t. Mr. and Mrs. George M. Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnston, Misses Lillis, Jeanette, Agnes and Jessie Pearson Johns-

travel and civic sections of ell Club held a joint meeting at the home of Mrs. C. B. Mrs. Heald showed some interesting paintings and pic- of Virginia City, Nev. Mrs. and Mrs. Gifford gave inter- papers on the Lincoln high- a Nevada. Mrs. Chambers a fine talk on her experiences in China recently.

The civic decided to take up the mu- government under the lead- of Mrs. Prince. A called ng of the executive board also a donation of $10 for the poor ngium.

r. and Mrs. George A. Water- entertained with a sumptuous dinner at 1 o'clock on nksgiving Day at their beauti- ome on South Los Angeles et. The spacious rooms were rated in the holiday colors, afternoon was spent in conver- and music. The guests were and Mrs. George M. Rose, Mrs. ette Johnston, Rev. Malcolm C. rtin, Mrs. Martin and daughters, Margaret and Elenor.

OVEMBER'S closing days brought gladness to many hearts and marked one of the beautiful Thanksgiving seasons years. Scores of bountiful tables spread at the homes of many residents for the day of giv- hanks, choicest roses, chrysan- ums and holly appropriately ning many dining and living- One of the largest [illegible] was enjoyed at the home of Mr. Mrs. M. J. Coffin on North Sol- avenue, where plates were laid twenty-five, the guests including and Mrs. William Garner and of Los Angeles, Mrs. Olice of Covina, Mrs. Mabel Coffin family of Inglewood, Mr. and Algot Nordstrom and several friends.

South Azusa avenue and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Heth, another most enjoyable was spread for Mr. and Mrs. C. A. and son, and Mrs. Anna Sav- and daughter, Miss Gladys. nty pink roses and chrysan- ums profusely decorated the of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Powell day evening, when they enter- eighteen friends at auction After a very pleasant eve- with cards a dainty collation served to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vining, and Mrs. J. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones, and Mrs. F. Devendorf, Dr. and E. V. Rice, Miss Mina Watson Miss Elisabeth Hoag.

Mrs. George Ellington and Mrs. Martens enjoyed a delightful ch-and at the camp of Mr. and H. Saunders in the San Ga- Canyon. The rugged moun- are most beautiful now in their of gold, browns and reds.

and Mrs. Lee Tucker and sisters, Pauline and Meredith, Olive Cone, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. ker and Miss Bertha Tucker ent a very delightful week- at Long Beach.

O. J. Barner was the gracious at a dainttily-appointed given at her home last afternoon at 1 o'clock. were laid for Mrs. A. Dodd- and daughter, Miss Martha of Beach; Mrs. H. Gallaher of Angeles, Mrs. O. F. Wright and ghter, Miss Maude.

L. Cass entertained with an ate 1 o'clock luncheon last day given for her daughter, Miss the out-of-town guests includ- Mrs. J. Carval, Mrs. M. Booth, C. Venoval, Miss B. Edwards, Maulsby and Charles Following dinner a hike to anyon was the pleasing diver- of the afternoon.

and Mrs. W. J. Evans of East street are spending the week- at Pomona, where they are be- tertained as the guests of Mr. parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.

and Mrs. Reason Wright of Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. W. Wright and daughter, Ruth, were the 1 o'clock din- guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Thursday.

Paula.

DELIGHTFUL affair of recent occurrence was an evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank who were recently married Beach at the home of Mr. Mrs. Cecil P. Foster. Vocal by Mr. and Mrs. Britton and Mr. A. L. Shively and a collation filled a delightful for those present, who were, tion to the host and hostess honorees, Mr. and Mrs. A. Shively, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Odell, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Boer, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Prosser, Mr. B. A. Edgington of North and Mrs. M. G. Demarest and Miss Shively.

reception was given Tuesday by the Masonic Lodge in of their ladies. Among those contributed to a programme of ts were John R. Hawkins, the Ventura county male ts, Mrs. M. N. Shedenhelm, ist; Mrs. Tom Proctor, reader, Howard Williams, basso. In the t-room an elaborate supper rved at small tables invitingly with holly berries and bas- of bright red apples. About 150 enjoyed the delightful occa-

official staff of Mrs. C. I. D.D.P., of the Rebekah Lodge, honored guests at Mrs. Crane's members of the class. Mrs. present were Mr. and Mrs. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. George Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Knick, Steckle, Mmes. E. Kuhlman, Greenough, John Uffen, Dudley, A. Schrimpf, Hurd, Robie, Jenkins, Corintha the hosts.

college women of Ventura met Saturday at Glen Tavern monthly luncheon and busi- meeting. Following the lunch- which twenty-three were Mrs. Wilda Wilson Church gave a charming read- Miss Putman, president of Angeles association, gave a interesting account of a trip to Hawaiian Islands. Recently-elected are Miss Eleanor of Oxnard, ; Mrs. Henry Noel, Ventura, sident; Mrs. Henry Levy, Ox- secretary, and Mrs. J. D. Cul- Santa Paula, treasurer.

ies guests, members of the Club, with their husbands and held their annual club din- the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. ner, which had been transe into one big dining-room for ner. After partaking of an dinner of all the season's ings, music and toasts were of the evening, and a most programme was given, in the following participated:

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Among those who took advan... of the short holiday season affo... by Thanksgiving and the two d... after to see the San Diego Exp... tion before it closes were Mr. a... Mrs. H. L. Perry and Mr. and M... O. S. Coppock, who formed a ... party; Judge and Mrs. A. B. Ta... and Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Bennett, ... in a motor party.

Mr. and Mrs. Oval Redmon ... C. W. Redmon formed a motor p... to Tulare county this week f... hunting trip, which will extend ... into next week.

Mrs. M. Harris of Oakland is ... house guest of her daughter, ... B. A. Edgington of North Fa... avenue, and will remain here ... the winter.

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Anaheim.

A DELIGHTFUL family reu... taking somewhat the nature ... a Thanksgiving dinner, ... held at the home of Mr. and ... W. F. McClellan on South ... street last Sunday. After a delig... ful time in social visit all pr... did full justice to a splendid chic... dinner with all the seasona... "fixin's."

Miss Adelaide Trowbridge re... entertained her piano pupils in ... newly-furnished studio on East C... ter street. The usual good ... gramme was given by differ... members of the class. Miss Tro... bridge explained the concert to ... given in Los Angeles by Pa... Granger. Miss Stanley played ... of the numbers and Miss Tro... bridge also played. Ice cream ... candy were served to the twe... five present.

The Woman's Foreign Missiona... Society of the Methodist Episco... Church was pleasantly entertai... Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Gil... at her home on East Center stre... An interesting meeting was held ... the large number of ladies pres... A musical programme was given ... Miss Emily Gilbert, Miss Ellen ... ams and Earl Gilbert. Miss Gilb... also gave a reading.

Mrs. C. E. Douglas was hostess ... the A. O. Circle at her home T... day afternoon. A social time w... spent, the afternoon being devo... to fancy work and the discussion ... current events. Refreshments w... served late in the afternoon. ... present were Mmes. T. C. Kra... A. C. Pearson, J. O. Reed, L. ... Easton, J. Cook, C. W. Hedges, ... F. Chamberlain, J. B. McKinley a... the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. H. Joh... ton entertained the members ... their family at the Hotel Valen... Thanksgiving Day with a sumpt... ous turkey dinner. The place ca...

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...ocations were in keeping ...e holiday season. The guests ... Jeanette Johnston, moth... the host; Mr. and Mrs. W. M. ... Mr. and Mrs. George M. ... and Mrs. H. A. Johnston, ... Lillis, Jeanette, Agnes ... and Jessie Pearson Johns...

...travel and civic sections of ... Club held a joint meeting ... at the home of Mrs. C. R. ... Mrs. Heald showed some ...eresting paintings and pic... of Virginia City, Nev. Mrs. ... and Mrs. Gifford gave inter... ...pers on the Lincoln high... Nevada. Mrs. Chambers ... a few talk on her experiences ... China recently. The civic ... decided to take up the mu... government under the lead... of Mrs. Prince. A called ... of the executive board also ... donation of $10 for the poor ...

...and Mrs. George A. Water... entertained with a sumptuous ... dinner at 1 o'clock on ...giving Day at their beauti... home on South Los Angeles ... The spacious rooms were ...ated in the holiday colors. ... afternoon was spent in conver... and music. The guests were ... Mrs. George M. Ross, Mrs. ... Johnston, Rev. Malcolm C. ... Mrs. Martin and daughters, ... Margaret and Elenor.

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...EMBER'S closing days ... brought gladness to many ...ilies and marked one of the ...utiful Thanksgiving seasons ... Scores of bountiful tables ... spread at the homes of many ...sidents for the day of giv... choicest roses, chrysan... and holly appropriately ... many dining and living... ...m of the largest gather... enjoyed at the home of Mr. ... J. Coffin on North Sol... where plates were laid ...ve, the guests including ...rs. William Garner and ... Los Angeles, Mrs. Olice ...ovins, Mrs. Mabel Coffin ... of Inglewood, Mr. and ... Nordstrom and several ...ends.

...outh Azusa avenue and ... the home of Mr. and Mrs. ... another most enjoyable ... spread for Mr. and Mrs. ... Both, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. ... son, and Mrs. Anna Sav... daughter, Miss Gladys. ... pink roses and chrysan... profusely decorated the ... Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Powell ... evening, when they enter... eighteen friends at auction ... After a very pleasant eve... with cards a dainty collation ...ved to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. ... Mr. and Mrs. Richard ... Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vining, ... Mrs. J. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. ... Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones, ... Mrs. F. Devendorf, Dr. and ... V. Rice, Miss Mina Watson ... Elisabeth Hoag.

...George Ellington and Mrs. ...Martens enjoyed a delightful ... at the camp of Mr. and ... Saunders in the San Ga... Canyon. The rugged moun... are most beautiful now in their ... of gold, browns and reds.

...and Mrs. Lee Tucker and ... Pauline and Meredith, ...ive Cone, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. ... and Miss Bertha Tucker ...ent a very delightful week-... Long Beach.

...J. Berner was the gracious ... at a daintily-appointed ... given at her home last ... afternoon at 1 o'clock. ...re laid for Mrs. A. Dods... ...d daughter, Miss Martha of ...ach; Mrs. H. Gallaher of ..., Mrs. O. F. Wright and ... Miss Maude.

...s. Case entertained with an ... 1 o'clock luncheon last ...given for her daughter, Miss ... were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas ... Love and daughter, Madeline; Mr. ...and Mrs. C. F. Brown, Mr. E. P. ... Gorrell, Miss Nellie Gorrell, and ...Mrs. Cree of Glendale; Miss Zylpha ...McKain of Hollywood, and Mrs. ...Vaughn of Los Angeles.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Davis, Miss Helen Hudson, and Dudley Davis were an auto party, together with Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Harvey and family, in their machine, who motored to Los Angeles Wednesday afternoon to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. M. A. Garrison.

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Fresno.

ONE of the smartest affairs of the week was the dinner dance given at the Hotel Fresno, Tuesday evening. Patronesses for the affair were Mmes. F. E. Twining, Thomas H. Lynch, George C. Roeding, Charles Griffiths, G. G. Watson, L. A. Nares and B. F. Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Powers entertained Wednesday evening with a dancing party, the affair being featured at the Parlor Lecture Club House.

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Lavallierre, Mrs. Flora Short of San Francisco and Mrs. Franklin Moon of Coronado are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Wingate Lake over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Whitman Cutler of San Francisco are spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Cutler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Pierce. Mrs. Ernest Miller, another daughter, will come up from Visalia to join the family party.

Miss Carrie Bean, who has been a student at Castelleja in Palo Alto is home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Kehrlein entertained at dinner Wednesday night at the Sunnyside Country Club complimenting Miss Louise Glaum, who is their guest here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Towner have as their guests over the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kinsey, Miss Ruth Kinsey, and Amos Clark, all of San Jose.

Miss Edna Swartz and Miss Helen De Toy will enter the College of the Pacific following the holidays.

Miss Edith Harvey is down from Stanford for the holidays and is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Harvey.

Miss Hazel Awalt is the house guest of Miss Leota Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Wishon and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Watson, who is visiting here from her home in Salt Lake, are speeding the holidays in San Francisco.

Miss Marion Mitchell of San Diego is enjoying a short visit with Mrs. Gus Hoover while en route home from San Francisco.

Miss Barbara Cowan, accompanied by Miss Katherine Cook of Berkeley and Miss Lavina Brown of Hollywood are guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Cowan.

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Van Nuys.

MRS. FRED A. KELLOGG, Mrs. O. B. Hubbell and Miss Ella M. Goodhue were guests on Tuesday afternoon at a reciprocity day meeting, held by the Tuesday Afternoon Club of Glendale.

The pupils of the Van Nuys Grammar School gave a very entertaining programme on Friday at the auditorium of the school building. The affair was in the nature of a vaudeville and was given to raise funds for school enterprises.

Mrs. L. C. Kimble entertained a number of the young people at a yama yama party on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Elliot of New York City arrived on Sunday afternoon for an indefinite stay. Mr. Elliott is connected with the California Organ Company.

An outdoor Thanksgiving dinner, held at Sycamore Grove in Los Angeles, was attended by a number of Van Nuys people. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George A. Lemay, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Bevis and children, Margaret and Albert; Mr. and Mrs. George F. Roebuck and Harold Roebuck of Van Nuys, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Love and daughter, Madeline; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brown, Mr. E. P. Gorrell, Miss Nellie Gorrell, and Mrs. Cree of Glendale; Miss Zylpha McKain of Hollywood, and Mrs. Vaughn of Los Angeles.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Bird enjoyed Thanksgiving festivities at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rood of El Monte.

Miss Marguerite Malin celebrated Thanksgiving by going on a delightful picnic with Los Angeles friends.

Mrs. Ella D. Townsend entertained with a Thanksgiving dinner at which covers were laid for Mr. George Maxson of Los Angeles, Mrs. Slabaugh, Miss Margaret Townsend, Miss Alice Maxson of Los Angeles, Mr. Harry Sanderson and Mr. Ben Madrid of San Jacinto.

Mrs. B. L. Stevenson entertained Thanksgiving with a family dinner at which the guests were Mr. William Duncan, Misses Martha and Ruth Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Will Duncan and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fields and children.

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Huntington Beach.

THE first card party of the season, given by the Woman's Club, occurred in the clubhouse on Tenth street, Saturday evening, and was a great success. Progressive five hundred was played at ten tables. Two vocal solos by Miss Lucile Davenport of the grammar school faculty were highly appreciated. Miss Davenport was accompanied by Miss Brogenbrager of Los Angeles. The affair was in charge of Mrs. W. E. Gerhart, Mrs. H. L. Heffner and Mrs. H. V. Anderson. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. M. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Benning, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Obarr, Trustee and Mrs. D. W. Huston, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Graves, Trustee and Mrs. R. H. Chapin, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Griffith, Mrs. and Mrs. W. S. Thomson, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Dunning, Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Shank, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gerhart, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Newland, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Catching, Mr. and Mrs. James J. Conrad, Mrs. C. A. Johnson, Mrs. S. A. Moore, Mrs. Geneva Morehouse, Mrs. Stevens, Miss May Wallace, Miss Lucile Davenport, Miss Ethelyn Young, Miss Elizabeth Bushard and Miss Brogenbrager of Los Angeles.

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club was held last Tuesday afternoon in the clubhouse. The programme for the afternoon was in charge of the Social Committee. The first number was a piano solo by Mrs. Lawrence Worthy. Mrs. G. A. Shank read a comprehensive paper on "Popular Actors." Mrs. C. A. Johnson then gave a report of the Southern District Federation of Woman's Clubs, recently held in Redlands. The closing number was a delightful rendition of Godard's "Second Mazurka," by Miss Gladys Bollon. Tea was served by Mrs. W. E. Gerhart, Mrs. W. T. Newland, Jr., and Mrs. R. E. Graves. On December 30, Miss Annie Hill, assisted by Mrs. Crawford, will give a recital at the Methodist Church, under the auspices of the Woman's Club. This recital will be free to the public.

The Happy Workers of the Presbyterian Church of Westminster met in an all-day session at the home of Rev. W. T. Wardle, Wednesday.

The ladies of the Methodist Missionary Society of Westminster met at the parsonage Thursday. Two comforts were tacked for a missionary box. Committees were appointed for the sale to be held December 15 at the school hall.

The Christmas bazaar, to be given by the ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church will be held in the church parlors and social hall. It will begin at 10 a.m. and will last until late at night. Lunch will be served at noon. Chicken dinner will be served at 5 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Boster entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Frost of Whittier at dinner Sunday.

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Tropico.

MISS THANKSGIVING put on her best bonnet and stepped out quite a bit this week. There were affairs in her honor by many hosts, and she bids fair to be remembered in frolics and festivities for yet another week.

One of the most cheery of the many pre-Thanksgiving affairs was the Veteran's night social, given at the G.A.R. Hall, Tuesday night by the Tropico Sons of Veterans of the N.P.R. Banks Post. Joe Griffin gave Lincoln's Gettysburg address. A bountiful repast was served.

Plans are being perfected by the Thursday Afternoon Club for their annual philanthropic day, to be held next Thursday. Members will bring contributions for Christmas charity work, and the speaker of the day will be Rev. Charles E. Stickles.

Miss Rose Virden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Virden, of No. 235 Mira Loma avenue, entertained for the pharmacy sorority of the University of California at a 5 o'clock four-course tea Sunday evening. The rooms and table were graced with red carnations, and the lights were shaded to give the same beautiful coloring. A musical programme was given, to which Miss Lulu Lanterman contributed several solos, accompanied by her sister, Miss Harriet Lanterman. Tea was served later, and the dainty menu was much enjoyed. Those present were: Mrs. Laird Stabler, Miss Ola Fitch, Miss Velba Agers, Miss Edith McDonough, Miss Vera Brown, Miss Edith Ewing, Miss Emma Therner, Miss Edna Garrick, Miss Harriet Lanterman, Miss Ione Virden, Miss Lulu Lanterman, Miss Emma Ali and Miss Bertha Elchler.

Cupid invaded the City Council Tuesday evening and sentenced Mayor Peters to life imprisonment with Mrs. Viola Daniels as the fair jailer. They celebrated their marriage quietly at the home of Rev. Mr. Rider, pastor of the Tropico Presbyterian Church, after the Council meeting. Mr. and Mrs. R. Richardson were the only witnesses. The couple left for San Diego to spend a short honeymoon there, after which they will be at home to their many friends at No. 491 Moore avenue.

Father's Night of the P.T.A., held Monday evening at the Cerrietos-avenue school, was a thoroughly successful occasion, even though Father was not as well represented as the committee had hoped for. A musical programme was given under the direction of Miss L. Mitchell, and little Miss Lavina Wood scored a hit by dancing the highland fling. Speeches were made by Supt. Keppel, Dr. William C. Mabry and Irving Oliver, president of the school board.

Mrs. Kate Stevenson entertained the ladies of the P.E.O. at a four-course luncheon Friday afternoon, and was assisted by Miss Harriet Meyers, Mrs. J. Herbert Smith and Mrs. Merritt Ludden. A business session followed the luncheon at which Mrs. Charles Barker gave an absorbing review of Olive Shriner's "Woman and Labor."

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Gardena.

DR. G. C. CREELMAN, president of the Agricultural College at Guelph, Ontario, Can., was a guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. William Roberts of Magnolia avenue. The Guelph school owns 100,000 acres of land and has more than sixty instructors. Of the many young men in the institution nearly 600 have joined the ranks of the allies in the European war, and recently Mr. Creelman's eldest son and daughter have gone to the French border. Mr. Creelman is visiting the principal agricultural schools and colleges of the West.

Mrs. M. W. Greer and her daughter, Miss Maud Greer, have gone to Los Angeles to live, to the regret of their many Gardena friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Woodruff gave a delightful dinner on Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. F. M. Griggs of Eugene, Or., who is on his way to Florida, Cuba and New York. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. Angel and Miss G. E. Saltman of Los Angeles, and Miss G. Weitzel of San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Weed were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Armstrong of Santa Monica on Thanksgiving Day.

Mr. Shirley, who has been visiting his old home in the East for several months, has returned to Gardena and will spend the winter with his son, E. C. Shirley and family, on West Central avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Jones had as Thanksgiving Day guests Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Jessen have had as guests from Santa Paula lately Mr. and Mrs. Badger, Mr. Frank Marshall and son Clarence, Miss Lucille Badger and Mr. Elmer Parquett, as well as Mr. and Mrs. O. Olsson of Los Angeles.

Mr. Earle Moore and Mr. Delbert Kirckenschlager of the class of '16 of the Agricultural High School, after spending several months in Montana, have returned to Gardena, and the former recently addressed the Agricultural Club, telling of his experience of several months on a 1680-acre cattle and grain ranch, where he had a chance to put into practical use the agricultural education he had acquired while at the school here.

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Upland.

AT THEIR attractive home in Washington boulevard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce Fuller delightfully entertained a happy group of friends Thursday evening at a bridge supper of charming appointments. Pink Helen Gould roses were effectively combined with plumosus fern in decoration and four tables were arranged for the auction bridge tournament. The prizes were captured by Miss Eva Gerry and James Lynnward Grahame. A tempting supper followed the tournament, covers being arranged for Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Froehde, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bodenhamer, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Henry McQuillen, Mr. and Mrs. James Lynnward Grahame, Mr. and Mrs. Owen E. Atwood, Miss Mildred Ware, Miss Eva Gerry, Harold C. Moore, Everett H. Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce Fuller.

Mrs. Paul Cushing was hostess Friday at a pleasant afternoon affair at her home in West D street. Roses made an effective decoration and the greater part of the afternoon was spent at fancywork and social chat. At it drew to a close a tempting collation was served. Mrs. Cushing's guests included Mrs. George Aaron Brest, Mrs. William L. Brown, Mrs. D. D. Grews, Mrs. William B. Duncan, Mrs. Christopher C. Eymann, Mrs. Chad K. Francisco, Mrs. George Gress, Mrs. Perry O. Long, Mrs. N. G. Pehl, Mrs. William C. Reynolds, and Mrs. Charles M. Sikes.

Miss Pearl Edwards very pleasantly entertained a group of friends Saturday evening with an informal dancing party at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Winters, in East Ninth street. A tempting little supper was served at the close of a happy evening at dancing. Miss Edwards's guests included Miss Thelma Bradley, Miss Lavon Cory, Miss Elizabeth Fiske, Dean Palmer, Ted Phillips, Albert Cocheron, Norban Hargroves, J. Phillips and others.

A party of Upland society folk motored to Bakersfield Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving and the week and with Mr. and Mrs. Garnet E. Adams, who formerly made their home in Upland. A big Thanksgiving dinner was the feature of the event. The party numbered Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Henry McQuillen, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Atwood and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bodenhamer.

The interesting word has been received by the many Upland friends of Miss Edna Durkee, formerly of this city, of her recent marriage to H. L. Hamilton. Mr. Hamilton is a geologist and mining engineer and he and his bride are to make their home for the present in Texas, where he is in charge of a large graphite mine.

E. A. Bowen, William Bowen and Miss Edna Bowen, formerly of Upland, where they have hosts of friends, but now of San Diego, are visiting here for a few days, having motored up from the southern city.

W. H. Williams and W. F. Marshall of Belfast, Ireland, are spending a short time in Upland and are guests of the J. Lynnward Grahames in Euclid avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bendixon arrived in Upland this week expecting to spend the winter here. They are from Springfield, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edward Bender had as their guests over the week end at their home in Euclid avenue Miss Gladys Holmes and Miss Alma Holmes of Los Angeles, who were out to attend the Titus-Bender ball at Hotel Casa Blanca, Ontario, Saturday evening.

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Garden Grove.

MR. AND MRS. MARTIN CHRISTIANSON have returned to this city from a prolonged stay in Ventura, having been in that town for over two months. They have decided to reside permanently in Garden Grove.

One of the most delightful of the week's social events was the affair given by Mrs. C. C. Vogel on Monday evening in honor of her husband's birthday. Light refreshments served in the fashion of a birthday



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Not by low prices alone does Swelldom seek to gain your trade. Only by giving you such satisfactory garments that, having tested and worn them, you conceive a sense of confidence, of trust, of old-friendship toward this conscientious store, do we secure your permanent patronage.

Only by serving sincerely and selling worthy wearables, irrespective of price, has this store's consistent growth during twelve years been possible.

In the light of the high standards of Swelldom this announcement becomes almost amazing. It stands out—apart—above all others. It is authentic advice as to where you should shop FIRST.

Swelldom
535 Broadway

331-335 South Broadway

SEE our windows today---they're filled with just the gifts you want to give!

Jacoby Bros.
THE GIFT SHOP

331-335 South Broadway

WATCH our announcements in the daily newspapers during December

Now after months and months of planning and buying

The great Christmas stocks are ready

From top to bottom this store of yours is chuck a block with wonderful Holiday merchandise—many, many lines that we've never had before—and in spite of conditions you'll find our prices remarkably low! Shop on every floor at Jacoby's Monday!



COATS of velour, plush, broadcloth and novelty weaves are priced $28.50. Many smart models.

More of that 36 in. TAFFETA at $1.10 yard

—If we could pin a sample of it to this advertisement we believe that every woman who would see it would be here when our doors open on Monday morning! It's a splendid heavy quality and it comes in nearly every shade including black!—

New plaid silks $1.35
—36 inches wide.
—Dark grounds with plaids in white and in colors.

Lining satin at $1.35 yd.
—beautifully brocaded.
—Self-color designed linings in all wanted shades.

Crepe de chine at $1.50
—40 inch all silk crepes.
—A complete range of colors including flesh and ivory.

Crepe de chine $1.10 yd.
—White only!
—40 inch silk crepes for blouses and for dainty underthings. 2nd floor, Jacoby's.



50 SMART new suits in all dark shades—each as attractive as the one above—priced $24.75



THERE'S a splendid assortment of coat styles in all wanted fabrics at $24.75. One pictured above.



FOR motor and street wear there are coats of velour, broadcloth and of plaids and mixtures at $18.50.



AT $14.75 are any number of attractive coat styles—belted and flared. Note the one pictured.



BEAUTIFULLY made suits of velour, broadcloth and gabardine in rich, new color tones. One illustrated—$28.50.

From all over the store come Gift Hints

to help you with your Christmas shopping.

—Special stationery, 25c to $2.
—Colgate's toilet waters, 50c to $1.45.
—Fancy sachet bags, 25c.
—Face Powder, 50c to $1.10.
—Fitalls for traveling, 50c to $2.00.
—Novelty Powder Puffs, 10c to $1.00.
—Pearl beads, 35c to $10.
—Solid gold brooches, $1.95 to $3.50.
—Jet Necklaces $2.50 to $5.00.
—Casque Combs, 50c to $4.00.
—Vanity Cases, 50c to $8.
—Sterling Sewing Sets, 75c.
—Thumb Rings, $1.50 to $7.00.
—Earrings, 50c to $3.00.
—La Vallieres, 25c to $6.
—Corin Boxes, 50c to $1.95.
—Ribbon novelties.
—Pin Cushions, 15c to 50c.
—Coat Hangers, 25c to $1.35.
—Dancing Frock Bags of satin and gold lace — $2.25.
—Dresser Sachets, 75c.
—Covered Talcum Cans, 50c.
—Novelty Bags, $1 to $5.

For Men

—Leather belts with sterling front buckles, $1.
—Pipe racks of brass—$1.00, $1.25.
—Cigarette cases—50c to $4.00.
—Silver pencils 50c.
—Bag tags, 50c.
—Waldemars—$1 & $1.50.
—Cuff links—25c to $2.50.
—Stick pins—50c to $2.00.
Main floor—Jacoby's.

For Baby

—Angora sweater sets—sweater, cap, leggins and mittens — cunning as can be—$4.95 and $7.50.
—Bath robes of fine eiderdowns in dainty nursery designs—$1.50.
—Felt shoes — several styles—75c.
—Wool sacques — several pretty styles—$1.00 to $1.75.
—Wool Toques — many weaves and styles—50c to 85c.
—Celluloid sets — pretty pink and blue comb, brush, rattle and powder box—69c.
4th floor—Jacoby's.

For Girls

—Coats in smart, new models range in price from $4.95 to $19.75.
—Wool dresses for school and dress wear—$3.50 to $10.00.
—Bath Robes of flannelette at $1.95 to $2.45.
—Middies of navy blue flannel are priced $2.45 to $5.95.
—White middies in many styles—69c to $1.95.
(4th floor—Jacoby's)

Kerchiefs

For Women

At 25c are pure linens, initialed and hemstitched.
At 65c—a box of 6, are sheer lawns daintily embroidered and hemstitched.
At $1.00—a box of 4—are sheer linens—hemstitched.
At 25c each—are crepes hemstitched and lace edged.
At 35c to $2 are Madeira handkerchiefs in many styles.

For Men!

At 8½c each are extra large white cambric handkerchiefs hemstitched.
At 15c are full size linen handkerchiefs with block initials.
At 25c are men's hemstitched, pure linen handkerchiefs, many initial styles.
At $1.00—are boxes of 4 linen — initialed hemstitched handkerchiefs.

For Children!

At 25c, box of 3 are Kewpie handkies — cute as can be—and linen hemstitched ones with block initials, 3 for 25c.
At 15c box of three are Kleiner Kiddie handkerchiefs.
Main Floor—Jacoby's



FOR a special sale—a number of suits have been reduced for Monday to $14.75. One illustrated.



AT $14.75 are serge dresses in straight effects and silk affairs in many styles. Note the one model illustrated.

A garment event of unusual importance

—Not even the great stocks of holiday merchandise in their clamor for space in this announcement could crowd out such an important event as the garment chief has planned for this first Monday in December!
—Note the two garments pictured above and the ten others down the sides of this page!—They tell a stronger story than could be told with type! The garments will be offered for sale at 9 o'clock Monday morning!
Third floor—Jacoby's.

Neckwear —of Marabou

are scarfs and capes in black, natural and gray — come trimmed with ostrich. They're all lined with satin and are beautifully finished.

$3.50 to $11

—of Broadcloth

Collars in round, square and cape effects finished with picoting, cording, black velvet or Paisley silks — Many smart styles at $1.25 to $3.00.
Main Floor—Jacoby's

—of heavy chiffons— Motor Scarfs $3.00

Splendid great big scarfs of chiffon cloth — satin bordered and hemstitched. All wanted shades—splendid values.
Main Floor—Jacoby's.

Georgettes

AT 98c is a special lot—slightly imperfect.
AT $1.35 are 40-in. crepes in a good color range.
AT $1.95 are lovely box loomed Georgettes!
Main Floor—Jacoby's.

About women's GLOVES!

—We suggest that Christmas gift gloves be chosen early. Future European shipments are uncertain and American manufacturers are finding themselves hard put to it to supply demands—

—Our own stocks are in splendid condition at the present time—but every week sees decided inroads into the better gloves. Monday we feature—

At $2.25—Real kid, full pique sewn gloves in all shades.
—At $2.50 are guaranteed washable Valier, full pique sewn gloves—All sizes in white.
Main floor—Jacoby's

Merchandise Orders

—will solve your gift problems!
—They are purchasable for any amount and they're good in any department at any time!—



TAILORED and fancy suits of velour, serge and broadcloth. Fur and velvet trimmed. One pictured above—$18.50.



FROCKS for street, afternoon and evening wear. Each creation in itself, are priced $28.50.



QUITE the smartest street frocks we've seen are priced but $24.75. Lovely serge and silk weaves.



SILK and serge dresses for business and for afternoon wear are priced $18.50. Many attractive models.

For the finishing of crepe de chine underthings

Laces, unordinary 25c

—Wide bands, edges and points—the kind that are so hard to get for combining with crepe de chine. There are many designs and 25c is an exceptionally low price for them.

12 yds. val. lace 55c

—French and German designed edges and insertions to match—Laces for aprons, caps and all kinds of fancy work. Main Floor—Jacoby's



Novelty Jet Necklaces 69c

—Three-quarter length imitation jet chains—round, oval and square cut beads—Many medallion styles! Special!
Main Floor—Jacoby's.



Tea Wagons

(Sold on Easy Payments)

—A new section of Tea Wagons has been opened on the fourth floor!
—You'll find a great many different styles to choose from, in both oak and mahogany.
—There are some in oak at $8.75 and in mahogany finish at $10.00.
—A "William and Mary" style in oak at $13.95 and in mahogany at $15.00.
—Jacobean Oak like the picture at $15.
—And a great many others, including decorated Chinese Wagons at $29.50.
4th floor—Jacoby's.

54 in. novelty

WOOL VELOURS $2.75

Unusual? Indeed they are! So unusual that few women who want a new coat will fail to be here bright and early Monday.

They are full 54 inches wide and come in four lovely color combinations!

Navy Serges $1.35
40 inches wide—all-wool, in a medium weight.

Ivory Serge $1.65
50-inch fine French serges in the wanted ivory shades.

Second Floor—Jacoby's.

—in Christmas folders

Crepe de chine Camisoles $1.00

—Dainty as can be!—
—There's a beautiful assortment of them in pink and in white. Some finished with deep lace yoke, others with filet edges and bandings or with dainty vals. They're splendid values.
Balcony—Jacoby's.

For tailored wear

Crepe de chine Blouses $3.95

—Not the ordinary kind of $3.95 blouses, by a long way!
—They're of splendid heavy crepe de chine that will wear wonderfully well.
—Tailored models with convertible collars that can be worn high or low. All sizes in maize, flesh and white.
Main floor—Jacoby's.

Floor Lamps!

Yes! and Table Lamps, too — You're going to be wonderfully surprised and pleased at the showing in the Orchestrola Hall, on the 4th floor. Every one has the lamp craze right now and it's no wonder with such bewitching lamps ready.

In our showing are

—Mahogany finished lamps, (standard only) $10.95.
—Genuine Mahogany lamp standards at $16 and $18.
—Special Italian finished standard, $13.95.
—Gold finished standard at $19.50 and $22.50.
—Italian finished (standard only) as pictured $22.50.
—The shade pictured is $13.95.
—Shades at $9.75 to $20, or made to your order.
Sold on Easy Payments.



FUR Trimmings

You'll find our fur stocks splendidly complete in spite of the scarcity of fur trimmings about town.

Coney — Black, brown and white, ½ to 6 in.—25c to $3.00.
Coney—9 in., in black and brown, $4.50 yd.
Chinchilla—3 in., $3.95.
Fitch—1 in. at $4.00.
Kolensky—2 to 4 in., $3.25 to $6.00.
Mouffion—1 to 4 in., $1.50 to $6.50.
Nutria — 1 to 4 inches, $1.50 to $4.75.
Opossum — Natural, 1 to 6 inches, $1.75 to $10.
Opossum—Black skunk, 2 to 4 inches, $3.25 to $10.00.
Raccoon—2 inches, $7 yd.
Near Seal—2 to 4 inches, $2.25 to $4.75.
Imitation Ermine — 1 to 4 inches, 75c to $1.95.
Second Floor—Jacoby's.

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SOCIETY.

feast were given at a late hour in the evening, a huge white birthday cake blazing with pink candles featuring that part of the entertainment. Others present besides the family circle were Mr. and Mrs Hamm, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Will Miller and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Schnitger.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stuck have had as house guests their daughter, Mrs. Will Stuck and her small daughter, the welcome visitors having been in Garden Grove all of the week. Mrs. Stuck was entertained by various Garden Grove friends and on Tuesday was the guest of Mrs. Arthur Schnitger.

A very jolly surprise event was most successfully carried out on Tuesday evening when the members of the Loyal Workers Sunday-school class, of which Prof. Fitz is teacher, invaded the peaceful home of Rev. and Mrs. Reinlus. The young people made the home of Dr. and Mrs. Young the meeting rendezvous, proceeding from there to the home of their victim. When the involuntary host and hostess threw open the doors of their home to the visitors they at once gave the freedom of the house to the company, as there were about eighty people awaiting admittance.

The Tuesday Afternoon Club, which plays so large a part in the social and literary life of Garden Grove, was entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. H. Cloyes. A parliamentary drill conducted with great efficiency by Mrs. W. E. Hennion was given. Mrs. Cloyes served delicate refreshments after the programme and the exchange of felicitations.

Covina.

THE marriage of Miss Eleanora Mitchell, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell of Barkle avenue, to Mr. Burgess Sutton of Azusa occurred at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Catherwood Thursday evening of last week at 8:30 o'clock. The wedding was of a very quiet nature only a few of the most intimate friends of the couple being present. They were attended by Miss Leora Kring and Mr. Dave Miller. After the ceremony the couple left immediately for Monrovia, where they will make their home for a short time, expecting to come to Covina to live.

A party was given Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Merwin, Ethel May, the youngest daughter, being the charming hostess. The affair was in celebration of her fifth birthday. Miss Edna Wagner, kindergarten teacher, was present and assisted Mrs. Merwin in entertaining the little guests with games and stories. Dainty refreshments were served. Among the guests were Dorothy Warner, Marian Maxfield, Marian Lepley, Howard and Zella Gillett, Ruth and Mildred Foreman, Lawrence and Elizabeth Capp, Ada and Francis Fields, Betty Phillips, Delmer Boal, Dorothy Edwards, Annabelle and Leslie Baldridge, Dorothy and Edith Cushman and Edith Merwin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Griswold entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wilcox and family of Long Beach, Mrs. H. Wayo, Misses Adah and Emily Wayo of Los Angeles, Mrs. E. A. Wayo of Gardena and Mrs. M. L. Wilcox and family of San Gabriel at a Thanksgiving dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Brunjes, Mr. and Mrs. William Hookendyk and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hassheider were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Brunjes in Glendora Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Harris and two children were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gooch, in Pomona, Thanksgiving. Mrs. Harris and the children remained over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Maitland of Los Angeles were over-night guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Keefer Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hurst entertained with an elaborate Thanksgiving dinner for the family. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hurst and two children, Mr. A. R. Hurst and Miss Maude Hurst.

Thanksgiving guests at Roselands, the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Griffith, were Mrs. Grace Buckley of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Fisher of Los Angeles and Mr. George Webster, also of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Groom were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Vining at Thanksgiving dinner at the Casa Blanca Hotel, Ontario. They attended the football game between the Citrus Union High School and the Chaffey High School in the afternoon.

Mr. Herbert L. McQuistick, Miss Nora McQuistick and Mr. Edward Alcott of Los Angeles were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Gail at their home on Navilla place.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Gillett, daughter Rella and son Howard and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gillett were in attendance at a family reunion at the home of the father of Mrs. F. G. Gillett, Mr. W. B. Merickel, No. 315 Manhattan place, Los Angeles, Thanksgiving Day.

Duarte.

THE great New England feast day was celebrated in Duarte with many happy gatherings, and the truly thankful spirit was encouraged by the joyful assemblages which congenially gathered about many festive tables. Notable among these companies was the one given by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fowler and the Misses Fowler at their home on Duarte avenue. About their flower-backed table were gathered Mr. and Mrs. Felix Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Fowler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hardiman Fowler and family, Mrs. L. J. Bailey, Miss Daisy Monroe, Miss Elisabeth Fowler and Capt. Hardiman Fowler.

At the J. G. Helsley home, Mr. and Mrs. Helsley had as their Thanksgiving guests Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Partridge, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Powers and family of Long Beach, Miss Geraldine Helsley, Miss Lois Partridge, Miss Ruth Partridge, Miss Mary Partridge and Harry Helsley.

Among the Duarte folk who kept the great New England feast day with their kin were Mrs. John Dunn, Miss Teresa Dunn and John Dunn, who were members of a family dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dunn at their home on East White Oak avenue.

Among other Duarte folk who entertained with Thanksgiving dinner parties were Mr. and Mrs. Parsons, who had a gathering of the members of their family at their ranch home, and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Elliott, who hospitably entertained in honor of Rev. and Mrs. A. Stem. Miss Edna Smith and Messers. Edward Lane, Courtland and Raymond Elliott.

Besides the home gatherings there were a number of picnic companies in the beautiful Fish Canyon, and throughout the day gay laughter and songs were heard issuing from the oak and sycamore groves.

One of the jolliest events of the day was the large children's party given Friday afternoon between the

"Just Humming!" Shouts Old Santa

—"Give Perrin Glove Bonds."—1st floor. **Bullock's Los Angeles** —Visit the Gift Section—2nd floor.

—"I wish I didn't have this Christmas shopping to do—"

—Your wish is granted—

The Bureau of Gift Suggestions at Bullock's

—has been organized and is equipped to relieve you of all your gift worries—

—Just come and talk to those who are in charge and watch your troubles slip away. It is different.

—This Gift Suggestion Bureau at Bullock's is capable and responsible.

—You can leave your lists and your limits with it if you wish and it will do all your gift buying for you—

It is Already Proving a Real Boon to Men

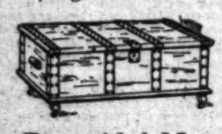
—If you have one problem, or a dozen, or a hundred, troubling you—Don't fret over them—Bring them to the Gift Suggestion Bureau at Bullock's—

—A rare display of splendid gift suggestions for everyone from all over the store—grouped on the Third floor.

—All the resources of this business are at its command and yours— Remember, Bullock's, Third Floor!

A Cedar Chest—A Gift

—for lifetime use and one that may be handed down for generations—



—Bullock's Cedar Chests are made of the best Redwood Cedar and come from 33 to 48 inches long—Some are trimmed in copper—others are plain—all are beautifully polished—Priced from $7.50 to $50.00.—Sixth Floor.

Beautiful New Couch Covers

—There are Persian Couch Covers that are 58 inches wide and 8 feet 3 inches long—large enough for any size couch—These couch covers are copies of old antique and costly Persian rugs and come in the soft oriental colorings—Priced $12.50 and $17.50—Sixth Floor.

Bullock's Luggage Section is Rich in Ideal Gifts for Women and Men

Fitted Bags $17.50
—to $75.00—15, 16 and 17 inch sizes in black leathers.

Men's Fitted Bags $17.50
—to $50.00—made of pigskin, cowhide, walrus and sealskin leathers with black or white fittings—18 and 20 inch size.

Fitted Suit Cases $17.50
—to $75.00—sizes 18, 20, 22 and 24 inch—

Unfitted Bags and Cases
—for men and women—black, brown and russet—size 14 to 22 inches—leather and silk linings—priced $6 to $50.00.
—Fourth Floor.

The Right Draperies

—used in the right way—that is the secret of beautiful hangings—Let Bullock's staff of expert drapery men help you to plan your decorations—this service is complimentary. Sixth Floor.

Christmas!

—Yes, indeed—all through the store, and back again—Listen!

—When you come to Bullock's Monday, visit the 7th floor—See The Christmas Gifts of Furniture—

—On the Sixth—the Loveliest Lamps, in an infinite variety, and Cedar Chests and—but come and see—

—On the Fifth floor—a very "Riot of Christmas"—The Toys! The Fancy China! The Cut Glass! The Baskets! The Bicycles! The Golf and Sporting Supplies! Just Oodles of them—

—And on the Fourth floor—The Boys' and Girls' Store—rich in practical gifts.

—On the Third floor—Lovely Bath and Lounging Robes, Negligees, Waists, Lingerie and other wear of rare charm.

—On the 2nd floor—The Rich Art Section of Novelty Gifts! The Linens! Silks and Woolen Dress Patterns, etc.

—On the First floor—The Jewelry! Silver! Books! Slippers! Ribbons! Leather Goods! Stationery! Neckwear! Gloves! Men's Wear! Auto Robes! Thermos Bottles, Cases! And ever so many other things.

—And the Basement Store overflowing with nearly every section represented at the lower prices.

—Plan to do all your Christmas Gift buying at Bullock's—

—Commence on Monday.



Sofa Pillows

—prove welcome gifts—especially if they are Bullock Pillows—a big variety of round, square, oblong and other shapes, covered in cretonne, tapestry, velour, repp, armure and other fabrics and are priced from $1.50 to $8.50—

—Or Bullock's will make a pillow for you in any color or design you wish.

Table Scarfs
—at Bullock's—tapestry brocade, velour, repp, mouquette, etc., priced from $2 to $10 each. —Sixth Floor.

—"All the wheels wound up 'n running

—"Doll carriages, 'n gocarts, 'n 'spress wagons, 'n coasters—velocipedes—scooters—kiddie kars. My! you should see how they are going—'stho every one of 'em had six, or eight, or 12 cylinder motors 'n a racing driver.

—"I tell you I've never seen such business as I've been doing at Bullock's this year

—"Looks as though those who are not early will be late—and by that, I mean, *too* late.

—"You wouldn't blame me for urging Hurry! Hurry! Hurry! if you knew what I know—even if you only knew how many extra trips I've had to make to Santa Claus Land already—and didn't know anything at all about *how small a reserve I have left up there*—It certainly has swept me off my feet this year—and the rush is just starting—"

—Don't wait—come to Bullock's for your Toys, Monday—

—Particularly Wheel Toys

—of the character and quality worth while—

—Selections made now will be held for Christmas delivery, if desired—

Doll Carriages $5.00
A splendidly constructed carriage, with black enameled steel gear and 24-inch fiber reed body in natural or brown finish—reclining back, 8-inch rubber-tired wheels, handle 25 inches high—$5.

Perambulator $1.75
7½x17 inch black enameled steel body, adjustable leatherette hood, 6-inch double-spoked rubber-tired wheels—$1.75.

Collapsible Go-Cart $1.25
Reclining back, adjustable leatherette hood, rubber-tired wheels—$1.25.

"Bullock's Special" Auto
200 of them came to Bullock's in a very special purchase to sell at $5.75.
—They will surely all be gone before Christmas, judging by the way they have sold the past two weeks.
—36-inch bodies, 12-inch rubber-tired wheels, knuckle joint gear with bumper, inside self-starter; choice of 3 colors; royal blue, red with blue trimming, or green with red trimming—$5.75.

Junior Autos $4.50
A size to fit the little tots of from 2 to 4 years—28-inch body, enameled red with gold striping—knuckle joint gear, self-starter and rubber-tired wheels—$4.50.

Racing Autos $12.95
38 inch body with racing style hood; enameled chrome yellow with red and black trimmings. 2 electric headlights with switch, electric horn. A gift that is sure to please any boy—$12.95.

Electric Auto Outfit
Price $5.00. Consists of 2 nickel-plated lamps, 1 nickel-plated electric horn, switch, push button and necessary wiring—Operates with one or two dry-cell batteries. Batteries, 35c each, extra—Bullock's will attach this outfit to any auto purchased at Bullock's without additional charge for installing.

Kiddie Kars $1.25
Buy these for the children that are too young to ride velocipedes and autos — Natural finish seats and steering gears, solid wood wheels, painted red—Sizes to fit children of from one to four years—$1.25, $1.75, $2.25 and $3, according to size.

All-Metal Scooter $2
Black enameled steel platform and folding handle, four strong steel wheels with extra large ball bearings—$2.

Toy Dump Carts 45c
The little folks enjoy these, bright red sheet steel bodies, hardwood handles, steel wheels—45c.

Velocipedes at $3.50
Rubber tired velocipedes.
—You would scarcely expect so good a velocipede priced so low—black enameled steel frame, adjustable handle bars, adjustable leather saddle—$3.50.

Ball-Bearing Velocipedes $9.00
Reinforced truss frame, adjustable handle bars with leather wound grips, motorbike spring saddle, ball-bearing wheels with ¾-inch rubber tires—$9.

Pioneer Express Wagons
11x24 inch body, strong black enameled steel gear and wheels—$1.50.



The Dolls!

—To see them is to know—and to see them, really, one must come to the Realm of Dolls on Bullock's 5th floor—

—Dolls of all ages—sizes—nationalities—kinds and degrees—A veritable kingdom now—

—They are migrating rapidly into those hiding places from which they are to emerge with joy on Christmas morning—

—Don't delay—

—Enjoy the advantages of early shopping at Bullock's now—

Bullock's Los Angeles

The Books!

—"I never saw such a splendid Book Store for children"—

—This comment is hardly more frequent than the expressed surprise at the completeness and adequacy of this Book Store at Bullock's, as a Real Book Store—

—Not only are Real Books here in profusion, but those who know Books are here to help you with your purchasing—

—An exceptional Christmas Book Store now—

At Bullock's—1st floor.

Bullock Merchandise Bonds
The easiest solution of the gift problem—and in many instances the most satisfactory for the recipient as well as the donor—it gives a person a chance to select exactly what is most needed. Bullock Merchandise Bonds issued in any amount from $1.00 up.

Gift Blouses at $5

—pretty crepe de chine blouses that are worthy Christmas Giving—and which are to be featured at Bullock's—Monday—

—One model of flesh color crepe de chine has pin tucks in front—high neck and long sleeves—$5.00.

—Another model comes in white and pink crepe de chine with embroidered sprays on the front—sailor collar, long sleeves and deep cuffs—very smart—$5.00.

—Heavy weight crepe de chine in white and flesh made into waists with deep collar, long sleeves—cluster of pin tucks in front—collar and front trimmed with double rows of hemstitching—$5.00.

—Georgette blouses in white and flesh—some have convertible collar, daintily hemstitched—fine pin tucks and pretty embroidery — others with round flat collars, long sleeves with and without deep cuffs—Specially priced at $5.00. 3rd floor.

Men's Belts

—and jewelry that perhaps will solve your Gift Problems—in Bullock's Jewelry Section, 1st floor — A veritable mine of Christmas gifts.

Men's Belts, $3 to $6
—belts of high grade leather with sterling silver buckles in hammered, stripe and beautifully engraved designs, priced $3, $3.50, $4, $5 and $6.

Solid Gold Links $3.50
—Many styles, plain and engraved designs — $3.50, $4, $5, $6—
—And links for soft shirts at $3.50, $4, $5 and $6.

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—Of solid gold in a variety of designs—$1.50, $1.75, $2, $2.50 and $3.00.

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SOCIETY.

hours of 3 and 5 by Miss Sally Edwards of Duarte avenue, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Edwards. Mrs. Quibell and Miss Harriet Hutchins chaperoned the company of twenty little girls and assisted in games and lively sports. At 4 o'clock a collation was served by Mrs. Edwards. The list of guests included the Misses Marcia Church, Habel Washburn, Mary McPhie, Dorothy Slosson, Norma Duncan, Frances Wheeler, Viola Vollmer, Margaret Blevens, Marion Swartzhopf, Ruth Talbert, Edith Griegert, Ruth Price, Inez Lehman, Helen Pettenger, Margaret Landis, Roberta Gaylord, Edna Ranton, Lelia Schench and Edith Quibell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Radabaugh were members of a party which heard the Cherniavsky brothers on Tuesday night in Los Angeles.

On Monday evening Miss Ellen Shrode, one of Duarte's accomplished musicians, gave a concert at 1130 West Twenty-seventh street, in Los Angeles. It was a piano recital, and Miss Shrode was assisted by Mrs. Lillian Norman Gally, violinist, and Miss Bess Daniels, accompanist. The programme was a thoroughly enjoyable one, which showed the scope of Miss Shrode's musical ability, and after the concert an informal reception was tendered the artists.

The Duarte Reading Circle, which meets fortnightly, held its last gathering for November at the home of Mrs. William Beardslee on Buena Vista avenue. Mrs. E. A. Moore and Mrs. Eugene D. Northup gave readings and at 4 o'clock tea was served, and the rest of the afternoon was spent in social visiting.

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Sawtelle.

THE executive committee in charge of the coming street celebration gave a ball at the Woman's Club House on Thanksgiving. There was a good attendance, and a neat sum was realized toward defraying the expenses of the barbecue and other special features of the celebration.

Mrs. Lillie Eagler of Pomona visited here last week. Her husband, C. E. Eagler, who has lived here a number of years and conducted the tailor shop on South Fourth street, expects to leave soon for Pomona, where he will reside.

In honor of the birthday anniversary of Rev. E. W. Mecum last Saturday, Mrs. Mecum surprised him with a birthday dinner. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. Eli McClish, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stoner, Mr. and Mrs. C. X. Yeager and the latter's mother, Mrs. Carrie Thorson of Illinois, and Miss Edythe Jones.

Mrs. Susie Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hayes of Newberry Park, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Graham.

The Messengers were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. S. M. Jones last Friday afternoon. About twenty ladies were present. A programme was given and in the contest games Mrs. A. B. Phillips won the prize. A delicious two-course luncheon was served by the hostess.

Mrs. C. S. Martin returned from San Diego, where she was called by the death of her little grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Evans had as dinner guests on Thanksgiving Day Mr. and Mrs. C. E. C. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Evans, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stoner, Mrs. Ada Wyant, Mrs. Howard Reineman and daughter, Dorothy, and Miss Corene Evans.

Thanksgiving Day was the eleventh birthday anniversary of Miss Lyra Mecum. Several little girl friends were entertained at a slumber party in her honor. Those present were Clytie Haskell, Anna Field, Alice Ostermann, Beaulah Henderson, Mary Kanzler and Mildred Mecum.

Miss Clytie Haskell celebrated her eleventh birthday anniversary on Friday, December 1. Her mother planned and carried out a pleasant little surprise party at which a number of children spent a happy afternoon.

About 300 women of Sawtelle accepted the kind invitation of Gen. P. H. Barry and accompanied their husbands to the turkey dinner given at the Home on Thanksgiving Day. This made the day a happy one in a great many of our homes.

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Moneta.

MR. AND MRS. W. G. BITTLESTON went to San Jacinto Hot Springs on Thursday, where they will remain for several days. This was their initial trip in their new car.

The Rebekahs entertained the home lodge of I.O.O.F. in Olson Hall on Monday evening. Cards and dancing were the order of the evening. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCleery and son Lyde and Miss Amanda of Santa Ana and Miss Cora Coghill of Los Angeles were house guests at Fewacres last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Watts of Pennsylvania street, with their little son, have moved to Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Williams and daughter, Miss Dorothy, spent Thanksgiving Day with former neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. C. Aitcheson of Los Angeles.

The change of residence of Rev. and Mrs. Frederick Dwight Seward to Arlington street, Los Angeles, following Mr. Seward's recent resignation of the pastorate of the Moneta Presbyterian Church, gave the ladies of the Missionary Society a long quest to find their president at their last monthly meeting. This position Mrs. Seward has held since Mr. Seward brought her to Moneta six years since, a beautiful white-haired bride. That love and admiration for their former pastor and his wife had not waned was evidenced by the fact that the husbands accompanied their wives and the lady members of the society. At the dinner a couple of pieces of dainty cut glass was presented to the host and hostess as a memento of the occasion. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Linvill, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dunn, Mrs. McDaniels, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Goss, Mr. Macomber and sister, Mrs. M. W. Raibley, Mrs. C. L. McCleery, Mrs. Hayden, Mrs. D. M. Olds, Miss Cattell and several others.

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Burbank.

THANKSGIVING week was one of many delightful affairs and social gatherings. Foremost was the junior class play Friday evening. The High School students demonstrated their ability to stage a comedy and get it over in a manner not often seen. The large and enthusiastic audience which witnessed the presentation of "The Toy Shop" and the curtain raiser, "The Mishaps of Minerva," was fully satisfied with the way in which the various parts were acted by the young Thespians, and discovered that some embryonic stars were among the local talent. Howard Christensen won applause by his clever character acting and Miss Kameyo Saito as the Japanese doll was charming. Miss Irmadean Bowen did some good work as the Scotch doll, and was graceful in her dance of the highland fling. Victor Williams took the part of the ferocious Indian doll, and Eloise Horton as the French doll did some fancy dancing that won the hearts of the audience. Raymond Kirkpatrick as the clown doll proved himself a clever comedian as well as actor, and Mabel Salisbury as the big doll and Alma Knapp as the dollie from Germany scored hits. Jack-in-the-Box brought forth gales of laughter, and Helen Allen as the fairy was graceful and charming. The comedy playlet was also well staged and well rendered. The parts were taken as follows: Minerva, Miss Phoebe Brown; Dr. Brown and Mrs. Jennie Van Dusen Spuyker, Gesford Thompson; Mike Shannon, Jake Scholtes; the "reporter woman," Ida Pettit; Minerva's daughter, Marjorie Chapman; Mrs. Wright, Myrtle Magness; Mr. Stirling, William Lawrence; maid, Jennie McLaughlin; the cub reporter, Lee Shelton; the butler, Rupert Malone; the philanthropic worker, Dorothy Davenport. Much credit for the success of the entertainment is due to Miss C. Eby, who coached the students for the plays.

The Yeomen Lodge had a jolly time at on oyster supper given at Horne Hall Monday evening. About thirty members were present to do justice to the delicious spread, and an informal programme helped make the evening even more enjoyable. After supper the masculine contingent adjourned to the kitchen, where a dish-washing convention was held. The unaccustomed labor did not seem to be a tiresome task, for it was voted the crowning event of the evening.

Rev. H. A. Rudin's class of boys was recently host to Miss Louise Lawrence's class of girls of the Burbank Presbyterian Church. The party was held in the basement of the church, which was attractively decorated by the boys. The pillars were wound with ivy and chrysanthemums and the tables were made beautiful with the same flowers. Games and contests made the evening pass all too rapidly and the bountiful feast later on was a fitting climax to the evening's merriment. The girls left with firm determination to return the compliment very soon.

A party of Burbank residents comprising Mr. and Mrs. J. Hornby, Miss Eleanor Hornby and Mrs. Catherine McLaughlin were recently entertained by Capt. Lawrence Powell and wife in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Taylor had as Thanksgiving guests Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Melrose of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lawrence, Laura Mae Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Kendall.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Nickerson and daughter Lucille attended a birthday dinner in Lankershim at the home of their son in that city Monday evening.

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Alhambra.

A GROUP of musical students were the guests of their instructor, Miss Ollie Blackburn, on Saturday at her home, No. 218 North Monterey. The affair was a combination of Thanksgiving and classday party, and Mrs. Elizabeth McCall won the class pin for the ablest performance at the piano. Miss Virginia Watson was awarded the statue of having improved the fastest of anyone in the class with her studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Riseley Saturday evening entertained the Marguerita Card Club. Pepperboughs—California's wondrous leaf tree — furnished the decorations. The bright berries looked their best against the green foliage. The awards for five hundred were won by Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gifford.

An auction bridge luncheon was thoroughly enjoyed Thursday by a party of friends of Mrs. H. J. Hanecome at her home, No. 221 South Garfield avenue. Following the game was served a very delectable repast. The guests were Mrs. H. M. Black, Mrs. R. G. Skillen, Mrs. W. C. Austin, Mrs. A. H. Palmer, Mrs. E. J. Stafford and Mrs. E. R. Braley.

Mrs. Frank Naub of North Monterey returned on Tuesday from San Francisco, where she had been on an extended visit of three months with friends.

Harley H. Dagley, first lieutenant in the Philippine service, is the guest of his brother, O. E. Dagley of this place. He is on his way to Washington. He has been transferred to the cavalry service since leaving Alhambra.

The newly-organized dancing club gave one of its delightful affairs Saturday evening at the Woman's Club House.

Last week Friday Mr. and Mrs. Ralph B. Clapp of Hampton court gave a dinner, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Shivers and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith.

Mrs. J. A. Jones entertained a party of friends at her home, No. 418 North Garfield, last week. Present were Mmes. Hogart Thatcher, Theodore Merchant, Ralph Hornby and Fred Dickey.

Mrs. Fred Jones has returned from the north after an absence of five weeks as the guest of her son Phillip at Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Foster, recent arrivals from the East, have decided to make Alhambra their home, and will occupy the Haub property at No. 811 North Monterey.

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Sierra Madre.

ONE of the principal social features this week was a lecture on art by Mrs. L. N. Legendre, a local artist, which was given under the auspices of the Women's Club. Mrs. Legendre dwelt on art in the past and present, giving a general review of the subject. Mrs. Legendre was assisted by Miss Mabel Lewis Case of Los Angeles, a pianist, who rendered several numbers of her own composition, and by Miss Ethel Brocklinger, a pupil of Miss Case, who is studying for concert work. Many of the music lovers present highly commended Miss Case's renditions for her technique and touch. The programme met with hearty approval by all present.

A very enjoyable affair during the week was the card party given by Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Jr. Invitation were issued to about forty. Mrs. Louis Dietz carried off the honors by winning first prize in five hundred and Miss Hazel Woodward in bridge, which prizes consisted of crocheted baskets filled with Cecil Brunner roses. Second prizes were won by Mrs. C. C. Nourse in five hundred and Mrs. Ernest Yerxa in bridge, which prizes were linen. Dainty refreshments were served and the color scheme carried out in purple and yellow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Farman and family and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Welsher spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Mary D. Case and daughter of North Bonnie Brea street, Los Angeles.

The dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. D Welsher on Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. James W. Reyn of Pasadena.

On Tuesday Mrs. T. E. Yerxa left for Minneapolis, Minn., to spend the holidays with relatives.

After an absence of several months with relatives in Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. Julia Shannon has again taken up her residence with her sister on East Central avenue.

The guests of Miss Mary Fay last week were Mrs. S. Ferguson, Mrs. R. E. Chafer and Mrs. G. E. Wiesenberg, all of Los Angeles.

Mrs. Cary Fagge and daughters Lalla, entertained on Saturday with an afternoon tea and musicale, assisted by Miss Janet Crowhurst, L.R.A.M., of London, Eng. Among those present were Mmes. W. J. Saunders, Thomas H. Flather, Belden F. Culver, Gertrude Maughlin, F. P. Conard, and the Misses Agnes Culver, Marjorie Maughlin, Edith Blumer, Daisy Hawks and Florence Vannier. The decorations for the occasion were choice chrysanthemums.

Mrs. T. M. Meek and children and Mr. and Mrs. F. I. McIntyre of McAllister, Ariz., were the dinner guests of Mrs. S. C. Collins last week at the Sierra Madre Inn.

Mrs. W. H. Ingraham had as her guest during the week her sister, Mrs. G. Hallet Johnson, former well-known resident here.

Mrs. Jennie Madden, who formerly resided here for several years, visited her friends here last Thursday.

Mrs. G. S. Austin of New York is spending the winter in Sierra Madre.

Under the capable management of Mrs. Thomas H. Flather, rehearsals are being held for a vaudeville entertainment and cabaret dinner at the Women's Club House on December 15. Among the many numbers being arranged for will be exhibition dancing by prominent couples, solos, duets and other entertaining surprises, which the manageress has booked. Music for the occasion will be direct from New York City, while much of the talent will be by local amateur celebrities.

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Huntington Park.

THANKSGIVING as an act of service and a day of festivities was joyfully carried out in this city Thursday where hospitality reigned supreme. Among the many families entertaining were: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Van Loon at the parental home, with an annual Thanksgiving dinner, at No. 301 South Pacific boulevard. After the bountiful repast an impromptu musical programme was enjoyed, and later the party motored to various points of interest in this vicinity. The guests were: Mr. A. W. Van Loon and sons Howard and Dana, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Leonard and daughters Marjorie, Marie and Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Ehlers, Miss Ehlers, and Miss Lillian Lowry of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Schertzinger entertained at their home on West Randolph street Thursday a number of relatives, who were: Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stewart and daughter, Victoria, of Hollywood, Miss Hazel Schertzinger, Miss Amie Schertzinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Schertzinger.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Reece were host and hostess at a Thanksgiving dinner Thursday evening, at their home on South Middleton street. Guests were: Miss Alta Nogle of Los Angeles, Miss Alta Hurlburt, and Mr. and Mrs. James of Florencita Park.

Mrs. J. W. Hoffman was hostess at a delightful old fashioned Thanksgiving dinner at her home in Florentine Square, Thursday. Guests were: Mr. Castilla and Mrs. J. Candle of Los Angeles.

Mrs. John E. Neinhardt and Mrs. D. N. McCord entertained delightfully at a Thanksgiving dinner at the home of Mrs. Neidhardt, No. 317 South Malabar street. Those present were: Mrs. Nell McCord and daughters Madge and Kathryn, of Buyae, Can., Mr. and Mrs. McCord, Mr. and Mrs. Neidhardt, and Mr. David and Edward Neidhardt.

A birthday dinner party in honor of Mr. Charles W. Barrett, on his twenty-first birthday, was given Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Barrett on North Rugby street. A very delightful time was enjoyed by the guests, who were Dr. and Mrs. Stevens, Miss Winifred Barrett, Miss Maude Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. William Tibbet.

Mr. and Mrs. Lisle R. Morehouse spent the week-end in San Diego as guests at the golden anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunlevy, aunt and uncle of Mrs. Morehouse.

Mrs. Emma Moulton of South Rugby street went to San Francisco Tuesday for an extended visit with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dresman and child have returned from a weeks visit at the Merrill Miller Ranch in Imperial Valley. They motored down and back, camping by the wayside.

Mrs. George C. Stevenson and daughter Eloise were the guests of friends in San Bernardino over Thanksgiving.

Tuesday evening at the Woman's Club House the musical event of the season, in which Mme. Emile Cox Ulrich, formerly of the Savage Opera Company, and Mr. Gustav Ulrich, formerly with the Theodore Thomas Orchestra, together with Mr. Victor Schertzinger, the noted musician and violinist, and his sister the charming Miss Hazel Schertzinger, harpist, with other celebrated artists, will appear in concert for the benefit of St. Clements Episcopal Church. Talent for this occasion has been donated, and all music lovers in Huntington Park and vicinity are promised a rare treat.

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Escondido.

THE social event of the week in Escondido, enjoyed by the women identified with women's clubs, was the gathering in Odd Fellow's Hall Monday afternoon when the Escondido Woman's Club was host to the president and chairmen of departments in the county federation of clubs and members of various clubs in Escondido and surrounding communities.

The object of the meeting was to interest other clubs in the work of the county federation to the extent of affiliation. Mrs. A. L. Simpson of San Diego, county president, was accompanied by the following: Mrs. T. W. Foote, chairman of literature and former president of the San Diego Wednesday Club; Mrs. Nat McDowell, chairman of press, publicity and club extension; Mrs. F. Mann of the College Woman's Club, who represented Mrs. Shreve, corresponding secretary; Mrs. A. W. Wohlford, county auditor. Mrs. N. Matson, president of the Escondido Woman's Club, presided, and during the afternoon short talks on clubwork were made the county federation officials and the guests. A fine programme was rendered and before disbanding tea and sandwiches were served. Among others, representatives were present from the women's clubs of Fallbrook, Ramona, Vista, San Pasqual and La Jolla. Mrs. H. F. Bloom of Escondido was appointed chairman of the department of birds and wild life. The necessity of taking an interest in civics was emphasized and club women were urged to concentrate on three bills in the next Legislature: community property, jury duty and care of defective children.

Among the recent gatherings in honor of Mrs. W. E. Alexander was a four-course luncheon given by Mrs. J. C. Casson, with the following guests: Mmes. Robert B. Alexander, H. F. Bloom, H. J. Schrupp, E. A. Puster and Miss Charlotte Schrupp.

Mrs. Edison Collom, who is about to remove to San Diego, was given a pleasant surprise recently when the members of the local Pythian Sisterhood spent the afternoon with her.

Mrs. Ernest N. White of Madera, formerly of Escondido, where she was prominent in social circles, is recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Willard of Calexico are passing a few days in Escondido, where they resided for many years.

Mrs. C. E. Polhemus and Miss Nellie Stiles of Los Angeles have been guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stiles.

Mrs. Mabel Secrest of Juneau, Alaska, is the guest of friends in Escondido.

Claremont.

THURSDAY was a day of celebration for the Claremont Golf Club and the perfect weather lent itself to the occasion most happily. At noon several of the members gathered at the links for a picnic luncheon and afterward the players and onlookers, numbering about forty in all, spent the afternoon with cross-country play and various contests for which equipment trophies were awarded. The special guests of the occasion were Rev. and Mrs. William Horace Day and Mr. Dana Teare of Los Angeles and the son of A. C. Hickcox, who is a member of the San Gabriel Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sloane of San Diego were guests in Claremont last week for a few days. They attended Prof. Walter Hartley's recital Monday evening. Both are prominent Pomona College alumni. Mrs. Sloane, formerly Miss Elizabeth Allen, was popular as a musician of skill, while Mr. Sloane captained a varsity track team.

An elaborate Thanksgiving dinner was served by Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Goff to about twenty guests at the Claremont Inn.

The families of H. A. B. Day and Albert J. Brown united for a Thanksgiving celebration with a picnic in the foothills.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Valle and Miss La Salle Maynard, Miss Mary Maynard, La Salle Maynard and David Maynard went to Riverside Thursday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Valle, Mrs. Maynard's daughter.

Mrs. Lee R. DeCamp returned Saturday from a fortnight's visit with friends in Ontario.

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Tustin.

P. ADAMS of Tustin, one of the old settlers of Orange county, having come here in 1870 and since that time taking a prominent part in the affairs of the county, was the honoree on a picnic Sunday at an elaborate celebration of his eighty-second birthday anniversary. It was a family gathering at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Adams of Anaheim, and relatives to the number of twenty-five were the guests hailing from Tustin, Santa Ana and Los Angeles. He is a veteran of the Civil War, winning a captain's commission in that memorable conflict.

The Cincinnati Club, comprising a membership from various towns in Southern California, was entertained on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peipper, assisting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckman. The guests arrived early in the morning, coming in automobiles from points in and around Los Angeles. Those present were formerly from Cincinnati. The guests were Mrs. E. J. Keiffer and Mrs. M. E. Dieball and

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A birthday dinner party in honor of Mr. Charles W. Barrett, on his twenty-first birthday, was given Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Barrett on North Rugby street. A very delightful time was enjoyed by the guests, who were Dr. and Mrs. Stevens, Miss Winifred Barrett, Mrs. Maude Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. William Tibbet.

Mr. and Mrs. Lisle R. Morehouse spent the week-end in San Diego, guests at the golden anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dunlevy, aunt and uncle of Mrs. Morehouse.

Mrs. Emma Moulton of South Rita street went to San Francisco Tuesday for an extended visit with relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dresman and child have returned from a weeks' visit at the Merrill Miller Ranch in Imperial Valley. They motored down and back, camping by the wayside.

Mrs. George C. Stevenson and daughter Eloise were the guests of friends in San Bernardino over Thanksgiving.

Tuesday evening at the Woman's Club House the musical event of the season, in which Mme. Emile Cole Ulrich, formerly of the Savage Opera Company, and Mr. Gustav Ulrich, formerly with the Theodore Thomas Orchestra, together with Mr. Victor Schertzinger, the noted musician and violinist, and his sister the charming Miss Hazel Schertzinger, harpist, with other celebrated artists, will appear in concert for the benefit of St. Clements Episcopal Church. Talent for this occasion has been donated, and all music lovers in Huntington Park and vicinity are promised a rare treat.

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Escondido.

THE social event of the week in Escondido, enjoyed by 124 women identified with women's clubs, was the gathering in Odd Fellow's Hall Monday afternoon when the Escondido Woman's Club was host to the president and chairmen of departments in the county federation of clubs and members of various clubs in Escondido and surrounding communities.

The object of the meeting was to interest other clubs in the work of the county federation to the extent of affiliation. Mrs. A. L. Simpson of San Diego, county president, was accompanied by the following: Mrs. H. W. Foote, chairman of literature and former president of the San Diego Wednesday Club; Mrs. Nat McDowell, chairman of press, publicity and club extension; Mrs. E. Martin of the College Woman's Club, who represented Mrs. Shreve, corresponding secretary; Mrs. A. W. Wohlford, county auditor. Mrs. N. Matzer, president of the Escondido Woman's Club, presided, and during the afternoon short talks on clubwork were made the county federation officials and the guests. A fine programme was rendered and before disbanding tea and sandwiches were served. Among others, representatives were present from the women's clubs at Fallbrook, Ramona, Vista, San Pasqual and La Jolla. Mrs. H. F. Bloom of Escondido was appointed chairman of the department of birds and wild life. The necessity of taking an interest in civics was emphasized and club women were urged to concentrate on three bills in the next Legislature: community property, jury duty and care of defective children.

Among the recent gatherings in honor of Mrs. W. E. Alexander was a four-course luncheon given by Mrs. J. C. Casson, with the following guests: Mmes. Robert B. Alexander, H. F. Bloom, H. J. Schrupp, E. A. Puster and Miss Charlotte Schrupp.

Mrs. Edison Collom, who is about to remove to San Diego, was given a pleasant surprise recently when the members of the local Pythian Sisterhood spent the afternoon with her.

Mrs. Ernest N. White of Madera, formerly of Escondido, where she was prominent in social circles, is recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Willard of Calexico are passing a few days in Escondido, where they resided for many years.

Mrs. C. E. Polhemus and Miss Nellie Stiles of Los Angeles have been guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stiles.

Mrs. Mabel Secrest of Juneau, Alaska, is the guest of friends in Escondido.

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Claremont.

THURSDAY was a day of celebration for the Claremont Golf Club and the perfect weather lent itself to the occasion most happily. At noon several of the members gathered at the links for a picnic luncheon and afterward the players are and onlookers, numbering about forty in all, spent the afternoon with cross-country play and various contests for which equipment trophies were awarded. The special guests of the occasion were Rev. and Mrs. William Horace Day and Mr. Daniel Teare of Los Angeles and the son of A. C. Hickcox, who is a member of the San Gabriel Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sloane of San Diego were guests in Claremont last week for a few days. They attended Prof. Walter Hartley's recital Monday evening. Both are prominent Pomona College alumni. Mrs. Sloane, formerly Miss Elizabeth Allen, was popular as a musician of skill, while Mr. Sloane captained a varsity track team.

An elaborate Thanksgiving dinner was served by Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Goff to about twenty guests at the Claremont Inn.

The families of H. A. B. Day and Albert J. Brown united for a Thanksgiving celebration with a picnic in the foothills.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Vaile and Mrs. La Salle Maynard, Miss Mary Maynard, La Salle Maynard and David Maynard went to Riverside Thursday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Vaile, Mrs. Maynard's daughter.

Mrs. Lee R. DeCamp returned Saturday from a fortnight's visit with friends in Ontario.

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Tustin.

P. ADAMS of Tustin, one of the old settlers of Orange county, having come here in 1876 and since that time taking a prominent part in the affairs of the county, was the honoree on a recent Sunday at an elaborate celebration of his eighty-second birthday anniversary. It was a family gathering at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Adams of Anaheim, and relatives to the number of twenty-four were the guests hailing from Tustin, Santa Ana and Los Angeles. He is a veteran of the Civil War, winning a captain's commission in that memorable conflict.

The Cincinnati Club, comprising a membership from various towns in Southern California, was entertained on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peipper, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckman. The guests arrived early in the morning, coming in automobiles from points in and around Los Angeles. All present were formerly from Cincinnati. The guests were Mrs. E. J. Keiffer and Mrs. M. E. Diebold and

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daughter June, of Los Angeles; Mrs. K. Schroeder of Alhambra, Miss Kate Schenkle of Pasadena, Mrs. H. Romer, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckman and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pelpper and little daughter.

The women of the Tustin Ebell literature section were entertained on a recent Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. D. O. McCharles, who substituted for Mrs. Judge Stutsman, who was unexpectedly called away from her home.

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Orange.

THE most brilliant wedding ever held in this community was that of Miss Emilie Lauchau of Olive to Oliver Burdg of Yorba Linda, the affair taking place in Olive late Wednesday afternoon. The 4 o'clock ceremony, in the German Evangelical Lutheran Church, was witnessed by 300 guests. The wedding march, played by Mr. Schmied, accompanied the march of the bridal party. The bride was gowned in white satin, and was attended by her four sisters, the Misses Hattie, Louise, Emma and Alvina Lauchau, who were all attired in gowns of a delicate maize tint. Merle Lauchau, a niece of the bride, was the winsome flower girl, and the ringbearer was Raymond Meierhoff, a cousin of the bride. The bride's brothers, Henry and Albert Lauchau, were ushers. The celebration following in the evening combined the joyous spirit and gracious hospitality of the old-fashioned German wedding and the more modern ceremonies. Rev. W. A. Theiss read the impressive marriage service.

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VOTES FOR JEANNETTE RANKIN

BY GENEVIEVE PARKE.

IT WAS a large vote at the primaries that put Jeannette Rankin on the Republican ticket for Congress. The headquarters for her campaign were in Helena, Mont., in the law offices of the brother of the first Congresswoman. It was Wellington Rankin who managed her campaign, and Belle Fligelman assisted him daily by sending press matter throughout Montana.

I started to work for Jeannette Rankin two weeks before election. The first place I went was into one of the largest counties, and one whose sentiment was considered doubtful. When I arrived at the main town of the county, I learned that out in the country the vote for Jeanette Rankin was safe; work was needed in town. My first day at electioneering I felt I did not gain much, for I spent it in calling upon a dozen women prominent for their work in public matters. They were interested in, and favored my object, but their great absorption was to drown the efforts of the "wets" by flooding the county with dry literature.

Therefore, the second morning I ignored the prosperous part of the town and went over toward the railroad tracks where the houses were small and many of them unpainted. The men, of course, were away at work, and the women were busy in the kitchen. Often I had to attack both doors to reach the woman within. Generally my knock at the front would be unheard; I was glad for this for I had my excuse then for going around to the intimacy of a kitchen door.

"I've come to ask if anyone in this house intends to vote on November 7?" was my inquiry when a door opened to me. Sometimes the woman had not registered. Oftimes she was so sorry she had not. "I meant to," she would confess, "but I'm kept so busy with the children here at home that I just didn't get around to register." On the other hand, the reply would be: "Well, I certainly intend to vote!" Of course, she had heard of Jeannette Rankin? Perhaps she had been to hear her speak? If there was no spontaneous reply of "You can count on this house voting for her," I would fling forth what I had to say. I well knew the majority of those to whom I talked Jeannet Rankin were Democrats, so I said to them: "I am not here to inquire your party. Scarcely anyone these days votes a straight ticket; nearly everyone splits his ticket as he sees fit. I am here talking to you, because I hope you want to send a woman to Congress to represent the millions of us women who are not represented in the government of our country." There was no stopping me until I got through what I had to tell them. The women had the civility to listen. None of the hundreds of women with whom I talked shut the door in my face. Many asked me in; said they hadn't yet thought much who they would vote for. And in their kitchens, over their soap suds and crying babies I told them: "The reason you can vote this year for President is because Jeannette Rankin went all over Montana working to give us women the vote. You know your friends back in the East can't have their say about who is to be President, or who will go to Congress. But you can. And do you realize that if Montana puts Jeannette Rankin in Congress, that Montana is sending the first woman to Congress in the history of the United States! The way I feel about it, Montana has put her up and I'd hate to see the State start something it couldn't finish. For you know as well as I do, that there are going to be women in Congress, and why shouldn't we put in the first?" Then without catching my breath, for I soon learned that at the end of my next sentence I would have time to, I announced, "and many of us feel that a woman has a mind as well as a man—"

"I should say so!" the woman never failed to exclaim. "And do you know, I think she has more mind than a man. Why, my husband—"

At this point I would swing back to the object of my visit. Telling the woman I was glad to find that was the way she looked at the matter, I would turn to go, with a hope that she would talk it over with her husband to see if he would not be willing to do his part to give a woman a chance.

Now and then on my route of canvassing I would halt a man delivering groceries or a milk man. Sometimes in a back yard doing odd jobs I would find a husband. In approaching a man I inverted my method. I wanted him to ask me questions. Of course in every instance came the query whether Jeannette Rankin could "fill the job?" My suggestion then was that if people had thought so highly of her as to put her on the ticket, she ought to be a woman of enough efficiency to carry out her duties in Congress. I would conclude with the exclamation: "Give her a chance to show what a woman can do—why, in two years if you don't want her to remain in Congress, you can take her out!" Then the man would say, "Yes, that's true." And repeating the words of my wish would promise to "think it over."

A novice at canvassing I found the experience of interest, yet grinding; a work which needed fire in the soul to keep the weary body in motion. In the morning I would canvass up until the noon dinner hour. I stopped only when I felt at the next house I would surely be stirred in with the frying potatoes, or dished out with the stew. In the afternoon I would begin so early that the women were washing those noon dinner dishes. I talked with women who, inside a half closed door, listened to my message with the rigidity of a broom stick. Among the women with whom I talked were Democrats, Republicans, Socialists. To those who said that in the coming election they were interested in but one issue—prohibition—I got them to listen to me by telling them that Jeannette Rankin stood for that prohibition which they so much desired. I talked with the woman who embodied the primitive argument against women in public life; the woman who did not wish to be bothered with "such things"—who did not want to think about what was happening beyond the frosted glass of her front door. Around the noon hour more than once my knocking woke a woman up. The door would be opened a slit. In night gown and bare feet, and a tale of whisky in her breath, wonderingly the woman would look at me. The fresh cold air that sucked in past her would wake her up enough to grasp what I told her. And I talked to these women who had registered and said they intended to vote.

The amiable attitude of the majority of women at whose doors I knocked, was a happy surprise; for in my house to house canvass I found I had been preceded by a woman who had been sent out to canvass for the "wets." At many homes I was told about it. "She put a lot of literature on the table before she left. But I didn't read it!" these women exclaimed. "I just took her anti stuff and threw it in the fire!" After my several days of canvassing in that town, there were three things which to me appeared inevitable—Wilson re-elected, Montana dry, and Jeannette Rankin in Congress.

For throughout Montana, election bettors could find almost no one who would bet against Jeannette Rankin being elected. Notwithstanding her popularity, she did not carry the State like wild fire; when it came to the counting of her votes one realized there had been a subtle opposition. There were those who did not wish to see a woman in so high an office; moreover she was on the Republican ticket in a State strongly Democratic. Yet her election was made possible by the Republicans who stood by her, by sympathttic Socialists, and by "Jeannette Rankin Democrats." Her election was made possible by the scores of women who worked voluntarily in her behalf, all over the State. Postals with printed data about Jeannette Rankin were sent out from headquarters in Helena to these interested women. In the blank space left on the postals, the women wrote to people throughout their counties little notes of personal appeal. In one town I called upon a woman who was doing all in her power for the election of Jeannette Rankin. What she accomplished she considered amounted to little, but in reality it amounted to much. So crippled with rheumatism she could only creep around her room; one hand so full of pain that it was useless; yet with her other she wrote hundreds of postals and letters to her wide range of acquaintance throughout Montana. "You know," she told me, "we must keep favorable thoughts for Miss Rankin, circulating."

They say it was a woman's election. So it was—proportionately! Men voters are dqubie and more the number of women voters in Montana. And many men of the State exhibited the same fairness that they showed in the granting of equal suffrage, by their help to put a woman in Congress. Montana has accomplished that which she undertook. Woman's viewpoint is needed in Congress—and to the House of Representatives Montana is sending the first Congresswoman.

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GIFTED CHILD TO PLAY.

Members of Badger State Society to Hear Seven-Year-Old Violinist. Attractive Programme is Arranged for Tomorrow Evening.

Meeting of the Wisconsin State Society tomorrow night in The Times Assembly Rooms will be made notable by an exceedingly attractive programme. Musical numbers, dances, the timely playlet "War or Peace" and an address by Harry E. Andrews, managing editor of The Times, will provide an unusually enjoyable evening.

The gifted children, Bernice E. Graves, 7 years of age, and Virginia Lee Glockner, 10 years old, her accompanist, will present a unique musical sensitiveness and sweet is a child prodigy, who even at the age of 5 won her hearers with her musical sentitiveness and sweet charm of her ways. At that time she played on an eighth-sized violin. She now is using a larger instrument. With earnestness of her work, under her teacher, J. Robert Saunders, she has learned the forms of the major and minor scales, can tell any key at a glance, can play all the scales diatonically, and in broken thirds as well as arpeggios and chromatics. She is also beginning the study of theory. Her work is exceedingly interesting.

Beside this novelty, Phoebe Ara Bowler, gifted young pianiste, will give a solo that promises much pleasure to her hearers. Beatrice Lindenberger and Irene Hissem of the Wallis Dramatic School will present an interpretative dance. The playlet "War or Peace" will be presented by Vivian Wikadal and Winona Wenzlick, two talented young women.

BUSINESS TALKS TO WOMEN.

BY ELLEN LANE SPENCER, Author of "The Efficient Secretary."

Starting a Business on Ten Dollars.

Let us change an old saying. "Truth is sadder than fiction." The saddest thing about truth is that it is an incontrovertible fact that you cannot escape, whereas fiction is so much more enjoyable for everyone in that the writer by a few strokes of his or her typewriter can create fire, flood, earthquake, or a million dollars, to relieve an apparently cornered situation.

Thus, the writer who tells us about the business girl who started a successful business of hand-painting dress buttons on a capital of $10, and is now the hand-painted dress button queen with a million dollars in bank, draws a lot on fiction, with an immeasurably bad influence on the reader who happens to be susceptible.

For the sake of fiction, the writer tells about the $10 and fails to mention the $1000 that the dress button queen's father, brother, or uncle, put into the business two days later. Also for artistic effect, the writer declines to point out that for a year and a half the business did not make anything.

We read of scores of them every year—but never a word of warning sounded about the thousands who fail to get there. That is truth, inartistic truth, and fiction is pleasanter reading.

Let the ambitious girl who reads of big successes made on a capital of $10 or $100, make out a list of, say, the stationery needs of a business just starting—consider how many letters must be mailed at the start at 2 cents postage each, then consider how far small capital goes in starting business.

Let the business girl who wishes to start in business figure out the cost of rent, furniture, stock, stationery and telephone for her place of business for three months—what it will cost her to live for that period, and if this sum and a little more is available, at the end of three months she may find herself on a break-even basis, if the business in which she proposes to engage is one for which there is an exceptional demand. If she must create the demand she will have to support herself and her business for a year.

Have you girls who are ambitious for a business of your own ever heard this? Probably not—it is sadder than fiction, but truer.

Mr. Wendell Cleland will become professor of English in Cairo University, which is being established under an interdenominational board of trustees, and Mrs. Cleland will assist her husband. She was graduated from Mount Holyoke College in 1910, and has been active in the Epworth League, Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church and the Campfire Girls movement.

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MEN I HAVE MET.

BY TOM FITCH.

Statesmen.

Upon the completion of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad in 1859 passes were issued by it to every newspaper office in the United States to enable it to send a representative to Washington and return, to attend the celebration of the completion of the road. I was deputed by the Milwaukee Free Democrat, on which paper I was employed as a local reporter, to make this trip. In the excursionist car I met Francis P. Blair, Jr., then a Republican member of Congress from Missouri, but who nine years afterwards was the Democratic nominee for Vice-President. Mr. Blair wore, as an ornament to his watch chain, a small piece—set in gold—of the rope with which John Brown was hung, whether as a tribute to the memory of Brown or to the achievement of the hangman I do not know. Blair was on his way to Wheeling, W. Va., to address a Republican meeting, and I accepted his invitation to stop over and listen to him. I remember his gaunt personality and his raucous voice. In his speech he was especially bitter on Stephen A. Douglas, whom he compared to Milton's Satan, "Squat like a toad close to the ear of Eve." Blair took back a good deal nine years afterwards. Indeed, he was chiefly renowned for taking things back.

In the summer of 1860, when I came to California on the voyage from Panama to San Francisco, on board the steamer Uncle Sam, I met daily Judah P. Benjamin and Beverly Johnson, who were on their way to San Francisco to attend the New Almaden quicksilver case. I met them but—

"We did not speak as we passed by, I to J. P. or him to I."

Indeed, we did not really pass by, for they occupied quarters abaft the main shaft, while I, owing to the unremitting attentions of the journal with which I had been connected, made my temporary home on the forward deck.

The next time I met Benjamin was in January, 1861, when seated in the gallery of the United States Senate chamber, I saw this lion of the tribe of Judah—as he loved to be called—listening to the farewell speech of Jefferson Davis.

Davis did not place his withdrawal from the Senate on any other ground than that of logical and passionless performance of what he conceived to be his "duty to his State." He disclaimed any allegiance to the Calhoun doctrine of nullification and secession, which, he said, were antagonistic principles. He did not believe that a State had any right to remain in the Union and disregard its constitutional obligations by a nullification of an act of Congress. Secession, he claimed, belonged to a different class of remedies and was to be justified upon the basis that the States are sovereign and that the Union was a mere compact, from which they had a right to withdraw with or without a reason. If he thought that Mississippi was withdrawing without sufficient provocation or without any existing necessity, he would nevertheless be bound by her action and terminate his functions as a Senator. Mr. Davis said that he was too ill to make a lengthy argument and he looked it. His tall, gaunt figure, rises before me even now.

Six weeks later, on the night of March 3, 1861, I was privileged as a temporary private secretary to Senator E. D. Baker to be present in the Senate lobby and "meet" the great historic figures of that era. I heard Crittenden of Kentucky, white-haired and eagle-eyed—plead for the compromise measure which he believed would preserve the Union from impending civil war. One of the Virginia Senators denounced Crittenden's measure as a bread pill, and Douglas interjected the remark that hypochondriacs were often best cured of imaginary disorders by the use of bread pills.

Gliding about the floor on that night, with the footfall of a boy and a smile which proclaimed you to be one of his closest friends, although he had never before met you, was the statesman-Senator from New York, William Henry Seward, whose memory is known to fame in many ways, but especially as the author of the phrase that "between freedom and slavery there is an irrepressible conflict of opposite and enduring forces."

Yet Lincoln said months before that "a house divided against itself cannot stand," and Lincoln quoted that idea, if not those words, from an editorial in the Charleston Mercury. Great thoughts are often in the air and strike many men simultaneously.

I left Washington the next week for California, and did not see the Federal Capitol again until the spring of 1865, when I went there as a member of the forty-first Congress from the State of Nevada. My first active service there was, at the request of Gen. Redington of Sacramento, to co-operate with Congressman Sargent of California in securing the election of James G. Blaine as Speaker. There was a close contest for that office between him and Dawes of Massachusetts, and Sargent and I placed ourselves in the hands of Judge Peters of Maine, with liberty to trade our votes for clerk, and sergeant-at-arms, and postmaster, and any other outlying office, in exchange for votes for Blaine, and the judge executed that trading job with a celerity and efficiency that would have won encomiums from a San Francisco Barbary Coast politician. Blaine was neither ungrateful nor forgetful, and after his election invited us to choose our own places on committees—which we did. No man lived more vividly in American public life while he lived or seemed to die more utterly when he died than Mr. Blaine. He was a brilliant orator, a fearless and sagacious statesman and ordinarily a clever political manager. He made a mistake which cost him the Presidency when he described Roscoe Conkling as a strutting turkey cock.

"Lord Roscoe," as New Yorkers called him, never forgave Blaine; indeed, he never overlooked any depreciation of his personality. He inherited his self-esteem from his paternal ancestor. That gentleman, who had been a member of Congress from New York while Roscoe was still a youth, many years afterwards emerged from his retirement to canvass for Grant in 1872. He was introduced to an audience in a Pennsylvania city as "the father of Roscoe Conkling." With voice hoarse with rage he said: "My fellow-citizens, I served with credit as a member of Congress, and I have represented my country in a foreign land, and now in my old age it seems that my only title to distinction is that of being the father of Roscoe Conkling."

Ben Butler was hated by Congressman Farnsworth of Illinois who secured the appointment of a committee to investigate the construction of the New York and Boston Customhouse, expecting to show that Butler as a large owner in the Cape Ann Granite quarries had profited improperly by a contract to furnish granite for their construction. I was appointed a member of the committee and we went to Boston during the holiday recess. There I discovered that Farnsworth was running the investigation to "down" Butler, and with a natural love of fair play as well as a general admiration for the "grand old man" of Massachusetts, I managed to throw the doors wide open for the presentation of Butler's side of the case. When we returned to Washington Farnsworth prepared a report smirching Butler and secured to it the signatures of a majority of the committee. Then he handed it to me to sign. I put it in my pocket and said I would look it over and return it in the morning. After reading it I sent it around to Butler's house with a suggestion that he might find time to brief his side of the case.

At midnight he sent me a brief which I put in shape as a minority report and the next morning I returned the majority report to Farnsworth with a copy of the minority report. Both reports were submitted without discussion and after hearing them read the House adopted the minority report.

Farnsworth never forgave me and Butler never forgot me. I verily believe that if I had introduced bills to appropriate money to cover Nevada with public buildings and aid in gridironing that State with land grant roads, Butler would have supported them all.

No State in the Union had a greater representation in both branches of the Forty-first Congress than Massachusetts. At the head of all stood Charles Sumner. The thirty-two years that have come and gone since he passed into the great unknown have not dimmed the luster of his fame. The achievements of others in the forum have not caused men to forget him. It was my privilege to meet him several times in conference committees and he was always courteous and considerate and never dominating in disposition or manner.

His speech on the "Crime Against Kansas," lives as a classic in oratory as great as the appeal to Demosthenes to march against Philip, or the speech by which Cicero blasted through all time the name of Verres. Of Senator Butler of South Carolina, he said: "He has chosen a mistress who, though ugly to others, is always lovely to him, though polluted in the sight of the world, is chaste in his sight—I mean the harlot slavery. For her his tongue is always profuse in words. Let her be impeached in character, or any proposition made to shut her out from the extension of her wantonness, and no extravagance of manner or hardihood of assertion is then too great for this Senator. The frenzy of Don Quixote in behalf of his wench, Dulcinea del Tobosa, is all surpassed. He discharged the loose expectoration of his speech upon the representative and the people of Kansas. There was no extravagance of the ancient parliamentary debate which he did not repeat, nor any possible deviation from truth which he did not make."

Concerning Senator Butler's state Mr. Sumner said, "Were the whole history of South Carolina blotted out of existence from its very beginning down to the day of the last election, civilization might lose little."

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"We hear the music of bands and drums, the silver voices of trumpets and bugles. We see the pale cheeks of women and the flushed faces of men. We see the soldiers as they march proudly away under the flags and flags, keeping time to the grand and solemn music of war—marching down the streets of the great cities, through the towns and across the fields, down to the fields of glory to do and to die. We are by their side on the fields of glory, in the hospitals of pain, on the weary marches. We watch and guard with them in the wild storm and under the quiet stars. We suffer with them on ravines running with blood, in the furrows of gold and graves. We see them pierced by balls, torn with shells in the trenches and forts, and in the whirlwind of the charge, where men become iron with nerves of steel."

THE HARP.

Life found a Harp by the road one day,
A Harp on which none had played;
And he swept his hand o'er the stiffened strings,
But never a sound was made.

Love fluttered by, and he took the Harp
And he said, "It shall sing if I please"—
And but one note came, just a sweet, faint tone
That melted away in the breeze.

Sorrow came by, and he took the Harp,
And he said, "It hath lain full long;"
And Love said, "Thou wilt not make it sing
If I can not waken its song."

Sorrow sighed deep, and he stretched the strings
Until each one whined with the pain;
And he made them quiver and throb and pulse,
And he tightened them in again.

When every string was drawn and taut,
He then would have turned away,
But Life said, "Nay, thou hast tuned the Harp;
Let us hear what thou wilt play."

Oh, those pulsing chords that Sorrow drew!
Oh, that song so thrilling sweet!
E'en Love forgot to scoff, and sank
In awe down at Sorrow's feet.

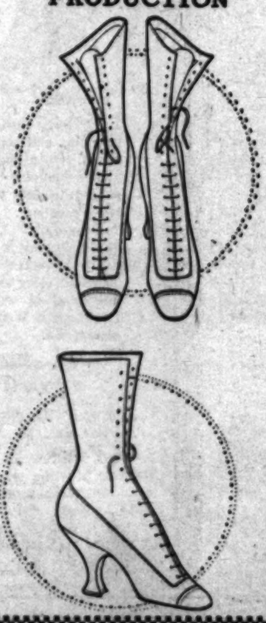
Oh, that melody so throbbing wild,
Like the cry of a broken heart,
And e'en Love wept as it he had felt
A cut from his own keen dart.

Shadows of night crept over the hills
And stars came out over the lea;
Sorrow gave up the Harp to Life,
And said, "It is tuned for thee."

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EDUCATORS.

Howard Lee McBain, who has been made one of the commissioners of education of New York City by Mayor Mitchel, is a Canadian. He was educated at Richmond College, in Virginia, and Columbia University. After teaching in Richmond and at the University of Virginia he returned to Columbia and resumed the study of his specialty, which he also teaches. Then followed a year's service on the faculty of George Washington University, in Washington, D. C., and three years of service on the faculty of the University of Wisconsin.

The new secretary of the National Education Association, Dr. A. J. Mundella, has had many years experience of educational administration. His own education he received at Nottingham and also in Paris, and subsequently he entered upon a business career. Presently he took up the journalistic profession. At present, in addition to acting out the duties of secretary of the National Education Association he is chairman of the management of about fifty schools in the St. Pancras district, where 50,000 children are taught. The work of after-care committees also claims his attention.

Dr. Alexander Hamilton Rice has sailed for the Amazon River with a party of scientists, which includes besides Mrs. Rice, Dr. William H. Councilman, pathologist of Harvard University, Earl S. Church of the Export of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Ernest Dyer of Newport, geologist. The expedition expects to make a topographical survey of portions of the Amazon Valley and interior districts and studies of the disease of malaria in that section.

Dr. Eric Mjoberg, a Swedish explorer, has arrived in the United States to study the latest methods in aviation preparatory to making arrangements for an expedition into the interior of New Guinea. He said he expects to use aeroplanes in this expedition to a large extent, his plans at present being to take with him four machines to carry on the

HAPPY THOUGHT CLUB SYMPOSIUM

BY EUGENE BROWN.

No race or nation has a monopoly on happy thoughts. They may bud and bloom in any clime and country. Happy Thought Club recognizes this fact. No barriers of creed or color are reared against aspirants for membership. All that is essential is the disposition to think cheerful thoughts and the ability to express those thought cleverly.

So it is that the membership already includes such minds as Tsuri Shimose, the Nipponese naturalist, and Peter Horse Pistol, the Pawnee scout and medicine man. Also the Philippines, Hawaii and Mexico are represented on the roster. Europe would be on the score also but for the fact that they have had no happy thoughts for two years. It is difficult for them to have genial fancies while they are hurling deadly missiles at one another.

The latest alien applicant for admission to the club is Don Carlos Cafesteris, a retired chewing-gum baron from Yucatan, who has bought him a date orchard in Southern California and is spending his leisure time in a compilation of the mission literature of Central America. His chicle plantation on the Gulf of Campeche was raided by revolutionists and he came to this country to carry out his literary activities in peace. He speaks the English language with purity and precision and is also the author of a number of Spanish ballads dealing with romance and adventure in the tropics, and which he will translate for the benefit of the club collection.

Andrew Hostetter, a literary descendant of the bitter builder, is a recent addition of being annexed by the Happy Thoughters. He began his literary career by writing stuff to boom the sale of stomach stimulants in the United States and some of his work was so appealing that it would make a Kansas farmer climb from his bed in the midst of the night and drive eight miles in search of a blind pig. He is also the author of the slogan, "Better buy bitters than be sick." He says that he is now making his headquarters on the Pacific Coast and has simply got to have an outlet for his happy thoughts. "He offers this fragment of the dream ballad contest:

I had a dream—and you were there
my side,
With eyes that sparkled with
love's tender gleam;
You did not strive your passion to
to hide—
Alas! I wakened—it was but a
dream.

The secretary was instructed to notify both Don Caesar and Sandow that their names had been placed on the waiting list and would be taken through when all formalities were complied with.

In awarding the prizes for the best offerings in the kissing contest some scandal was avoided with difficulty. The referees were the shade of the eminent amatory expert Lord Byron, Thomas Moore and Robert Burns. They were secured through the efforts of Mme. Unesmer, the club clairvoyant. When the report was made out it gave the grand prize to Owen Moore who, strangely began with the lines

Would Love imprisoned be
Here be found
Locked in thy velvet lips, where joy
abound."

At first hint of this a roar went up from Oscar Opdyke Onions, who had learned that Owen Moore was a great grand nephew of Tom Moore, one of the judges. He had the clairvoyant call the spirits to appear and then laid the matter before them. It was found that neither Byron nor Burns was aware of the relationship and that the Irish poet had slyly put one over on them while eloquently pressing the words of his kinsman.

When the situation was understood warm words followed between Byron and Moore and finally the Irishman chased Byron in the river. He had to swim across the Styx to save himself from a beating up.

Left to himself, Bobbie Burns declared he would settle the contest with the dice box. The name of Uncle William Snaggs was good for four sixes and carried off the first prize. Arthur Moore Cummings, who is no kin of the poet, won second honors and the prize for the best definition of a kiss went to Tessia Kuhn, who described it as a place where two souls meet.

All the winners will have to do time before the prizes is to pay the freight on them from the Bethlehem Steel works, where they were designed.

Uncle William Snaggs is not aware of the honor that thus unexpectedly came to him. He was not at the dinner on Thanksgiving, as the irrigating day at his place. The old sage of the San Gabriel Wash sent the following message to the children as an aftermath:

"The great Gringo Eat Fest hath come again, passed into the nothingness from whence it came, the same to expand into which it passeth year by year, each time leaving mankind a little weaker in the department of the interior than before its advent. I know, for I celebrated and am now on a diet of bean soup and lithia water. At first I thought I could trace my condition to a view I had of the new Myra Marr poster, but since wife has asked me to stop talking in my sleep I ask Myra's pardon for my unfounded suspicions. As far as I am concerned, the turk's carnage is complete, and I doff my cap to him.

"Most noble turk, then didst not die in vain, for ere the sun beyond the western hills did sink last Thanksgiving mankind, full of pain from indigestion and its kindred ills, did cry and curse thee loud and long, and wished thy kind a thousand years away. Thou are revenged upon the hungry throng that made a feast of thee Thanksgiving Day. The lesson learned will ere long be forgotten, the stomachaches and ills we endured, and shortly thy descendants will be caught and on the table alter be immured. But two score and twenty days of grace remain; then Headsman grimly with his ax will play. Hope and reprieve between that time is vain, they e'en will eat thee before Christmas morn."

Although the Myra Marr posters are not responsible for the condition of Uncle William, they did create a decided sensation when first brought to view. The delicate beauty of the heroine of "Henrietta of the Hungry Heart" has been intellectually accentuated by the artist. The beauteous Myra has been caught in a characteristic pose. She has been out in her rose arbor playing with the humming birds. She is arrayed in simple girlish garb and all the innocence and expectancy of youth is heard and she springs up like a startled fawn. She puts her hand to her ear and fan-

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Ingalls did not admire the oratory of Bob Ingersoll. He said that he would give him for his lectures the same advice that a gentleman gave to the keeper of a saloon in Leavenworth, as a recipe for selling more beer, namely, to sell less froth.

This was not fair to Pops Bob, for whose side I have often sat for hours at the Washington Club. We had one fault in common. We did not know how to play draw poker though we played it all the same. As I read the news the other day from the battle front in Europe, forty years shriveled like a scroll and I looked up at the rotund form of Ingersoll and heard his grand voice roll out the following sentences:

"We hear the music of boisterous drums, the silver voices of heroic bugles. We see the pale cheeks of women and the flushed faces of men. We see the soldiers as they march proudly away under the flaunting flags, keeping time to the grand old music of war—marching down the streets of the great cities, through the towns and across the fields, down to the fields of glory to do and to die. We are by their side on the gory fields, in the hospitals of pain, on the weary marches. We stand guard with them in the wild storm and under the quiet stars. We are with them on ravines running with blood; in the furrows of old fields. We see them pierced by balls and torn with shells in the trenches, forts, and in the whirlwind of the charge, where men become iron with nerves of steel."

EDUCATORS.

Howard Lee McBain, who has been made one of the commissioners of education of New York City by Mayor Mitchel, is a Canadian who was educated at Richmond College, Virginia, and Columbia University. After teaching in Richmond and the University of Virginia he returned to Columbia and resumed the study of his specialty, which he now teaches. Then followed a year of service on the faculty of George Washington University, in Washington, D. C., and three years of work on the faculty of the University of Wisconsin.

The new secretary of the British National Education Association, Mr. A. J. Mundella, has had many years' experience of educational administration. His own education he received at Nottingham and also in Paris, and subsequently he entered upon a business career. Eventually he took up the journalistic profession. At present, in addition to carrying out the duties of secretary to the National Education Association, he is chairman of the managers of about fifty schools in the St. Pancras district, where 50,000 children are taught. The work of after-school care committees also claims his attention.

Dr. Alexander Hamilton Rice has sailed for the Amazon River with a party of scientists, which includes, besides Mrs. Rice, Dr. William T. Councilman, pathologist of Harvard University, Earl B. Church of Newport of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, and Ernest Howe of Newport, geologist. The expedition expects to make a topographical survey of portions of the Amazon Valley and interior districts and studies of the disease of natives in that section.

Dr. Eric Mjoberg, a Swedish explorer, has arrived in the United States to study the latest inventions in aviation preparatory to making arrangements for an exploration trip into the interior of New Guinea. He said he expects to use aeroplanes to this expedition to a large extent, two planes at present being to take with him four machines to carry ten men.

HAPPY THOUGHT CLUB SYMPOSIUM.

BY EUGENE BROWN.

No race or nation has a monopoly on happy thoughts. They may blossom and bloom in any clime and the Happy Thought Club recognizes this fact. No barriers of creed or color are reared against aspirants for membership. All that is essential is the disposition to think cheerily and the ability to express the thought cleverly.

So it is that the membership roll already includes such minds as Hariet Shimose, the Nipponese nightingale, and Peter Horse Pistol, the Navajo scout and medicine man. Also the Philippines, Hawaii and Mexico are represented on the roster. Europe would be on the list also but for the fact that they have had no happy thoughts there for two years. It is difficult for men to have genial fancies while they are hurling deadly missiles at one another.

The latest alien applicant for admission to the club is Don Caesar Cafferia, a retired chewing-gum baron from Yucatan, who has bought him a date orchard in Southern California and is spending his leisure time in a compilation of the native literature of Central America. His chicle plantation on the Gulf of Campeche was raided by revolutionists and he came to this country to carry out his literary ambitions in peace. He speaks the English language with purity and precision and is also the author of a number of Spanish ballads dealing with romance and adventure in the tropics, and which he will translate for the benefit of the club collection.

Andrew Hostetter, a literary descendant of the bitter builder, is also capable of being annexed by the Happy Thoughters. He began his career by writing stuff to boom the sale of stomach stimulants in prohibition States and some of his work was appealing that it would make a dense farmer climb from his bed in the midst of the night and walk eight miles in search of a drug store. He is also the author of the slogan, "Better buy bitters than bullets." He says that he is now selling his headquarters on the Pacific Coast and has simply got to have an outlet for his happy thoughts. He offers this fragment for the dream ballad contest:

I had a dream—and you were at my side,
Your eyes that sparkled with love's tender gleam;
Do not strive your passion then to hide—
Alas! I wakened—it was but a dream.

The secretary was instructed to notify both Don Caesar and Sandow that their names had been placed on the waiting list and would be put through when all formalities were complied with.

In awarding the prizes for the best thought in the kissing contest a scandal was avoided with difficulty. The referees were the shades of the eminent amatory experts, Lord Byron, Thomas Moore and Robert Burns. They were secured through the efforts of Mme. Uneeda Biskit, the club clairvoyant. When their report was made out it gave the first prize to Owen Moore whose song began with the lines

"Could Love imprisoned be he'd soon be found
Lurking in thy velvet lips, where joys abound."

A great hint of this a rear went to Oscar Opdyke Onions, who had learned that Owen Moore was a great grand nephew of Tom Moore, one of the judges. He had the clairvoyant call the spirits together and then laid the matter before them. It was found that neither Tom nor Burns was aware of the relationship and that the Irish poet had slyly put one over on them by eloquently pressing the worth of his kinsman.

When the situation was understood warm words followed between Tom and Moore and finally the latter chased Byron in the river where he had to swim across the Styx to save himself from a beating up.

Left to himself, Bobbie Burns declared he would settle the contest by the dice box. The name of Sir William Snaggs was good for six and carried off the first prize. Arthur Moore Cumming—who is no kin of the poet, won second honors and the prize for the best definition of a kiss went to Gladys Kuhn, who described it as the place where two souls meet.

All the winners will have to do to get the prizes is to pay the freight on them from the Bethlehem Steel works, where they were delivered.

Uncle William Snaggs is not aware of the honor that thus unexpectedly came to him. He was not at the club dinner on Thanksgiving, as that was a fasting day at his place. The menu of the San Gabriel Wash was the following message to the world as an aftermath:

The great Gringo Eat Fest hath begun,
Again, passed into the nothingness from whence it came, the same road into which it passeth year after year, each time leaving mankind a little weaker in the department of the interior than before its coming. I know, for I celebrated with now on a diet of bean soup and skim water. At first I thought to trace my condition to a view of the new Myra Marr poster, but since wife has asked me to stop talking in my sleep I ask Myra's pardon for my unfounded suspicions. So far as I am concerned, the turk's demise is complete, and I doff my hat to him.

Thou noble turk, thou didst not die in vain, for ere the sun beyond the western hills did sink last Thursday mankind, full of pain from indigestion and its kindred ills, did rise and curse thee loud and long and wished thy kind a thousand years away. Thou are revenged upon the hungry throng that made a feast of thee Thanksgiving Day. The lesson learned will ere long be forgotten, the stomachaches and ills we endured, and shortly thy descendants will be caught and on the table after be immured. But two more scanty days of grace remain! Then doth the headsman grimly with his ax appear. Hope and reprieve be vain, that time is vain, they e'en will meet thee before Christmas Day.

Although the Myra Marr posters were not responsible for the condition of Uncle William, they did create a decided sensation when first brought to view. The delicate beauty of the heroine of "Henrietta of the Hungry Heart" has been intelligently accentuated by the artist. The bounteous Myra has been caught in a characteristic pose. She is standing out in her rose arbor playfully feeding the humming birds. She is dressed in simple girlish garb and her whole innocence and expectancy. She is heard and she springs away like a startled fawn. She puts her hand to her ear and fancies she can hear the hoarse rumble of the brewery wagon, whose coming she awaits with childish eagerness.

At that moment the artist has found her.

But, alas! it was not to be as she fancied. What she heard was the heavy breathing of the bandit, Kleotas of the King Killers, who had come with a platoon of husky piano movers to kidnap her, to imprison her in a hogshead and to transport her overseas in the hold of a cattle ship. 'Tis a wild night, me lads, and heaven pity those who are abroad on the face of the deep!



MYRA MARR.
In "Henrietta of the Hungry Heart."

The poster aroused the utmost enthusiasm when first shown to the club. It is mainly in black and white, but the lillylike perfection of the heroine is indelibly there. The charming ingenuousness of the face with the ear delicately attuned as if to harken to the reverent call of the iceman form a picture that is not to be forgotten.

The Old Resident gazed at it with passionate fervor and then put on his hat and went out without saying a word. Four hours later the Chief of Police telephoned in that a squad of officers had arrested a wild man, who claimed to be a member of the club and was wearing the club pin in his necktie. He had wrecked one cafe and was starting in on another when surrounded by the cops. All the way to the station he persisted in singing at the top of his voice:

"Oh, Myra Marr; oh, Myra Marr,
I wonder where in (hic) you are?"

There was a strong suspicion abroad that the boisterous personage was none other than the Old Resident, who had been suddenly overcome by the appealing beauty of the poster.

Now that the club drama is safely on the stocks, attention turns to the next venture. It is proposed to organize a No. 2 company and have a couple of offerings under way at all times. Violet Veronica Bushy has been anxious to have the club undertake her masterpiece, "Reno Ruth's Revenge," with herself as the star, but the scenario has not yet been given out.

Prof. Watts Eaton Hughes is preparing a Shakespearean review which he calls "Midsummer Night's Scream," and which would claim the services of some of the best film stars in addition to the club members. He proposes to do Shakespeare electrically and will have all the leading characters of the Bard of Avon brought together in one modern production. He wants Charlie Chaplin to play Hamlet, while Roscoe Arbuckle does the ghost in a union suit. He would have Douglas Fairbanks and Fay Tincher as Petruchio and Katherine and have Richard swapping his kingdom for a jitney instead of a broken-down plug of a horse. He wants De Wolf Hopper for Falstaff and thinks Ham and Bud might get away with Romeo and Juliet. He wants Lady Macbeth in a skirt dance, and he wants Brutus to prick Caesar with a needle full of hop. He wishes to see Theda Bara wandering around the forest of Arden as Rosalind, while Ambrose tacked up real estate signs on the trees as Orlando. There are a lot of other things he wants—most of which he won't get—but he has sketched out a plot that will hold the characters together long enough to get in front of the screen.

Members of the club were asked to suggest further operations of the club in the way of film productions.

All applications for club membership; all offerings in the prize competition for dream poems and all club correspondence may be addressed to Eugene Brown, Editorial Rooms, The Times.

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A CHRISTMAS SALE.

St. Paul's Parish Guild to Hold Another Annual Bazaar in Parlors of Clark Hotel Next Thursday and Offer Tempting Array of Holiday Gifts.

Here's your opportunity to get Christmas gifts, useful and ornamental, in most tempting array. The ladies of St. Paul's Parish Guild will hold their annual sale of useful and fancy articles in the parlors of the Clark Hotel on Thursday. There will be an attractive array of booths, with a bevy of charming saleswomen to wait on the patrons.

The Reception Committee is composed of Mmes. Alice C. Snyder, N. Glacius, B. B. Speice, William MacCormack, A. Sunley Cooper, T. W. Barton, Jeffries, Judson Smith, W. H. Richards, Hastings and L. Z. Burk. Mrs. T. W. Barton will be the cashier.

Mme. Aperghis from India will have charge of the crystal-gazing booth. Other booths will be in charge of the following women:

Fancy work—Mrs. M. Glacius, Mrs. L. B. Speice, Mrs. C. W. Bley, Mrs. J. L. Benepo, Mrs. J. Knight, Mrs. Josephine Jack, Miss Alice M. Stanton.

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Candy and cakes—Mrs. A. Sunley Cooper, Mrs. E. L. Trimmer, Mrs. Charles Barton, Mrs. Parry, Mrs. J. T. Eagny, Mrs. Eva Johnson, Miss Fetterley, Miss Daisy Barton, Miss Elsie Cooper, Miss Hastings.

Music and entertainment—Miss Kate H. Wright, Miss Vera George, Miss F. Olmstead, Miss Hellena Gilliland.

PHOTOPLAY RELEASES.

Movie Productions Ready for Showing this Week.

General film programme: Monday, "The Brand of Cain" (three-part drama,) "My Baby" (comedy,) "Where is Your Friend?" (comedy) and "Swedish Model Farm" (educational;) Tuesday, "The Egg" (two-part comedy,) "Jailbirds" (comedy) and "A Bit of Human Driftwood" (two-part drama;) Wednesday, "A Waiting Game" (comedy) and "The Poisoned Dart," No. 18 of "The Girl from Frisco" series (two-part drama;) Friday, "The Trunk Mystery," No. 8 of "Grant, Police Reporter" (drama) and "His Wife's Allowance" (comedy;) Saturday, "A Failure at Fifty" (three-part comedy-drama,) "The Lineman's Peril," No. 109 of "The Hazards of Helen" railroad series (drama) and "The Purchase Price" (drama.)

Triangle, Dorothy Gish in "Children of the Feud;" Fox, Theda Bara in "The Vixen;" Metro, Harold Lockwood and May Allison in "Big Tremaine;" World, Ethel Clayton and Carlyle Blackwell in "The Madness of Helen;" Paramount, Wallace Reid and Cleo Ridgley in "The Yellow Pawn."

Universal programme: Sunday, "Just Her Luck" (two-part comedy,) "Sammie Johnsin's Love Affair" (comedy-cartoon,) "Ancient India" (educational) and "The Wall of Flame" (drama;) special for week, "Liberty," No. 17, "A Trail of Blood" (two-part drama;) Monday, "Kinkaid—Gambler" (five-part drama) and "Pass the Prunes" (comedy;) Tuesday, "Ashes" (three-part drama) and "His Golden Hour" (comedy;) Wednesday, "The High Diver's Curse" (two-part comedy,) Times-Universal Animated Weekly No. 49 (topical) and "The Children Shall Pay" (drama;) Thursday, "The Shadow" (two-part comedy-drama,) "Seeds of Jealousy" (drama) and "Raccoons" (educational;) Friday, "The Call of the Unborn" (two-part drama.) Universal Screen Magazine No. 2 and "Oh, You Honeymooner" (comedy;) Saturday, "The Good Woman" (two-part drama,) "The Tramp Chef" (comedy) and "A Story from Life" (drama.)

So There.

SARTORIAL STARS.

English Actress Asserts American Women Know How to Dress Better than Any She has Seen in Travels Around the World.

Viola Roach, the English leading woman who will be seen this week in "Hobson's Choice," at the Mason, compliments the American woman on her personal appearance.

"There is no woman in the world who can wear clothes to such wonderful advantage as the American," said Miss Roach the other day. "In numerous respects she is far ahead of her French sister, who is generally thought to be the best-dressed woman of the world. The French proverb is: 'If you have sense you will make yourself pretty. If you have money you will make yourself elegant.'

"The well-dressed American woman really far excels the Parisian in originality and finish. There is a certain completeness to the American woman's toilette which the Parisian lacks through a fondness for streaming ribbons and fluffy things that soon become bedraggled looking.

"The foreign women are quite envious of the American woman's independence and originality. She is recognized all over the world for a jauntiness quite different to any other women on the hemisphere, and people can talk all they want to about the wonderful style of the 'chic Parisienne,' but she cannot compare with the well-groomed American. I have traveled over the world three times and never have seen such exquisite creatures in any country as you boast of here in the States."

INVENTS OWN EFFECTS.

Novel Fire Illusion in Act by Clever Vaudeville Man.

Not the least interesting thing about "The Forest Fire," the tremendously dramatic spectacle on the Orpheum bill this week, is the fact that Langdon McCormack not only wrote the drama, but he created the entire spectacle, including the electrical devices, painting and the scenery and staging.

Representation of fire, while not new to the stage, has never been offered except by the aid of silk and blowers, and Loie Fuller patented these effects the world over fifteen years ago. McCormick invented his own effects without the aid of silk or blowers, and they are said to be even more realistic. So realistic, in fact, is the fire effect that a note on the programme will inform the timid that no real fire is used.



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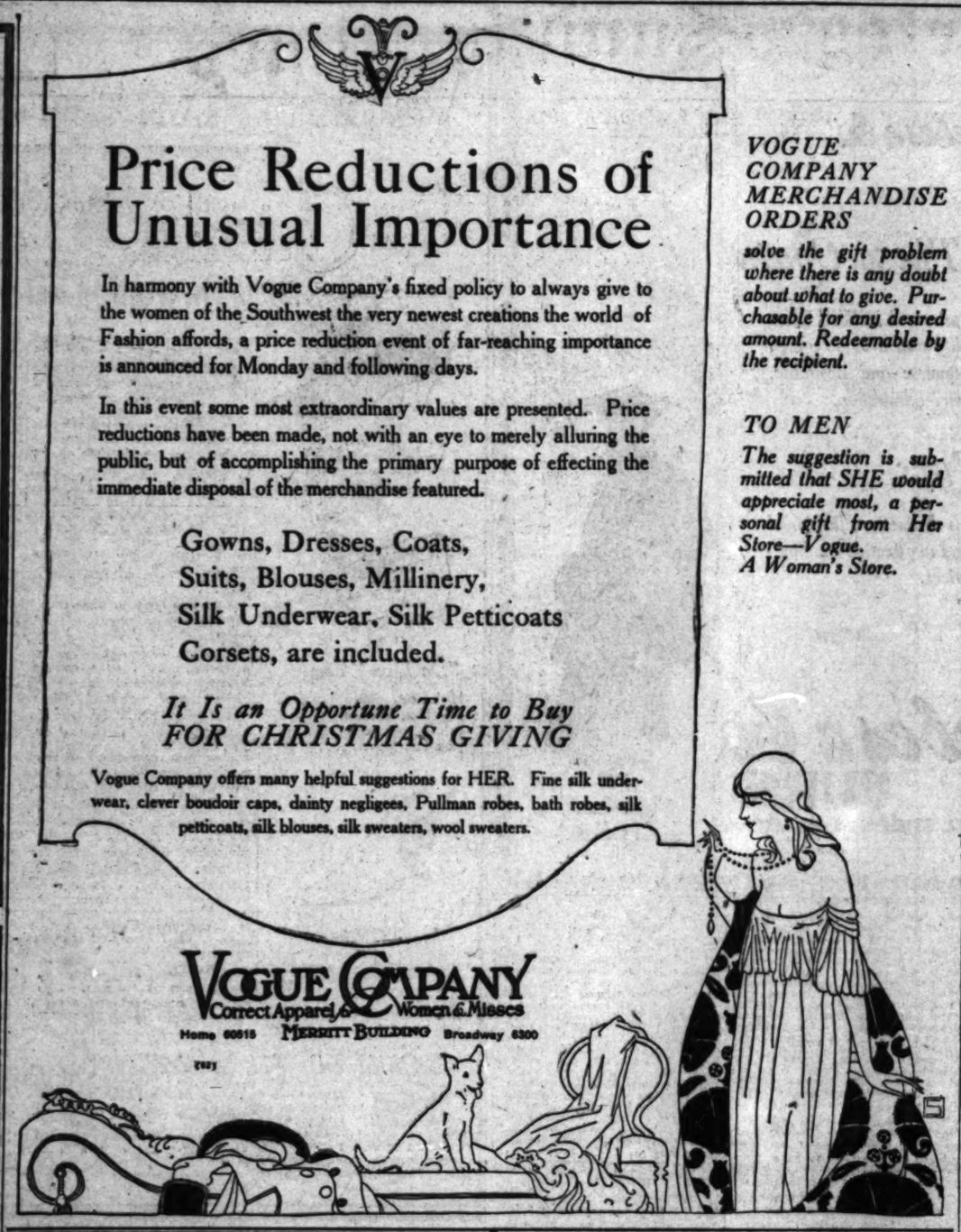
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BACK FROM YOSEMITE.

Signal Players Have Exciting Mishap, Too, by the Way.

After a week's absence from the studio, Helen Holmes, Paul G. Hurst, William Brunton, William Behrens, and others have returned from the Yosemite Valley with exterior scenes made for the eighth and ninth episodes of the serial, "A Lass of the Lumberlands." Since their return the interiors of the ninth have been completed, and the two Signal companies have combined to produce in record time the interiors of the tenth and eleventh installment so they may make another trip to the mountains for exteriors before the winter snows begin in earnest.

Returning from location on a hand car with a push car trailing, on the last day of their stay in the valley, the company met with an accident which laid up two of the players temporarily and distributed minor bruises and scratches impartially among all the others of the party. The cars were hurrying along a piece of down-grade when they struck a curve too sharp to be made at the speed at which they were traveling. The car jumped the track, throwing the players to the ground. Paul Hurst, director, struck on his shoulder, tearing loose the ligaments and necessitating that he wear it in a brace for several weeks; Behrens was thrown against a small boulder, the shock of the fall preventing him from working for two days.

ACTIVE WOMEN.

Mrs. Charles Farnam, who has been decorated personally by the Crown Prince of Serbia with the Order of St. Sava for her services in Serbian relief work, is from New York, and was the first woman of any nationality to enter reconquered Serbian territory. She accompanied the Crown Prince when the Serbians crossed the Cerna River above Dobroveni and stormed the Bulgarian stronghold of Brod. She nursed in Serbia through the first and second Balkan wars and through the typhus epidemic of the present war.

Mrs. George Clifford Boarman of Washington, D. C., has a maid in her employ who has been in the service of the Boarman family for eighty-seven years, or since she was born. According to Mrs. Court P. Wood, president of the District Federation of Women's Clubs, this is a world's record for length of service in one family.

Quitting her position as stenographer to go to the wash tub, Miss Georgianna Cuthbert is making $65 a week, and she handles only five washes to do it, according to her testimony in the equity action in which she is defendant and Mrs. Marie Lusson, her neighbor, plaintiff. Miss Cuthbert informed Judge Swarts that one family alone paid her $30, another $12, two $9 and a fifth $6 a week. She gets the business, she says, because she does not use bleach or acids in cleansing them. "None of the clothing I handle is soiled, only mussed," she said. Mrs. Marie Lusson seeks to prevent Miss Cuthbert erecting a laundry in the rear of her lot in Ardmore, Pa.

IN THE LIMELIGHT.

Alvan T. Fuller of the Ninth Massachusetts Congress District will make a unique entrance into the Sixty-fifth Congress as the only member within the memory of living man elected upon an anti-pork-barrel platform. Congresses have been tipped over completely through campaigns in which party extravagance has been one of the battle-cries, but never before has a Congressman been defeated because he got too much for his district or his State.

Mr. Bryan was turned down twice in the Nebraska campaign. His first defeat was when the Democrats refused to send him as a delegate to the Democratic National Convention, and the second one was the defeat of his brother for the gubernatorial nomination. While he says he will retain one of his homes in Nebraska and will continue to be a voter in that State, he has dismantled his home at Fairview, shipped a portion of the furniture to his winter home at Miami, Fla., and is sending his splendid library, the pride of his heart, to his summer home at Asheville, N. C., at which place it is said he will hereafter have his residence.

Merrit Lane of Jersey City, who has been named vice-chancellor of the Equity Court of New Jersey, will draw a salary of $12,000 a year for as much of his seven-year term as he fills. He was graduated from the New York Law School, and was admitted to the bar in 1902. During the period when the State's largest insurance company was changing from a stock company to a mutual basis he was prominent as counsel for the policyholders.

Business associates and employees of Thomas A. Edison sent to his office recently a hand-carved cabinet said to be worth approximately $7000. The cabinet is an exact reproduction of the famous piece of wood carving which the inventor admired when on his trip to Paris a few years ago. Knowing of his admiration for the cabinet, his friends sent an expert carver to Paris to make a copy.

Harry Thatcher Dunn of Toledo, O., is said to be the most heavily insured man in the country, as he has taken out policies aggregating $1,500,000 on his life. Dunn is president of the Fiske Rubber Company and vice-president of the Willys-Overland Automobile Company. Premiums alone amount to approximately $1000 a week.

Capt. Frederick Courtney Selous, the explorer and big-game hunter, now serving in the English army, has been given the Distinguished Service Order for "conspicuous gallantry, resource, and endurance." He is a member of the Royal Fusiliers. The battalion with which Capt. Selous is associated is composed of men who have seen service on the frontiers of the empire, and he was largely instrumental in their recruitment.

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Through Its Seventeen Departments, Administered by Public-spirited Women, the Los Angeles Federation of Parent-teacher Associations Promote Health, Education, Morals and Patriotism of the City's People, with Special Attention Given to the Immigrant and the Poor.

With a corps of altruistic, public-spirited women imparting the impetus of zeal and self-sacrifice, the Los Angeles Federation of Parent-Teacher Associations is doing a steadily-growing work assigned for the betterment of the child, the parent and the community. The poor, the "little mothers," the immigrant know this work from intimate association and from real benefits they receive. The educators of the city, the charitable, the leaders in such uplight work also know what the federation is doing, so that, with its State and national affiliations, it has the indorsement and support of many of America's most prominent people.

The specific object of this federation is to co-operate with the State and National Congress of Mothers. It endeavors to promote loftier ideals of the meaning and purpose of parenthood; to co-operate with educators and legislatures in securing the best physical, mental and moral training for children, and to assist in procuring the best possible legislation for the development of the Los Angeles public schools.

The California Congress of Mothers was organized here in 1906, with Mrs. W. W. Murphy as the first president. The work grew so rapidly that in 1916 it was thought advisable to separate the State from the local work and the Los Angeles federation was formed, with Mrs. Chalmers Smith the first president.

Not only has the work of the local circles, situated in almost every school district in the city, grown in interest and efficiency to the greater advantage of the children, but has been so enlarged that it now reaches out its arms to all the school children in the city needing aid.

To fulfill this purpose, seventeen departments are now in operation under the management of this federation.

HEALTH WORK.

It is the duty of the Clinic Committee to co-operate with the health and development department of the public schools in caring for the health of school children and to assist in providing medical, surgical and dental services for those whose parents are unable to make such provision. During the past five years the following treatments have been given to children whose parents are unable to pay the customary dental and medical fees:

Dental clinic, 3569; eye, 2679; ear, 539; general medicine, 377; osteopath, 644; speech, 107. Total treatments for the year, 12,845; average treatments per day, 74.

On May 13 the cornerstone of the new clinic was laid at College and Yale streets. This new building, costing $45,000, was the gift of the late O. T. Johnson, and is considered a valuable asset to Los Angeles' educational system.

DAY NURSERIES.

The day nurseries started with the well-known Utah-street establishment. The need has grown until there are now four day nurseries, and a new one will soon be opened. Here the older children—"little mothers"—bring the babies that are cared for and given a wholesome noon meal of milk and crackers, thus allowing the older children to go to school and enabling the mothers to go out and earn a living.

EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE.

Mrs. O. T. Helpling, chairman, says, "It is the duty of the Educational Committee to bring to the federation, in the form of lectures, the newest and best along educational lines; to encourage the establishment of social centers in the schools, where parents, teachers and educators may meet and discuss conditions and topics vital to their particular needs and for the betterment of home and childhood. We are working to bring before them from time to time, all that is new and best along these lines from an educational standpoint."

The Educational Committee is endeavoring to help the immigrant mother by teaching her English, sewing, good housekeeping and American ways. Many of the little foreigners soon become ashamed of parents who cannot understand English and American ways. This often results in disobedience and incorrigibility.

JUVENILE COURT.

The federation co-operates with the Juvenile Court and probation department in doing constructive and preventive work, thereby educating the public opinion to demand only the best for child welfare. Books on the laws pertaining to children and the ordinances relating to them, which are commonly broken, have been compiled by members of this association and distributed all over this county. Fifteen homes for girls have been found during the past year, and the committee has endeavored to help all children coming to them for assistance, often loaning money, which is paid back out of wages earned.

PATRIOTISM.

One department has aimed to help to a realization that true patriotism is a practical virtue, which should be practiced every day in obeying the laws of our land, promoting the welfare of our homes and our children.

SCHOLARSHIP.

The work of the scholarship committee has been to help to keep in school children who without such aid would be forced to leave their studies to earn wages to assist in supporting the home. A scholarship consists of paying the mother $3 a week, which would be the average earning capacity of the child. Eleven scholarships have been furnished the past year, many car books issued to high school students living too far from the schools to walk, and a large number of text-books have been furnished free to these pupils.

EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT.

During the past year 3500 individuals have been helped through the emergency department. There were twenty nationalities represented. Also, 28,428 garments were distributed. Not all of the contributions came through this department, as some went direct through the schools. At Christmas time 200 baskets of food were given out and a large number of Christmas stockings filled with candy, books and toys, as well as some wearing apparel. Entire outfits for babies, including stockings, dresses and underclothing, were placed in some of the stockings.

The emergency department has a bungalow on Normal Hill, where each week it distributes clothes absolutely free of charge to children who are not very well clad to attend public school.

The council of presidents, of which Mrs. E. H. Noe is now the president, was formed to bring the president of each local association in closer touch, so they may discuss child welfare in the home, church, school and State, and receive a better and wider experience in dealing with their own local problems; it also gives them more prominent representation in the federation.

FINANCE.

The Los Angeles Federation of Parent-Teacher Associations is financed largely by donations, entertainments, etc., as the dues are less than nominal, only 1 cent per member being paid. Last year the total receipts, aside from State dues, were approximately $2000, of which less than $75 was from dues. The expenditures were over $2000. This year the dues will be 2 cents per member. Every working member of this organization gives her time, strength and ability without money and without price, feeling that the greatest work we can do in this world is to help the coming generation to its best and finest development.

Mrs. C. C. Noble, the present federation president, is largely responsible for the big membership of which this organization is composed, as she has been national, State, county and city membership organizer more than twelve years.

The Congress of Mothers, of which this federation is a part, is the only child-welfare organization which is officially recognized by the United States government, through P. P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education.

WHO THEY ARE.

The founders are: Mrs. Theodore W. Birney, Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst, Mrs. George Alfred Fletcher, recording secretary, Philadelphia; Mrs. George K. Johnson, auditor, Langhorne, Pa.

The national advisory council includes Col. Theodore Roosevelt, Hon. P. P. Claxton, Washington, D. C.; Rev. Josiah Strong, New York; Roger B. McMullen, Chicago; Frederic Schoff, Philadelphia; G. Stanley Hall, Ph. D., Worcester, Mass.; Mrs. Ella Flagg Young, Chicago; Dr. William P. Wilson, Philadelphia; Hon. Elmer Ellsworth Brown, New York; Rev. Charles R. Skinner, New York; A. A. Birney, Washington; George K. Johnson, Philadelphia; William E. Bryan, Ph. D., Bloomington, Ind.

The State federation is also indorsed by the State Board of Education, State Superintendent of Public Instruction Hyatt being on the advisory, and by the Board of Education of Los Angeles, as the Parent-Teacher Federation has been an auxiliary to the board for some years.

BITS OF VERSE.

Morning.

See, today's another day!
Yesterday was dreary,
But 'tis past, and shall we say
Morning finds us weary?

Nay, today the sunlight shines—
Yesterday 'twas raining;
Nature not for long repines—
Are we still complaining?

Ah, the things we meant to do!
Yesterday went fleetly,
But today, the long hours through,
We can fill completely.

Yesterday we failed. Today
May effect a meeting
With success who, blithe and gay,
Waits to give us greeting!
—[Beatrice Barry, in the New York Times.

What is a Christian?

What is a Christian? He who does his best
To make this warring world love's dwelling place;
Who reads the veils of greed and self-unrest
Which hide his brothers from their Father's face;
Who, stumbling oft, yet up the steeps doth plod
And helps wayfarers toward Christ's shining goal
By service to his fellowmen until God
Makes his abode within his struggling soul;
Who bears aloft his torch, though tears and fears
Obscure it oft and dim with doubt's dissent;
Unwarped by woe, though battle scarred by years
Of toil for peace and human betterment,
The Christian greets life's onset undismayed
And, dying, meets life's Master unafraid.
—[New York Sun.

Worth Trying.

Did you say you have a trouble?
If you wish to make it double
Just tell it to your neighbor in a confidential way.
Spread it out where folks can know it.
Let your face and actions show it.
Do not let a soul forget it from the dawn until close of day.

Would your soul forget its trouble,
Make it vanish like a bubble?
Then you put that little trouble in a closet out of sight.
Bid it stay there all unheeded,
Say its presence is not needed,
Then you start to work at something that requires mind and might.

Set yourself to work for others,
For your struggling, burdened brothers,
You will find so many burdens heavier than the one you bear.
That your trifling little trouble
Soon will vanish like a bubble,
And your very self, my brother, will forget 'twas ever there.
—[Mabel Brown Denison, in Farm and Home.

Miss Elizabeth Daingerfield, a remarkably clever young woman, has been named as manager of the Kingston horse farm owned by McKinney & Corrigan of Cleveland, Ky. And she finds spare time to contribute reviews of books and essays on topics of interest to the newspapers and magazines of the State. Kingston comprises 1600 acres of rolling blue grass pastures, and spacious paddock in the Russell Cave pike, three miles from Lexington. There are six sires, sixty brood mares and more coming, twenty-six yearlings and twenty-eight weanlings and these, together with the men and women necessary to run such an establishment, are under the care of Miss Daingerfield, who is the last word in efficiency.

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SEASON'S OUTPOURING OF NEW FICTION

Novels and Stories by William Dean Howells—Sir Hugh Clifford—Irvin S. Cobb—Arnold Bennett—Rex Beach—Kate Douglas Wiggin—Jack London—Cyrus Townsend Brady—E. Temple Thurston—Dana Burnet—John Trevena—Lucas Malet—Cora Harris—Booth Tarkington—Percival J. Cooney—James Willard Schultz—Baroness Orczy—Maurice Lebanc—Charles Alden Seltzer—and a Score of Others.

"The Leatherwood God."

WILLIAM DEAN HOWELLS is said to have had in mind for more than a quarter century the story he has put in "The Leatherwood God" (The Century Company,) which is based upon an actual occurrence among the early settlers of Ohio and in a locality with which he was familiar in his youth. For many years, so we have heard, he has worked on the manuscript. The essential features of the story and even the important incidents of the "god" have been taken literally from records. The result is that he has written not only a novel of interest, but an authentic psychological study of religious hysteria.

Joseph Dylks, slender, tall, with long black hair, comes into the settlement, the several sects are ostensibly worshiping together in a "temple." The city-born general reader can have no adequate conception of how seriously the backwoodsmen took their religion, of how literal hell and heaven, one of Vulcanic flames and the other of gold streets of gold, seemed to them. The city-born people have studied chemistry on the one hand and metaphysical abstractions on the other, for the inexorable minds whom our grandfathers followed in awe and abject humbleness. The old-fashioned revival camp meetings were utter orgies of hysteria, when the people were brought into a condition of mental credulity and actually beheld the horizon for the flaming fires of the Last Judgment.

The settlement is in such a condition when Dylks arrives. His mysterious attitude, his horse-like snort of inspiration," his aptitude for quotations from the Bible which by inference convey the assertion that he is of God, put the more credulous of the mood to believe when he declares himself from prophet to prophet, and at last to the assertion that "I am God and the Christ in me. . . . There is no salvation but by faith in me."

It is not easy for the present generation to believe that there were people in America so credulous as to worship at the feet of such a character—not even with Mormon and Boston bearing witness of what has been the influence of the latter-day Messiahs, and one of them a woman who wrote a book that is very difficult for people without an abundance of faith to understand.

The people in the settlement are ignorant of Dylks's real identity. His wife has thought him dead and has remarried, and his brother-in-law, but they are fearful of proclaiming the truth, though they know very well he is neither God, but a very good man. When Dylks takes possession of the common schoolhouse, when he offers to work a miracle and make seamless boots, when he commands to be baptized as the living God, there are people who grovel awe-stricken before him. Justice Braile, however, the village thinker," is unimpressed; and his shrewd questioning wrings from Dylks admission of imposture. When exposed, there are people who cling to faith in him. And when he leads them away to show them heaven in all of its magnificence and is drowned, there remain those who testify that they saw him ascend in glory to his mansion in the skies. The enigma is easily solved: People want to believe. They yearn to believe. They are ready to deceive themselves and to seize upon anything. Dylks understands this. He uses it.

"The Leatherwood God" is a model piece of writing by the process of elimination. Mr. Howells conveys the characters, and gives an intimate picture of the settlement, he individualizes his characters, and swiftly, tragically, develops the dramatic forces, and does it with a minimum of words.

"The Further Side of Silence."

When an English boy with but seven years on his shoulders enters the service of his government in the Malay Peninsula. Three years later he was sent on a special mission to the Sultan of Pahang, and for two years he lived in complete isolation among the Malays in the native state and the result was, in his own words, "thus at a precociously early age I was the chosen instrument in adding many square miles of territory to the British dependencies in the East and this fact forces me to the conclusion that my share in the business stands in need of some explanation and defense, if readers who flatter themselves Britishers are to be persuaded that I am not merely a prig upon a large scale. The letters and sketches contained in this book supply me with both. I, Hugh Clifford, have with my own eyes seen the Malayan prison; have lived in the Malayan court; have shared the lives of the people of all ranks and classes in their towns and villages, in their rice fields, on their tin mines and in the magnificent forests which cover the face of their country. I have traveled with them by land, by boats, and raft. I have lived with and against them. I have stamped with the downtrodden feet of tribes of jungle-dwelling Sakai and Semang, and have heard with my own lips the tale of their wrongs. . . . I have seen them emerge from the dark backgrounds in which their days were passed into the daylight of a personal freedom such as white men have most mundane things."

Sir Hugh Clifford writes his preface to "The Further Side of Silence" (Doubleday, Page & Co.) in an English vernacular of such fine texture has been compared to that of Joseph Conrad's, but the comparison is not just. Sir Hugh Clifford is superior to the need of a tag whereupon he is credited with some other man's merit. Entirely apart from the signal distinction of having while a boy added 15,000 square miles to the British empire is his marvelous ability to tell a story, to tell it with dramatic intensity, and with words that seem chosen as a lapidary chooses gems for a queen's ornament.

These are tragic tales with the wall of the forest aborigines echoing between the periods; adventurous tales, alert with excitement; picturesque and romantic tales that are well—nigh unbelievable, but which at the same time seem real—a paradox, if you please to have it so, but such a paradox as one may find in all stories that are cherished as of extreme value. The intrigue in "At a Malayan Court" makes one breathe the faster for the reading; and "The Ghoul" and "The Were-Tiger" tend to stiffen the hair in uncanny fright; those of warm red blood that love the lure of danger will feel their hearts pound hard before "In the Valley of the Telom" is finished; and such a tale of loyalty as "One Who Had Eaten My Rice" shows better than argumentative words could ever do why this stripling from England welded a new kingdom to the Victorian empire.

There are many stories in the book, nineteen in all, but that of "The Further Side of Silence" for imaginative beauty and exalted tragedy cannot be considered inferior to any. The theme is something like that in W. H. Hudson's "Green Mansions;" a glorious woman of the forest is murdered by the cruel savages that think her a foul witch.

Yet another fascination is woven into the tales. In every paragraph the author not only shows intimate familiarity with his strange people, which is expected of one who has lived so long among them; but, without imposing on his narrative, without digressions and wanderings, he offers a great wealth of information on customs and taboos, the rituals and intricate formality of these savages. To what extent and with what accuracy he has done this cannot perhaps be fully appreciated by anyone unread in "The Golden Bough," Sir J. G. Frazer's work on anthropology.

"Local Color."

We unhesitatingly acknowledge having done in regard to Irvin S. Cobb's popularity what Mother Partington with a broom did to the ocean. The good woman tried to send the waves back where they belonged, but she had to pick her skirts high and run for dear life. We long ago seated ourselves aloof on a hilltop and watched in disgust the Cobbian inundation. "If that is humor," we grumbled, "then Charlie Chaplin must really be funny;" for Cobb as a "funny man" bored us to distraction. And he seemed determined to be a humorist, a clownish, blatant, smart-alecky funnyman.

Even the "Old Judge Priest" stories, which showed serious and kindly intentions, bored us; but we liked those in "The Escape of Mr. Trimm" and said so. There was big stuff, grim and gripping and built with mastery. But his "Anatomy," his "Operations," his "Bill of Fare," his revision of Europe—all that inspired us with the Caliguan wish that one paddle would serve for his host of admirers.

Now comes "Local Color," with ten short stories, which makes us wonder all the more why Mr. Cobb ever wrote about his "Operations" or his "Anatomy." Those things simply do not count. They compare to "Local Color" as "Fatty" Arbuckle compares to the courageous conception and magnificent execution of Mr. Griffith's "Intolerance." Many of these stories are great in the full significance of the potent word. "The Field of Honor" is the finest war story having an interest that connects it with America that we have read. "First Corinthians" is a classic on charity and should be read from every pulpit in the land. And any man who writes or dreams of ever writing cannot read "Local Color" without having strange, uncanny emotions and an intimate sympathy for the poor, colorless Felix Looms seize upon him.

Many of the other stories, as "The Eyes of the World" (which, incidentally, is located in our own fair midst,) and "Enter the Villain" have strong narrative interest; and some, as "Persona Au Gratin," which are based on the anecdotal surprise, the unexpected (or designed to be unexpected,) surprise, seem very trivial, indeed, in company with "Local Color" and "Field of Honor."

But as a book, "Local Color" (George H. Doran Company,) adds something vital to American letters.

"Kinsmen."

Percival J. Cooney's "Kinsmen" (George H. Doran Company,) is a much stronger and better-knit story than his previous book, "The Dons of the Old Pueblo," which was a historical novel of Spanish days in Los Angeles. "Kinsmen," a story of Scotch Highlanders who were among the early settlers of Canada, has a little too much excitement, a bit too much melodrama—for scarcely a chapter is without its surprise and "punch"—to be considered as a novel of quality, though Mr. Cooney has a fine narrative style and handles with skill more characters than the usual book contains.

The plot revolves around the Laird of McNab—The McNab, as he styles himself with good reason—chieftain among the Highlanders, who tries to exact among his transplanted kinsmen the same inexorable allegiance that was given in fealty by their forefathers to his ancestors. With the coming of Barclay Craig to the settlement, the Highlanders have among them a man of education and courage who knows that McNab (though it is chiefly his council, or the withered, malicious deep-seeing McTavish, who is to blame,) is cheating them of their timber and exacting rentals for himself that belong to the government.

It is significant that Craig's first appearance carries his fist into the face of Allen Dhu, son of McNab, who is trying to kiss the fair Flora, daughter of McIntyre, whom McNab later seeks to hound from the country. McNab is outraged and horrified when he formally offers to allow McIntyre's daughter to marry his son, and the offer is scorned. Flora's brother, aided by Murty, a generous and wily Irishman, organizes the young bloods of the community into a lawless band that carry punishment into McNab's yards, firing his granaries and outhouses; but at length they listen to Craig's cooler head, and a formal petition is drawn up seeking an adjustment of their grievances which are carried to Canada's Governor. Craig bears the petition, and one after another close escape from death harrows him, a long term in jail awaits him, and more adventures beset him before he at last meets the Governor and sets the wheel of laws and justice in motion.

The story, especially considering the complications and many characters of importance, is well worked out. The McNab, a towering man, is portrayed with care; his son is somewhat too much the typical villain despite the flare of regeneration toward the end; but Craig is a solid and convincing character, untheatric notwithstanding his many sensational adventures. Mr. Cooney obviously knows the settlement life and the personality of the Highlanders, and, though he has been copious, he has been discriminating in the use of the Scotch dialect. There is ruggedness and strength in "Kinsmen" that was far from "The Dons of the Old Pueblo."

"Windy McPherson's Son."

Sherwood Anderson has made himself a jacket from a small piece of Theodore Dreiser's robe, and so identifies himself in his first novel as a member of the New American School of Realism. But unlike the dean of the new school, Mr. Anderson is not only concerned with faithfully and vigorously presenting characters not altogether admirable, but he must solve as well as show their problems.

Sam McPherson, the son of "Windy," leaves the Middle West town, where his father's name denotes shiftlessness and braggery, and being capable, ruthless and dishonorable, he gains control of other people's money, reorganizes and develops the Rainey Arms Company—then double-crosses Rainey himself, though he is married to Rainey's daughter. "I could not be an ass, even for you," is his message to her; and as evidence of how much it meant to him not to be an ass, he offers to make over to her or Rainey his winnings from the deal. He becomes a "big man," a money king, but separated from his wife and heart-sick, cashes in on his stocks and bonds and takes up a kind of vagabondage; then winds up a spree by adopting two children of a wanton mother and carrying them back to his wife. She welcomes him and them, and he feels that at last he has adjusted himself to life.

The book is written with narrative vigor; but excepting the first part, which presents a remarkably accurate and careful picture of small town life, the story is episodical and sketchy, and the last part is nothing more or less than trashy. Sam McPherson himself is a rather anomalous character; to our mind, not convincingly drawn after his marriage.

Somewhat furtively, with intimations, but scarcely more than intimations, the author more or less continually refers to sexual incidents and interests in McPherson's life, so that his text is almost as much obsessed with sex as Mr. Dreiser's, but Mr. Anderson lacks the directness and elaboration of Mr. Dreiser. It is as though he would write more about these things if he dared.

"The More Excellent Way."

"Love! How can it be weighed for a single moment beside duty?" is more or less the text of Cyrus Townsend Brady's anti-divorce novel, "The More Excellent Way" (G. P. Putman's Sons.)

The characters in this story are about as human as a bundle of sticks and Chrissey de Selden, heroine, who, so Mr. Brady assures us, is a "strong character," vacillates and weeps and has heart pangs in a most astonishing and amusing manner. Though an Italian count and Neyland, an American hedonist, love her, she marries Warburton, her guardian, who is a perfect gentleman in every way. But on her wedding night she screams: "Don't touch me," and shortly afterwards begins pining for Neyland, who seems to be a decent sort of a chap as long as he isn't drunk. Warburton allows her to get a divorce. He acts the gentleman all the way through, though she taunts him with being a foundling and having no name.

No sooner does this flighty heroine get a divorce, intending to marry Neyland, than "she discovered then, in that hour, at that moment" that she really loved the man whom she wouldn't let touch her on her wedding night. Neyland, after financial troubles, considerately dies; so she remarries her ex-husband—which, according to Mr. Brady's title, is "the more excellent way" of settling divorces.

"Kildares of Storm."

A story of Kentucky without mention of moonshine or feudists is in itself an attractive novelty, but Eleanor Mercein Kelly has also told a dramatic and strong story of a superwoman in "Kildares of Storm" (The Century Company.)

As a girl, Kate was wooed by the big, famous Basil Kildare, owner of vast acres and breeder of blooded stock. Kildare is a man of fierceness and some brutality, and he calls Kate his "pretty wild hawk" who has "the spirit for the mother of Kildare men." But it is daughters, not men, that are born; and Kildare is slain by the lover of Kate, who then finds that by the terms of her husband's will she must surrender the estate if she marries again.

Kate becomes the competent and driving manager of the Storm estate and breeds mules instead of horses, because there is more money in them. She is firm, but tries to be just; and throws her protection about an unwedded mother, and does it with good courage—but trembles a little when she finds that much the same compassion is required of her for one of her own daughters.

It is the story of a woman's effort to succeed amid difficulties, and Kate is drawn as a woman of fine character though she loves the man that killed her husband, and eventually ends her hard fight in the haven of his arms.

"Leatherface."

Baroness Orczy goes back to that other epoch in the Netherlands history when fierce conquerors bestrode the land of Belgium, and tells the story of "Leatherface" (George H. Doran Company) amid the settings of war between the Prince of Orange and the Duke of Alva.

Plot after plot and surprise attack after surprise attack is directed against the Prince, whose head is desired above all earthly things by the Duke, but each time he is warned by the mysterious messenger in hood and leather mask, who, so the more superstitious Spaniards avow, is none other than the devil himself.

Leatherface is thought to live at Ghent, a city of stiff-necked burghers whom the Duke would like to catch harboring Orange or his friends in order that there would be an excuse for plundering the city. So the beautiful daughter of Hidalgo Juan de Vargas is forced into marriage with the son of the High Bailiff of Ghent, that she may keep her eyes on the burghers and report what she learns to her father. She learns many things that her father never expected her to—and one of them is to have sympathy for the people amid whom she is set as a spy.

The story is full of color, but not so swift-moving as it is agreeable to find in this type of romance, and it is not too much to expect that Leatherface would have more adventures before our eyes instead of being merely told what a strange, daring devil he is.

"The Lion's Share."

"The Lion's Share" (George H. Doran) shows Arnold Bennett at his most tedious, which is a most remarkable exhibition—his most tedious. He essays a gay and witty comedy, a story of exciting and romantic complications, all solemnly written down with that profusion of words which has served him well in depicting with microscopic fidelity the low-spirited realism of which he is unquestionably a master.

Audrey Moze, the only child of a severe father, suddenly finds herself orphaned and wealthy—free to go her own way and seek the lion's share of pleasure, yet as innocent of the ways of the world as a convent bred maiden. Accompanied by a Miss Ingate she undertakes to enjoy Paris, and not being aware of the value of money suddenly discovers that her experimental practice of economy is not necessary, then blazes forth in a riot of extravagance. She has admirers and friends, and becomes addicted rather than devoted to a temperamental violinist. Returning to England she joins with suffragettes, defies the police and the doggedness of a detective, engages with the militants in annoying the peace of statesmen, and is carried by Mr. Bennett's sluggish prose through numerous adventures that have amusing potentialities.

The story drags—drags—drags unutterably. Comedy borne on crutches is anything but delightful; and it gives as much relief to the reader as to Audrey when she finally weds her foolish musician.

"Apauk, Caller of Buffalo."

James Willard Schultz has drawn from the memory of his thirty years of intimate life with the Blackfeet another story that is both interesting as a narrative and valuable as a record of Indian lore, in "Apauk, Caller of Buffalo" (Houghton Mifflin Company.) The introduction supplies the assurance—not needed by those familiar with Mr. Schultz's work—that the story of Apauk is true; and there is irony in the statement that Apauk, "the bringer of plenty," the man who lured hundreds and thousands of buffaloes over the cliffs and into the traps, so that the people might feast through the winters, died of starvation.

The story tells how Apauk as a boy, though he had already taken a weapon from a living enemy and gave promise of being a fine warrior, decides to become a caller of buffalo, because in all the three tribes of his people, evades war parties and such gifted man—and he is crushed beneath the herd so that his secret died with him. Then Apauk with his sister, and an old woman who had been as a mother to them, remains all of one summer away from his people, evades war parties and countless other dangers, while he prays to his gods, makes medicine and studies the habits of the buffalo until he learned the secret of making them follow him.

As no man had ever done before him, he succeeds in luring the herds while on horseback, instead of on foot as all the other callers had found necessary. For years he keeps the camps of his people red with meat; but with the coming of the white men, the great havoc they work among the herds with their high power rifles and hunting parties, Apauk eventually finds the ranges empty of food and his services are no longer of value.

"Old Forty Dollars."

Frank Wing, author of "The Fotygraft Album," gives a series of country-town boy sketches in "Old Forty Dollars" (Fleming H. Revell,) George gets the name of "Old Forty Dollars" when he applies to the railroad company for that sum as damages for the death of his pet by a train. The cat is buried with honors; and a famous cat was "Vein Sucker," a veteran of the "carnival of blood" which the youthful sportsmen conducted with the pet cats of the neighborhood. Prematurely, George lets it be known that he has applied for damages and the nickname is fastened onto him and sticks, though he does become enough of hero to get his name mentioned twice in one issue of the Peoria Transcript for his part in rescuing the victim of an accident.

George is by no means the only boy in the book, though he, so to speak, is the leading character, and takes an active part in instituting the chivalrous tourney after reading Ivanhoe, and also is the chief conspirator in framing up a deal against the champion buttermilk drinker of the village.

The stories haven't the smoothness, the humor, the naturalness that characterized many volumes of boyhood escapades and trials, but there is no question but Mr. Wing knows village life and also knows much about boys.

"The Agony Column."

Those who have read Earl Derr Biggers' "Seven Keys to Baldpate," will probably anticipate the denouement in "The Agony Column" (Bobbs-Merrill Company.) But whether or not they do detect the joker in the story, they will no doubt be much concerned over the predicament into which the Strawberry man gets himself with a letter of introduction to an English captain just back from India.

Through the "personal column" of a London paper the Strawberry man has made overtures to the Grapefruit girl, and she tells him that he can write her seven letters and then, if the letters are interesting enough, she will allow him to meet her.

The Strawberry man finds much to write about. He explains in full how he comes to be suspected of murdering the English captain when it is really the work of German spies (only in the end he admits to her that he is really the guilty party,) and how the chief of the German spy department is apprehended, sitting right in the highest seat of the British service.

"Penrod and Sam."

Booth Tarkington relates further adventures of Penrod Schofield and his friends in "Penrod and Sam" (Doubleday, Page & Co.) the latter name elevating to titular dignity one Samuel Williams, who lacks Penrod's ingenuity but is entirely acquiescent in the youthful machinations of his friend, Mr. Tarkington is at labor to expound the psychology of michievous boyhood, and gives over a goodly share of text to explaining and analyzing, which marks the stories, amusing as they are, with a certain stiffness. They lack ease and fluency.

Penrod plots and schemes. He doesn't tumble headlong into trouble; but with a kind of calculation he gets himself and usually other people into it. Perhaps only "goody-good" boys like Georgie Bassett who forces himself unwelcomed into the "In Or In" secret society, which is housed in an old piano box, would scruple to steal his sister's love letter as his own example of a "letter to a friend" in English composition. And though humiliation came upon him for that "forgery," Penrod does not seem to care.

He is baffled and disgusted at another time when he finds that his persistent interference with his sister's suitor has given her great pleasure and satisfaction.

Cats are Penrod's special delight, and he turns the unlucky felines to ingenious uses, not only when he transforms Gipsy into a jungle tiger and strips the breeches off his negro chums so they will more realistic appear as "beaters," but especially when, with the aid of his sister's purloined stockings and much excelsior, he uses a neighbor's pet as the motive power for an uncanny, snake-like monster that scares a bibulous dinner guest out of the house.

"A Drake by George."

We very much dislike to think that this is a new book by John Trevena. It is more agreeable to think of it as some earlier manuscript injudiciously brought from cover in the malformed hope that it may satisfy the admirers of "Granite" and "Sleeping Water" and "Wintering Hay." It has none of the sternness, none of the loftiness, none of the sympathy and compassion that has made Mr. Trevena's stories of the moors and the people on them prized and acclaimed.

"A Drake By George" (Alfred A. Knopf) is unpleasant comedy, a thing of complicated, ingenuous, loose-jointed plot and counter-plot, in which the two principal scoundrels of the bookful of scoundrels persistently seek to rob two women, one of whom is feebleminded.

A character of interest, who, regrettably is speedily dropped from the story, is Capt. William Drake. He is a ponderous but lovable liar, proud in the unsubstantiated belief of direct descent from Sir Francis Drake. His is a wonderful imagination, and his loquacious stories about his many peculiar curios are entertaining and amusing. But he dies on page 54.

"The Shining Adventure."

With a felicitous combination of satire and sentimentality, Dana Burnet pleads in "The Shining Adventure" (Harper & Bros.) for playgrounds for Gotham's children.

The 8-year-old orphan, son of a Socialist who was killed by a nervous militiaman and who is known as the King, escaped from the palatial guardianship of Miss Philomena Van Zandt, "a beautiful woman grown cold with the worship of pure respectability. . . . pure patrician, with wealth enough to make her ancient Knickerbocker name almost unnecessary." She tours the East-side in an electric brougham (with a liveried chauffeur and footman) to distribute Bibles to the poor.

The King escapes with a bright tin sword and a bag of pennies and buys a park for the street children to play in. He champions a crippled girl in O'Connor's Alley, whips the leader of the gang, assumes leadership, royally pays for rides on the merry-go-round, champions another unfortunate lady, and finally leads forth his army of children to the park which he has purchased from the old gardener.

In the meantime, Miss Philomena is busy with an uplift conference in which the bishop is the dominant member, but an accident to the King brings realization to her of how futile and absurd is theoretical and supercilious charity. Her transformation is abrupt but effective, and the merry tale ends happily with Miss Philomena backing the ex-prize fighter and Democratic candidate for Alderman because he promises parks for children.

"The Brown Mare."

It has been many years since Alfred Ollivant wrote "Bob Son of Battle," and over-enthusiastic announcements assure those whom they reach that his new book, "The

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His last message fierce invective.

Mark Twain's posthumous novel, "The Mysterious Stranger," one of bitterest in the language.

MARK TWAIN'S POSTHUMOUS BOOK A MESSAGE OF DESPAIR.

The Great Jester, Speaking as if from Beyond the Grave, Declares Mankind is but "a Homeless Thought Wandering Forlorn Among the Empty Eternities"—"The Mysterious Stranger," Found in Manuscript after His Death, is as Bitter a Book as there is in the Language.

THE MYSTERIOUS STRANGER. By Mark Twain. Harper & Brothers, New York.

MARK TWAIN had long been dead when the manuscript of "The Mysterious Stranger" was found.

It is like an appalling message from the grave; and it was the Great Jester's last message to the world.

It was written when he stood on the heights of age and the glow of the last sunset was on his face.

Wherever the English language reached his name was honored.

He had searched the earth over, and in genial words that stirred tired men and women to mirth had made sport alike for vanities and difficulties.

He knew poverty and disaster.

He had been blasted by financial failures. But his spirit seemed indomitable. He had written the joyous books of childhood; and the heartening cheer never faded from his text though he wrote while the creditors' eager hands waited to seize the finished page.

And he had won—he had won everything that it seemed a man could desire to win. Ancient universities felt themselves honored when he accepted their degrees. Statesmen and financiers sought his companionship, men of letters proclaimed his greatness, and the people loved him with an affection that but few men have ever known.

Then he wrote "The Mysterious Stranger"—as bitter a book as there is in the language. His incomparable charm is on every page, but his message is one of despair, satirical, contemptuous, melancholy; proclaiming mankind lower than the brutes, utterly befuddled and without hope:

"Life itself is only a vision, a dream. Nothing exists; all is a dream. God—man—the world—the sun—the moon—the wilderness of stars—a dream, all a dream; they have no existence. Nothing exists save empty space—and you!"

The Medieval Age.

The story is placed in Austria in 1590. "It was the Middle Ages in Austria and promised to remain so forever. . . . It was still the Age of Belief in Austria. But they meant it as a compliment, not a slur, and it was so taken, and we were all proud of it."

In the village three boys live and play together. They know about the old astrologer "who lived in a tumbled old tower up the valley, and put in his night studying the stars. Everyone knew he could foretell wars and famines, though that was not so hard, for there was always a war and generally a famine somewhere."

They knew the priest, Father Adolf, "who had defied the devil" and had once intrepidly thrown his bottle of wine at him, "and there, upon the wall of his study was the ruddy splotch where it struck and broke;" and they knew Father Peter, who was suspended by the church for being accused of saying "that God was all goodness and would find a way to save all of his poor human children."

These boys had listened to the weird tales of an old soldier who had been at the siege of Vienna, who had seen ghosts and had met and talked with angels.

Then one day as the boys sit together under the trees a young stranger appears before them. He is an angel, one who appears to be about their own age, but who insists that he is 16,000 years old as mortals reckon time; but he seems to be only a boy. His name, he tells them, is Satan; and noticing their consternation, explains that the other Satan was his uncle, and that the Fall did not affect the rest of his family. "We others are still ignorant of sin; we are not able to commit it," he explained.

And as he talks, for the amusement of the boys he makes out of dirt a multitude of little men and women about two inches in height, and these miniature folk begin busily to clear off a small patch of ground and start to build a castle.

The Symbolic Tragedy.

"Two of the little workmen were quarreling, and in buzzing, little bumblebee voices they were cursing and swearing at each other; now came blows and blood; then they locked themselves together in a life-and-death struggle. Satan reached out his hand and crushed the life out of them with his fingers, threw them away, wiped the red from his fingers on his handkerchief and went on talking where he had left off: 'We cannot do wrong; neither have we any disposition to do it, for we do not know what it is.'

A few minutes later "the wives of the little dead men had found the crushed and shapeless bodies and were crying over them, and sobbing and lamenting, and a priest was kneeling there with his hands crossed upon his breast, praying; and crowds and crowds of pitying friends were massed about them, reverently uncovered, with their bare heads bowed, and many with the tears running down—a scene which Satan paid no attention to until the small noise of the weeping and praying began to annoy him; then he reached and took the heavy board seat from our swing and brought it down and mashed all those people into the earth just as if they had been flies," and he goes on talking just the same.

He says, when the boys protest, that it makes no difference; that he can create plenty more when he needs them.

The Blessings of Satan.

He takes the boys over the world. He shows them the past and the future. He describes what he saw at the creation of the world, and expresses the uttermost contempt for human beings who were made of clay and mud. When asked to bestow permanent earthly happiness upon Father Peter, who has been accused of thievery by the astrologer, the Angel gives the priest an insane delusion that he is an emperor. When asked to bless two friends, the Angel kills them, explaining that through death they evade a long life which he can see, by looking into the future, would have been filled with anguish.

In the panorama of history, the Angel shows them Cain murdering Abel; the flood; wars without end; Caesar invading Britain—"not that those barbarians had done him any harm, but because he wanted their land, and desired to confer the blessings of civilization upon their widows and orphans." Christianity and Civilization are shown marching hand in hand through the ages "leaving famine and death and desolation in their wake, and other signs of the progress of the human race," as Satan observes.

Civilization, Murder and Kings.

"You perceive," he said, "that you have made continual progress. Cain did his murder with a club; the Hebrews did their murder with javelins and swords; the Greeks and Romans added protective armor and the fine arts of military organization and generalship; the Christian added guns and gunpowder; a few centuries from now he will have so greatly improved the deadly effectiveness of his weapons of slaughter that all men will confess that without Christian civilization war must have remained a poor and trifling thing to the end of time. . . . It is remarkable progress. In 5000 or 6000 years five or six high civilizations have risen, flourished, commanded the wonder of the world, then faded out and disappeared; and not one of them except the latest ever invented any sweeping and adequate way of killing people. . . . You gain nothing; you always come out where you went in. For a million years the race has gone on monotonously propagating itself and monotonously reperforming this dull nonsense—to what end? No wisdom can guess! Who gets a profit out of it? Nobody but a parcel of usurping little monarchs and nobilities who despise you; would feel deified if you touched them; would shut the door in your face if you proposed to call; whom you slave for, fight for, die for, and are not ashamed of it, but proud; whose existence is a perpetual insult to you and you are afraid to resent it; who are mediocrats supported by your alms, yet assume toward you the airs of benefactor toward beggar; who address you in the language of master to slave, and are answered in the language of slave to master; who are worshiped by you with your mouth, while in your heart—if you have one—you despise yourself for it. The first man was a hypocrite and a coward, qualities which have not yet failed in his line; it is the foundation upon which all civilizations have been built."

No Sane Man Happy.

Satan, after striking the old priest with madness, declares that no sane man can be happy, for to him life is real and he sees what a fearful thing it is. Only the insane men can be happy, and not many of those. The few that imagine themselves kings or gods are happy, the rest are no happier than the sane. He adds: "Of course, no man is entirely in his right mind at any time, but I have been referring to the extreme cases."

Satan causes a woman's child to be drowned so that the little girl may escape a lifetime of shame and anguish. When the carpenter, to whom the mother is in debt, seizes the body so it may not have a Christian burial until his money is paid, "it drove the mother wild with grief and shame," and the boys ask Satan to interfere. But he said the carpenter and the rest were members of the human race and were acting quite neatly for that species of animal. He told them, however, that he would interfere if he found a horse acting in such a way, and that the boys must inform him when they came across that kind of a horse doing that kind of a human thing, so that he could stop it.

The boy, who acts as chronicler, says "we believed this was sarcasm, for of course there wasn't any such horse." Finally, at the boys' importuning, Satan does interfere so that the poor mother is burned at the stake for blasphemy. And when they express themselves as horrified, the Angel tranquilly explains "by this prompt death she gets twenty-nine years more of heaven than she is entitled to, and escapes twenty-nine years of misery here."

The Bitter, Tragic Message.

But in the end, Satan destroys even the hope of heaven. He says that nothing is real. That he himself is only a "thought"—a dream that has "revealed you to yourself and set you free."

"Strange that you should not have suspected years ago—centuries, ages, eons ago!—for you have existed companionless through all eternities. Strange, indeed, that you should not have suspected that your universe and its contents were only dreams, visions, fictions! Strange, because they are so frankly and hysterically insane—like all dreams: a God who could make good children as easily as bad, yet preferred to make bad ones; who

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MULTITUDE OF POETS MAKES SEASON MERRY WITH SONG.

Remarkable Sonnet Sequence by Olive Tilford Dargan in "The Cycle's Rim"—Emile Verhaeren Writes of "The Sunlit Hours" Before Belgium Days of Trial—Other Verses by Henry Herbert Knibbs—Edgar Lee Masters—James Oppenheim—Robert Frost. Lyman Bryson—B. H. Nadal and Katherine Howard.

FOR the most part, finding excellent sonnets is like searching for gems amid the ruins of a palace and one must poke about in the mould and debris where the poet had his workroom. It is not often that one discovers a necklace of flawless, perfectly-matched stones—it is less frequent that one comes upon a sequence of precious sonnets like those in Olive Tilford Dargan's "The Cycle's Rim" Charles Scribner's Sons.) which are addressed to one whose body lies in the sea, "rocked down with wave on wave," and to whose memory she lays her "leaf of laurel on the waves."

Her invocation is:

"O Love, that gave
The bird its wing, brown earth the quivering wood,
The fish its fin, a free sky to the slave,
And man his God, give me the song that breaks
Like buds from heart-sod—darts with pollen flying
To lips of lyric bloom, and silvery wakes
The trembling morrows, sweeter for that crying.
One deathless song—of all thy gifts the crown—
Flesh-call of lovers till Time's sun goes down."

We cannot believe that anything like the true quality of these intense songs of leashed emotion may be appreciated if the thirty-second sonnet is unread. It is:

"The tulip makes the months a rajah's walk;
Turbaned the cosaun comes, a nodding Ind;
Young dandelions squat upon their stalk
Like children at a show; the clouds float thinned,
A broken troop beneath the bannered sky;
But no heart beats in any flowering thing;
No little flames lie in cold eyes of dew.
By Heaven's care of man, this is not Spring!
The earth's in coffin, and these imps are called
To paint her cheeks and wreathe her head—cold hair;
And there's no mourner, no wild drops that scald
A pallid face, as though the tearless air
Her chill, rouged body drifts to charnel shore;
For Love dies first; and Grief can weep no more."

These are truly wonderful songs. The brilliant phrases again and again evoke admiration. Here is nothing commonplace and dull, for this singer is borne aloft on radiant wings. Consider:

"What fiery dust the stolid earth must hold,
So many passions have in her been laid!"

And:

"As one who stands beside a breaking sea
And fatuous strives with fainting voice to reach
Across the waves, where mild shores hidden be,
To charm the ear of dancers on the beach,
Would I sing now if now I sought to rhyme
Love's ocean-fixtures with immortal word
For lovers on the shores yet waiting Time;
But, keyed so frail, I, like that little bird
Whose song is gaily pitched above man's ear,
Shall not less happy sing though none may hear."

The grief-note is never absent, but no line is without courage. "The Cycle's Rim" has every sonnet in it crying out in tones that cannot be denied belief, that this is no simulated grief—no theme chosen merely for the poet's artifice. It is real. It is more than merely real: it is the rare adornment of reality with the iridescence of imagery. This is no black-robed grief. No. The poet has told for herself what it is:

"Sordid my life, they say, and they say true.
If the world's favor be life's only sun.
Here in the firelight where I bake and brew
None save immortals look me smilingly on.
Ah, only Heaven's vagrants! If I durst
Take mine own chair an angel must get up.
And, would I drink, ere I may ease my thirst
Celestial sips make bright my cabin cup.
But no silk robes trail hither for my sake.
And for my dear, he is a lord so poor,
His dreams are bare of gold. He can but take
A thread from Fate, and, leaving not his door,
If he there will, beneath a threshold vine,
Spin white eternity in one brief line."

So she speaks across the gulf to the loved one, and all who will may hear.

"The Sunlit Hours."

Emile Verhaeren's "The Sunlit Hours" (John Lane Company) is no recent work of the Belgian poet who flamed into fury when Liege fell. Here is a sequence of love poems, celebrating the ecstatic dalliance of lovers attuned. And he sings:

"O splendour of this joy of ours,
Worse of gold of the sunlit hours!"

—lines from which the verses, translated by Charles R. Murphy, take their title so reminiscent of the tranquillity in Belgium some thirty months ago.

Verhaeren is not by nature a martial singer. He loves the fields, the peasant's homely tragedies and the

". . . tranquil morning garden, where
Sinuous paths wind in the blue haze
Like swans upon the deep blue waterways."

These are verses of exquisite passion—singing a strong, pure, tender love. But the theme rises above the merely personal into

"This fair garden flowering to flame,
That seems the wondrous beauty to proclaim
Of that clear garden whereunto we cleave,
Is crystallised in frosted gold this eve.
A great white silence drops athwart the sky,
Out there where gleams a marble hue,
Whither, one by one, the tall trees stride,
Each with its shadow, long and blue
And lonely by its side.
No stir of wind; but soundlessly
The blanched veils of cold alone
Unfold themselves mysteriously
On the marshes' silver or the roads' white stone.
The stars are lustrous with desire;
Like furnished steel the rime
Within the cold, translucid air.
From some infinity sublime,
Across the paleness of a waning moon,
Falls shower on shower of fire—
Star-dust that there
Sinks in a scintillating swoon.
It is the hour divine, when wistfully
A million eyes look down upon the earth—
Upon the hazards of our human birth—
From out immutable eternity."

Thus it is that Verhaeren was wont to sing when the world was at peace.

"Riders of the Stars."

Henry Herbert Knibbs shows no signs of succumbing to the quirks of "vers libre;" and it would be incongruous to have songs of cowmen done in typographical spurts and splashes, for the men of the range loved even lines that rhymed as they chanted to the restless herd on storm-threatening nights. And Mr. Knibbs no doubt speaks true for the riders that have quit the open country and gone clattering up the golden stairs and down the golden streets when he records their petition before the "Throne Sublime" as:

"Give us a range and our horses and ropes;
Open the Pearly Gate,
And turn us loose in the unfenced blue,
riding the sunset rounds.
Hunting each stray in the Milky Way and
running the Rancho straight;
Not crowding the dogie stars too much on
the way to the bedding grounds.

"Maverick comets that's running wild, we'll
rope 'em and brand 'em fair,
So they'll quit stampeding the starry herd
and scaring the folks below.
And we'll save 'em prime for the round-up
time and we riders'll all be there,
Ready and willing to do our work as we
did in the long ago."

So that is why in his concluding stanza Mr. Knibbs asks:

"Have you heard in the starlit dusk of eve
when the lone coyotes roam,
The Yip! Yip! Yip! of a hunting-cry, and
the echo that shrilled afar,
As you listened still on a desert hill and
gazed at the twinkling dome,
And a viewless rider swept the sky on the
trail of a shooting star?"

Mr. Knibbs knows more than the spirit of the range, and has a faculty for description that is well illustrated in the opening lines of "Apuni Oyis:"

"There's a lodge in Arizona where the
rugged pines are marching
Straight and stalwart up the hillside till
they gather on the crest,
And around their feet the grasses and the
purple flowers are arching
In the dim and golden glamour of the sunlight in the West."

"The Trail-Makers" is a poem somewhat in the style of Robert Service celebrating the rugged conquests of Alaskans; "The Killer" is a short study of an outlaw that no doubt will be shocking to sensitive persons; and "Sunlight" is a poem based on the war and the part taken by a range-bred horse in France, while the closing lines fling scorn to neutrals, thus:

"So we have sold them our horses. What
shall we do with the gold?
Lay it on Charity's altar, purchasing columns of praise?
Noble indeed are our courses; running the
race as of old;
Why should we Mammonites falter? No-
bis indeed are our ways."

"Riders of the Stars" (Houghton Mifflin Company,) contains some two score poems, and all but two are based on some phases of the West.

"The Great Valley."

Edgar Lee Masters's work since "Spoon River Anthology" (a new edition of which has just been issued with illustrations by Oliver Herford,) seems very tame and unimpressive. The first editions of that curiously startling book are already selling for from $8 to $15. A few of the pieces in "The Great Valley" (The MacMillan Company,) are somewhat Spoonriverish, as "The Mourner's Bench," "Cato Braden" and "Winston Prairie" and perhaps "Monsieur D— to the Psychoanalist."

The studies, or rather impressions of Theodore Dreiser and John Cowper Powys are interesting. The impressions of Dreiser begin:

"Jack o' Lantern, tall shouldered.
One eye set higher than the other,
Mouth cut like a scallop in a pie,
Aslant showing powerful teeth.
Swaying above the heads of others.
Jubilant with fixed eyes, scarcely sparkling,
Moving about rhythmically, exploding in laughter.
Touching fingers together back and forth,
Or toying with a handkerchief.
And the eyes burn like a flame at the
end of a funnel.
And the ruddy face glows like a pumpkin
On Halloween!"

All of which may be quite "vivid," but fairly groans aloud with the effort to be so.

The lines on Powys are more complimentary, but as erratically expressed.

"The Typical American" and "Come, Republic" are entirely commonplace in the effort to satirize and to exhort America to nobler ideals.

The first ten selections are studies of pioneers in and around Chicago, and one readily discovers that they have in them the better workmanship and more sincerity than the others. In this group are "Fort Dearborn," "Capt. John Whistler," "Emily Brosseau: In Church," "The Ouija Board," "Hanging the Picture," "Lincoln and Douglas Debates," "Autochthon" and "Grant and Logan and Our Tears." A short poem worthy of notice is "Achilles Deatherbridge," which charmingly chronicles an episode in the Civil War.

"War and Laughter."

James Oppenheim is passionately but sophomorically concerned in "War and Laughter" (The Century Company,) with life, creeds, love and the usual bewailments of verse hopefully designed to be striking. A sense of incompleteness, not wholly due to the method of "free verse," characterizes his work. Much of it is like sketches hastily written and to be later painfully developed into something of value. But among these sketches often appear passages that grab the admiration, as these lines from "Laughter:"

"As Sunday is the Sabbath, a day of holy
unctions,
I said, I will go visit the solemn ones:
They whose mouths are turned down at
the corners, and whose glassy eyes
never wink nor gleam:
I will visit, not the worshipers in a
Church:
I will go visit the fishes.
Crowded was the aquarium:
On one side the glass, the people; on the
other, the solemn cods.
I stood and marveled at the miracle of
their gravity.
You see, they wave their fins, open their
mouths,
And hang suspended in bubbling waters;
The circle of their flat eyes leaves a little without life:
They are neither happy nor unhappy.
I knew they were fishes; but did they know
they were fishes?
No, nor even that I, watching them, was
a man!"

Much of the contents, despite the typographical form, is sheer prose; and, as "Adventures in Darkness," not very good prose.

Among the sonnets included one is distinctively better than the others, and well worth quoting:

"Now, golden October, crowned with the
grape, is singing,
While the javelin winds against the woods
are hurled,
Glorious from the blue the sun is flinging
His radia-rinsed brilliance on the vivid
world;
And the wine-mad month in red and gold
regalia,
Scattering leaves, sowing valley and hill,
Goes out dancing to death in a Bac hanalia
Laughing, singing, for she dies with a
will.
Fully lived has the year, so she dies in
laughter:
For all that spends itself, is ready for
death
O my beloved, let us live hereafter.
Pour ourselves in each other, spend our
breath,
Love in the uttermost loving, so that when
quaffing
Death's black liquor, we toast one another, laughing."

But for the most part the section called "Rhymes" shows very clearly why Mr. Oppenheim has a right to prefer the "free verse" form, which as yet has brought forth so few poets of stature that the little fellows, of whom there are a multitude, may strut about without appearing so very diminutive.

"The Golden Book of Sonnets."

"Scorn not the sonnet. Critic, you have frowned,
Mindless of its just honors; with this key
Shakespeare unlocked his heart"—

and, though Browning said that Shakespeare did nothing of the kind, yet Wordsworth's injunction to the critic is particularly apt for an age that blandishes its antics under the foreign name of "vers libre." Good Master Slender wished at the Castle Windsor that "rather than forty shillings I had my Book of Songs and Sonnets here," whereas if this wise man who set sonnets before shillings had been familiar with William Robertson's edition of "The Golden Book of Sonnets" (J. B. Lippincott Company,) he might not have stayed to see Falstaff get into trouble with the Merry Wives, but would have hied himself straight back to his library.

Herein gathered are sonnets from Sydney to Symonds—aye, more, from Sir Thomas Wyatt, who died in 1542, to Richard Le Gallienne, who still makes glad the hearts of those that like the tune of his lyre. Some 250 treasures are between the covers, and we know of no place in the same compass where may be found such wealth of graceful phrasing or so many unblemished songs.

Here Keats declares, "the poetry of earth is never dead;" and Christina Rossetti asks to be remembered when she is "gone far away into the silent land;" Elizabeth Barrett Browning offers tribute to her great lover and enjoins; "Open thine heart wide, and fold within the wet wings of thy dove;" and Andrew Lang speaks to Homer thus:

"As one that for a weary space has lain
Lulled by the song of Circe and her wine
In gardens near the pale of Proserpine,
Where the Aegean Isle forgets the main,
And only the low lutes of love complain,
And only shadows of wan lovers pine—
As such an one were glad to know the brine
Salt on his lips, and the large air again—
So gladly, from the songs of modern speech
Men turn and see the stars, and feel the free
Shrill wind beyond the close of heavy flowers,
And through the music of the languid hours,
They hear like ocean on a western beach
The surge and thunder of the Odyssey."

Here, too, Swinburne's phrases with winged alliteration soar in tribute to Browning; and Byron fiercely cries the tyranny of Chillon. A noble assemblance, indeed, with Shelley, Donne, Coleridge, Southey, Watts-Dunton, old Drayton and young Philip Marston, Shakespeare and Francis Thompson and some two score more illustrious ones, each offering the choicest of his sonnets.

"Mountain Interval."

Robert Frost has been one of the most highly-praised of the new poets, gathering to himself the admiration of those who cannot become enthusiastic over the various poetic sects that have some kind of an "ism" in their verse. His is a slow beating, firm pulse, as was shown in "North of Boston" and is even more noticeable in "Mountain Interval" (Henry Holt & Co.)

These opening lines from "Birches" are typical and show, we believe—though we have little admiration for his style—his descriptive ability at its best:

"When I see birches to left and right
Across the lines of straighter, darker trees,
I like to think some boy's been swinging them.
But swinging doesn't bend them down to stay.
Ice-storms do that. Often you must have seen them
Loaded with ice a sunny winter morning
After a rain. They click upon themselves
As the breeze rises, and turn many-colored
As the stir cracks and crazes their enamel.
Soon the sun's warmth makes them shed crystal shells
Shattering and avalanching on the snow-crust—
Such heaps of broken glass to sweep away
You'd think the inner dome of heaven had fallen."

It is visible enough that such lines have a quality above common prose; and his narrative poems, as "In the Home Stretch" and "Snow" have much that is attractive, but they are so drab of theme and so depressed in feeling that one is likely to think of them as rather homely things to be wearing the garments of poetry.

Even rhyme does not wing his lines. Mr. Frost chooses deliberately—of that there can be no question—the lowly themes, the commonplace, as "The Cow in Apple Time:"

"Something inspires the only cow of late
To make no more of a wall than an open gate,
And think no more of wall-builders than fools.
Her face is flecked with pomace and she drools
A cider syrup. Having tasted fruit,
She scorns a pasture withering to the root,
She runs from tree to tree where lie and sweeten
The windfalls spiked with stubble and worm-eaten.
She leaves them bitten when she has to fly.
She bellows on a knoll against the sky.
Her udders shrivel and the milk goes dry."

Surely the lovers of rusticity can ask for nothing more than that—or than the whole of "Mountain Interval."

"Smoky Roses."

He would indeed be captious, who, searching among Lyman Bryson's "Smoky Roses" (G. P. Putnam's Sons) found nothing whatever to please his fancy, for here is variety indeed: verse with a mission tinged with the sociological, and verse of strange fantasy, narrative verse that tells a story entertaining to the ear in phrases that do not offend; but most daring of all is the mood in which Mr. Bryson has, without drawing a curse upon his effort, written a companion piece to one of the greatest of poems, "Andrea Del Sarto," but it is hardly worth quoting.

A simple and short poem of interest is "Vengeance:"

"I sent my enemy to Hell
And, for the evil he had done
To me and everyone
Who came within his cruel clutch,
They made him suffer overmuch.

"Then, after he had burned a while,
I went to visit Hell again,
To smile at him in pain.
"I made me see his face all singed;
I'll not forget—now he's revenged."

"The Garment" is of a theme that has been in the work of many poets lately who seem to have undergone a revulsion toward "sweat shop" goods. "Old Man Laks" is a good as well as typical example of the new realism in verse, and its lines are swift and its phrases vivid. We find however more pleasure in his exotic and colorful verse, which is illustrated by "The Poppy:"

"Astarte's face in the blood-red moon
astare.
No breath—all silence in the heated gloom.
Shuddering in a swoon the passionate air
Holds in a garden as a narrow room;
And down the path, the bending poppy-bloom
Burns through the velvet dusk a crimson flare.

"The poppy has no words but potent fire,
Bold in the darkness, rises in her heart,
Makes throbbing anguish of her soul, entire;
Scars the thin petals of her face apart.

"An alien wind is questing on the path;
The swinging, swaying poppy petals hold
A languor that no other love-flower hath.
The stranger wind knows how the tale is told.
Scatters the poppy suddenly, with cold—
Astarte's needs the magic of futile wrath."

We do not quite get the sense of all that, but the words are attractive, the phrasing vivid, and it seems that it must have some tangible sense which has escaped us. In which case, it is a fine poem.

"Friendship and Other Poems."

A poet should take his lady's eyebrows seriously and not mistreat the limping Muse. But B. H. Nadal in "Friendship and Other Poems" (Robert J. Shores, New York) has many satirical poems and chief among these is his "Ode to Vers Libre" which begins:

"Oh, careless muse, uncombed if nothing
worse,
A kitchen maid—the Mary Ann of verse,
Pounding raw steak, rattling each pot
and pan
And bearing tattooes on the garbage can
So seldom sweet or fair, you say you sing
While jangling discords makes the welkin
ring;
Virile at times—poetical by chance,
A rhythmic rival of St. Vitus dance.

"Be occult, mystic, cryptic if you like
Oh, Hobo of the soul! Oh, tramp upon
life's hike!
Be graphic, bold, be free, be anything,
But don't, oh slattern Muse, attempt to
sing."

All of which brands him as a "reactionary."

There is much serious verse in the slender volume, though none of it is passionate. A poem of more strength than the others seems to us to be "The Statue Speaks;" and "Warning!—The Lusitania" is in parts vivid and stirring, but the poem as a whole is somewhat emasculated by the foreword. Except in those which are designed as invective—and Mr. Nadal is quite intense—there is a shimmering, satirical humor that dispels a critical scrutiny of his poetical forms which, though occasionally much better than the average, are not of the best.

"Wild Earth and Other Poems."

Padraic Colum's "Wild Earth and Other Poems" (Henry Holt & Co.) are for the most part poems of peasantry and belong to that school which finds "great beauty in simplicity" and places no particular value on vivid phrasing or imaginative qualities, nor yet in swift dramatic touches.

An exception to this is "The Ballad of Downal Baun," which is more strongly pervaded with the eerie quality that is somewhat associated with the Irish verse; and this ballad sings the adventure of Downal, "the silent man" who went to a fair and bought a black ox.

A typical poem with a little more music in it than most of the others is "Across the Floor:"

"The fiddles were playing and playing,
The couples were out on the floor;
From converse and dancing he drew me,
And across the door.

"Ah! strange were the dim, wide meadows,
And strange was the cloud-strewn sky,
And strange in the meadows the corn-brakes,
And they making cry!

"The hawthorn bloom was by us,
Around us the breath of the south,
White hawthorn, strange in the night-time—
His kiss on my mouth!"

"Polonius and the Ballad Singers" is a piece of distinctive value; but the most of the verse is quite commonplace.

"The Little God."

As anyone would expect M at all familiar with Katherine Howard's "The Book of the Serpent," this latest book is full of whimsy, strange, fleeting visions. "The Little God" is called "child verse for grown-ups." It is all very simple and quite ridiculous no doubt—just as childhood is—as may be glimpsed from "Violets:"

"I just ate six violets,
'Cause they tasted good;
I hope they understood.
I hope they know
It was because I loved them so.
I've been wondering how
The taste gets in;
I've been wondering how
The smell gets out.
Mother says I've worn her out
Asking why and what it's all about;
She said I'd understand sometime—
I'll be told when I'm enough old."

"Tags" is much more characteristic of the author's mood and style. The child says.

"The gardener put tags on my flowers:
'Labels,' he said—I took them off.
Mother doesn't know what's got into my head;
I acted like a wildflower, she said.

"I don't know—
I didn't like them, so—I took them off.
I'm not to do so any more:
I've promised—'cause I tore
Them all first go.
We don't like tags, the flowers and me."

"The Little God" (Sherman French & Co.) contains scores of these little speeches—exquisite gossip from a child's lips—which explains about flowers and birds and weeds and other mysteries of the garden.

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IBSEN'S "BRAND."

BRAND. By Henrik Ibsen. Translated by Miles M. Dawson. The Four Seas Company, Boston.

Miles M. Dawson was authorized a quarter of a century ago to translate "Brand" into English verse after Ibsen had read the first draft of the translation. Edmund Gosse has galled "Brand" "one of the great poems of the world;" and though it is very well known in this country that Ibsen is considered a great poet by his own people, the efforts to transmute his poetry into English have not been adequate to cause us to associate Ibsen the poet with, or as anything like comparable to, Ibsen the dramatist.

Mr. Dawson does much to rectify that discrepancy. His translation of "Brand" is admirable poetry. The glowing fierceness of "Brand" as a mighty tragedy is in his lines.

The tragedy itself is well known. Ibsen struck with a two-edged sword at religious practices; at those who compromise and at those who are uncompromising. Pastor Brand is the apotheosis of fanaticism. "I am no ranting sermonizer," he cries. No. He worships God fiercely, disdaining creeds and churches, abjuring comfort and ease. He crosses a storm-beaten lake to shrive a dying man; he spurns his avaricious mother, demanding that she give up her hoarded pittance on the threat that he will not visit her when she is dying; he will not leave his bleak parish even to save the life of his child, and after its death he forces his wife to give her choicest mementoes to a wretched fallen woman, then tells his stricken wife that because she gave them unwillingly she might as well have cast them into the sea. He builds a new church, but growing disgusted with the worshipers—temporising and dilatory and compromising—he closes the doors, throws away the key and starts off with those who dare follow him toward the mountains. His followers grow a-weary and stone him—but he pushes on, madly on, until he is buried beneath an avalanche.

"If want breeds not spirit,
'Tis not worth while the pack to save."

may be taken as Brand's philosophy. He curses the weak-spirited, the compromiser. He is puzzled by what responsibility for weakness may be placed on heredity, or what causes and extenuations there may be for crime; but after troubled meditation, he disposes of all that with:

"Riddle deep and dark as hell!
No one can your meaning tell.
But along the sheer abyss
Dances on the witless crowd.
Souls should tremble, cry aloud,
But of all scarce one sees this:
What great obligations grow
From the fact: 'I live.'"

One of the striking passages in which the translating poet has certainly not offended the original occurs when Brand reproaches his mother for her greed, and recounts an incident remembered from childhood. He tells her that he has a horrified conception of her—

"From an experience when a boy;
That memory time cannot destroy,
It scars, disfigures and disgraces
The soul, as hateful do men's faces.

"One autumn evening, father dead
And you sick unto death, in bed,
I tiptoed in to where he lay,
Ghastly beneath the candle's ray,
I stood there, staring from a nook,
And saw he held a prayer-book.
His trance surprised me most of all.
And now his wrist had grown so small.
I recognized there very well
Fresh-ironed linen's pungent smell.
Then heard I footsteps on the stair;
A woman entered; unaware
That I was present, sought the bed.

"She rummaged, searched the body o'er.
First did she move the dead man's head,
Drew forth a bundle—two—three—four!
She counted—whispered 'More! More!
More!'
She dug one package out from under
The pillow, corded, knotted, bound.
With eager hands she stripped and tore
And with her teeth rent this asunder.
She searched again and more she found.
She counted. . . Muttered: 'More!
More! More!'
She wept, she prayed, spluttered, swore;
And, like a hound she seemed to trace
By smell each secret hiding place.
Each hiding place was drained at last
And with her treasure she shunk past,
With greed unsated left the room
Like one sent forth to meet his doom.
The treasure in a cloth she laid
And stood there, sighing: 'That was all!'"

Brand's Christianity is unreasoning. He is of the stuff that martyrs are made; but fanatics also. There is nobility in his offer of shelter to the wretched harlot who enters with a babe in her arms, and in his exhortation:

"Woman, let your child be freed
From the wild life that you lead,
Be redeemed, from sin upraised.
And the brand from him erased!"

But the woman scornfully answers:

"Much you know of the affair!
Such a miracle none can
Ever compass as reclaim him—
'Tis not possible for man!
War on you who did disclaim him!
Where I bore him—know you where?
'Twas a filthy ditch along
Where was drinking, ribald song;
In the slush baptised and mire,
Crossed with coals left from the fire,
Fed from spirit-flask before
From my bosom. When I bore,
Men stood 'round us two and more.
Know you who these were? His father—
Or, indeed, his fathers, rather?"

But Brand is not disgusted. The vile speech does not repress his feeling of what is his duty, and he calls upon his wife and asks if it is "not clear what should be your duty here?" And she with breaking heart parts with the treasured clothing that wrapped her own babe. Though Brand was quick enough to rebuke his mother for greed, he upholds the harlot when she cries out for more, after the wife has parted with only half of her treasures.

And when the woman is gone he turns on his wife and asks: "Was it willingly you gave?" and hearing her answer, he retorts:

"Your gift's cast in the sea
And the law's unsatisfied!"

Indeed, indeed, it is a strong drama, and Mr. Dawson has done splendid work with it.

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"War."

IT IS the thirty or fewer words in the stage directions which close the play that make Michael Artzibashef's "War" (Alfred A. Knopf) a tremendous drama. The final and unspoken sentence is the keystone in the tragic arch and gives the plot strength and unity. It is slipped into place so abruptly, so swiftly that one is astonished to see what but a moment before appeared to be a heap of ideographic stones suddenly become a symmetrical and imposing structure.

The play, translated by Thomas Seltzer, is in four acts, the first of which is nothing but a prologue which, besides what utility it may have in introducing the characters, is for no other purpose than to show the contrast between a household when the country is at peace and the same household when the country is at war, and women are weeping and fearful because their men must go to the front.

The role of Asya is scarcely less important than that of Nina, who, more than any of the others, has the play revolve around her. Semyonov, the consumptive student, is reminiscent of Sanine, the titular hero of the novel that made Artzibashef known in America. He is of a higher moral type than Sanine, but as bluntly speaks his mind. When Asya is weeping because her beloved Volodya, brother of Nina, is ready to enlist, Semyonov horrifies her ears by remarking that he is thinking only of Daue, a young officer of great musical talent whose death would be a loss to the world.

"You are all heroines," he says to her, "until it strikes home. It's Daue and none but Daue, that I am sorry for. He is worth all the Volodyas in the world put together. If Daue should be killed it would be a genuine loss.

Asya: You are not sorry for the others, Semyonov; For some I am; for others I am not. For your Volodya, for example, I am not. Upon my word, I'm not.

Asya (indignantly:) Aren't you ashamed of yourself, Repeat!

Semyonov: Why should I be? It is only to you that he is so precious. But for humanity to be minus one Volodya is really no loss.

Asya: Why, he is your friend.

Semyonov (darkly:) I have no friend.

Asya: So much the worse for you.

Semyonov: Perhaps. But try to look at it objectively. All right; Volodya remains at home, goes through the university, becomes an instructor in mathematics, marries you, begets children. What boredom! Is it worth being born into the world for that?

The last speech is entirely typical of Russian pessimism; but in this instance Semyonov is embittered because he in vain loves Asya.

In much the same way Prince Voronetzky has in vain loved Nina, the wife of Vladimir Aleksandrovich, an officer. The Prince is neither morally scrupulous nor courageous. Only he, Nina's aged father and the consumptive Semyonov, who is too weak for war, are among the men that remain. Daue bids his violin a passionate farewell. Vladimir tears himself from the weeping Nina. Volodya pushes the entreating arms of Asya aside and enlists, as becomes the son of an old warrior who has explained petulantly to Nina when she, thinking of her individual happiness, protests against war.

"Only Russia's enemies can speak that way. (Striking the table with his fist.) In such a time as this we have no right to speak about our own personal love. We have no right to argue and reason. . . . We must all go and die, and we mustn't reason about it. I am an old man, but should it become necessary, I will go without question, because the whole of Russia, my country, needs my life. What are you in comparison to the destiny of Russia?"

Nina is lonesome and sorrowful and the Prince offers his comfort, which is refused. She is loyal to her husband. She looks forward to seeing him again. Then comes the news of Daue's death; and she exclaims, "How terrible war is!"

The Prince, comfortably remote from the battle front, answers bravely:

"Yes, it is terrible. And yet there is a great deal of tragic beauty in it. I don't know how it is, but I feel drawn to the war myself; something pulls me to it.

Semyonov (who has overheard, speaking in an undertone:) It seems to be a very artificial form of attraction.

Prince: What is life here? It is not even a game; it is just a long-drawn-out agony. We don't live here; we just exist. . . . But there, face to face with death, the everyday shell drops off, and man becomes that which he ought always to be—the tragic bearer of heroic ideas. . . . It may seem strange, perhaps, but I honestly envy those who are in the thick of it. There is movement, fight, real life out there.

But the Prince gets no nearer the battle lines than the comfortable household of Nina's father.

Comes then news that Volodya has been killed and his body is being brought back for burial. Even Semyonov is no longer sardonic. Distress fills the household—but the Prince talks to Nina of love, and is repulsed. But she even becomes happy because news is brought that her husband has been wounded and is soon to be home.

Semyonov: Yes, you are lucky, after all.

Nina: He is wounded, though.

Semyonov: What if he is? The wound will heal. You know, it's even better so. If he hadn't been wounded he might have been killed later. Now it's all over. Even if he should want to go again he is cured, you won't let him. In the meantime the war will end, and then you can begin to live. With the cross of St. George, all roads are open to him. He can get anything he wants. You'll move to Petrograd—I can't for the life of me get used to that name—Petrograd.

Nina (smiling gaily:) No, no; I won't let him go again. Let others go now. Vladimir has done his part.

Semyonov: And has distinguished himself doing it, too.

Nina (radiant:) Try as I may, I can't imagine Vladimir in war—a hero—under fire. As I see him, he is just a plain, dear man.

Vladimir, the hero, her husband, is carried into the room before Nina and placed in a chair. The blanket with which he is covered slips off and shows the stumps of his legs wrapped up in white, formless, ugly rags. Vladimir puts out his hand to her and eagerly calls: "Nina!"

Then says the stage direction: "Nina starts back from him in terror, reels. And falls straight into

"The Road Together."

George Middleton's four act play "The Road Together" (Henry Holt & Co.) is, notwithstanding his repeated trick of allowing people to overhear what other people say, in point of technique the best that he has written. The development is surprisingly rapid, each act complete as an act should be, the dialogue is natural and interesting, the characters have personality—but their psychology makes one pause, not incredulous, but hesitate and wonder.

After ten years of comfortable married life, Dora, the wife of Wallace Kent, district attorney, discovers that her husband, who aspires to a seat on the Federal bench, is not so intrinsically honest as she had believed. She further discovers that her very dear friend, Julia Deering, has secretly—honorably—been long in love with Wallace. This is revealed when Julia urges Dora to meet Safford again, a man whom Dora had sent away after being strongly tempted to go with him. In the process of ferreting from Kent the political deal which would mean his appointment to the judgeship, Dora is nearly overwhelmed to find that her husband has long been in love with Julia, though he does not suspect that she loves him. Dora has ceased to love Safford, but pretends otherwise.

That complication seems a little theatric, no more so perhaps than is permissible in work designed for the theater. Kent accuses Dora of being a "wanton" for having "lived a lie" with him, admits that he also has "lived a lie" with her, but blames her extravagance for the financial embarrassment in which he find himself. Dora tells him to go to Julia and be happy. She also goes to Julia to ask that she, Julia, not reveal to Kent that she, Dora, no longer loves Safford. Julia, finding that she can now have the man she has long loved, discourses thus:

"Listen, Dora! Because he was unattainable he filled my thoughts; yet when he came to me I saw clearly what all the years of thought unconsciously had done. They had bound you to him in my eyes; always the thought of him had also been the thought of you, because you two were man and wife and I was an outsider. . . . Dora, you have lived with the thought of Wallace, but you have lived with the man. You said it all that day in a few words. You've shared the daily habit of living; you've walked beside him; he's held your hand; you've eaten at the same table; moved in the same room; sat by each other's bed in illness and shared the hidden intimacies while I lay in the night alone. And then his work. I could never be a part of that. It isn't my sort. This all means something more than what he and I have felt for each other."

When Kent comes in upon them and insists upon telling Julia the truth about his corrupt political deal, Dora tries to protect, calling upon Julia not to believe him, and saying that her extravagance had forced her husband to do it.

The result is that Julia now realizing that Kent has been a "thought" rather than a lover, goes away; and Dora and Kent are somewhat reconciled in the midst of stripping their house while preparing to separate.

Dora and Julia are the apotheosis of the "new" women; the generous, altruistic, thinking women, who are no longer jealous of each other when both love the same man and want him. Such women would never do murder. They are not women of passion. They overcome the so-called primal impulse. And as such women they are interesting—but not entirely convincing.

"Moloch."

Beulah Marie Dix, with the laudable purpose of making war repugnant, has written "Moloch" (Alfred A. Knopf,) a play in three acts, a prologue and an epilogue. It is overloaded with mechanical horrors. The scenes are not laced together with a vital story. As a sequence of pictures — tableau — in which the same people appear before, during and after the war, it is no doubt very valuable to the pacificists. The author treats war as an abstraction. She doesn't differentiate between the aggressor and the defenders of their hearthstones. The enemy is called "the foreigners;" she shows the individual sufferings—and ignores the factor of national destiny, the protectorate of weaker countries, the ideals of a free land. These remarks are pertinent because hers is a thesis in dramatic form, and not a drama despite the fact that it has been produced by the excellent company of Holbrook Blinn.

When war is declared Robert's friend (the characters have no country or nationality,) being a "foreigner" leaves the family he has been visiting and the girl he loves, and returns to his own country to fight the country of his guests. The invaders come, and a lieutenant is murdered by a half-crazed woman in Robert's home. The house is burned and his wife and father are turned out into the cold. Robert, an officer at the front, captures and tortures an enemy's aviator who has accidentally dropped a bomb on a Red Cross train. The aviator is Robert's friend, who is so badly burned as not to be recognizable.

After that war is over, when Robert and his brother are wounded and no longer fit for service, his country finds that the allies have been dishonorable, so an alliance is made with the erstwhile enemy and together they war against the erstwhile ally of Robert's country.

"Moloch" is just the sort of slush to appeal to those who study the froth on the current of events without knowing or caring for the tidal surge that makes the currents. There are people, and lots of them outside of America—in Belgium for instance—who would rather suffer all the theatric horrors that "Moloch" conjures up than have such "blessings" as non-resistance brings.

"The Woman Who Wouldn't."

G. P. Putnam's Sons announced "The Woman Who Wouldn't" as "harsh, brutal, strong," they defined it very well. It is the sort of a play one expects from Rose Pastor Stokes, who, though she uses a familiar theme in a familiar way, has put new harshness, new brutality and new strength into the story of the poverty-stricken laborer's family.

It is sordid, and some people may think it disgusting. But the author has writen it well and the time will come—we hope—when nothing more than good work will be demanded of the artist; and nothing but badly written lines and poorly drawn characters will be disgusting in literature. None of these are in "The Woman Who Wouldn't." The material is old, the viewpoint even of Mary Lacey in the third act, when she is proud of her illegitimate child, is not new.

The scene is laid in a workingman's home in a small milling town in Pennsylvania and the first two acts show the Lacey home suffering from the effects of a long continued strike. The action of the play develops around Mary, a young girl of 19, who sends away Joe, the boy she loves, though he is willing to do the "honorable thing" by her even though he admits that he does not longer love her.

The mother, Mrs. Lacey, is a long-suffering Christian woman who pathetically believes the Lord will provide though no food is in the cupboard and coal must be borrowed by a half-bucketful from the neighbors. The father scorns the idea of a God caring what happens; but rises in an orthodox temper and strikes his daughter when he finds that she is pregnant. To evade being forced into marriage, Mary runs away from home.

Eight years later she returns, famous as "The Mother"—so-called by the workingmen over the country because of her speeches. She finds her father injured and with spirit crushed, her mother dead, her sister still pitifully struggling to get along. The child is with her. She tells them, even the child, that Joe is the father; and he offers—wants—to marry her; but in a friendly way, she refuses. She is contented, she is not ashamed.

We submit that that is not an easy situation to sustain with anything like dramaturgical dignity. The impulse is to rise up and call the idea "damnable." Perhaps the idea is. Ministers and good people who know about such things must pass on that. We are concerned with the dramaturgical features; and they are excellent. Considering how old, how worn, how hackneyed is the material used, "The Woman Who Wouldn't" is a remarkable play. And though it is designed as a thesis play, the thesis is in the body of the action rather than in the matter of the characters.

"Four Short Plays."

Charles Frederic Nirdlinger, author of "The World and His Wife," and many other plays that have been produced with success, offers "Four Short Plays" (Mitchell Kennerley) for the amusement of those who like comedy in one act.

Of these, "Aren't They Wonders?" is perhaps the most entertaining. It is put together with a dramaturgical dexterity quite rare and though the play is highly "unethical," since neither the woman who deceives her husband nor the young employee who also deceives him is punished, yet it is good comedy. Miss Kaye, the stenographer in the same office with Tom Farrer, cleverly baffles the wife of their employer when she attempts to arrange it so Tom and she will be together—alone—for the New Year's celebration. The two women are the "wonders," and the titular question must be answered emphatically in the affirmative.

"Looking After Louise" is another satirical study of woman, showing the adroitness with which she will discard one lover and take on another even while pretending to be the soul of honor and being, in fact, so scrupulous that she cannot bear to hurt the feelings of the one whom she is discarding. Such injury to his feelings is quite neatly evaded by lies.

"The Real People" is a rather topsy-turvy burlesque showing a vaudeville troupe at rehearsal and after rehearsal. Right under the nose of the audience bloody and apparently serious tragedy is suddenly transformed into comedy; and it is to be hoped that the effect on the stage will be more striking than in print.

"Big Kate" is written around the popular conception of Catherine of Russia, showing her tempestuous and volatile passions, her hysterical temper and the intrigue by which a supposedly English schoolmaster (who is really a diplomat trying to persuade her to furnish Cossacks to George III to fight American revolutionists) evades becoming her husband.

Three of these plays, and one in particular, show the one-act play at perhaps the most dexterous phase to which it has been developed in this country. Mr. Nirdlinger is a clever craftsman and he is at his cleverest in "Aren't They Wonders?"

"Duty and Other Irish Comedies."

Sheumas O'Brien calls "Duty" (Little, Brown & Co.) and the other four plays in the book "comedies," but they are ironically comic. Two of them, "Duty" and "Jurisprudence," might as well be called satires.

The former, "Duty," presents the predicament of an old woman breaking the law by selling liquor at her public house after closing hours. The Head Constable wheedles a drink from her, and he is driven into concealment by the approach of the Sergeant, who also wheedles a drink from her. The Sergeant, fearful of discovery, goes into concealment when the Constable enters. He too coaxes a drink from her. Then when the three dignitaries of the law have discovered one another they find that she has sold drinks to two civilians, and the civilians are haled off to jail while the Head Constable in the name of his "Duty" informs the unfortunate old lady that he will prefer charges against her.

"Jurisprudence" also gets its dramaturgical energy from potent liquor. The magistrate fines the de-

to discover that this liquor has been purchased for "Scotch Whisky" in the very store of which the magistrate is himself the proprietor.

"Magnanimity" shows what poor chances honest and guileless folk have against the machinations of the wicked. When a stranger in the public house offers Bernard Flavey a good coat in exchange for an old one, Flavey is overcome with gratitude, little thinking that the coat he obtains is one which the police, on the trail of a burglar, are seeking. And when Garret Devlin writes a letter of recommendation for Flavey, and purchases a watch at a bargain from a stranger, he little realizes that his magnanimity will establish him as an accomplice in the burglary.

"Matchmakers" is a farce revealing the pomposity and subsequent humiliation of Denis Delahunty and wife when they find that the news of Denis being elevated to a title is unfounded, and that Kitty Corcoran is therefore not so beneath their son as they had thought.

"Retribution" could be played only with Irish characters. No other people would be generous enough to strip their trousers and send them out with a friend to pawn; no other friend would drink the money up and then return to explain how it slipped through his fingers; no other mutual friend would be plausible enough to persuade the second party to entrust his last bit of clothing on the road to the pawnbrokers.

The plays are amusing, but their development is somewhat jerky. They are more on the order of farce in that they do not convey a strong sense of probability.

AMERICAN NOVELS FOR AMERICANS.

Rupert Hughes, One of the Finest of American Novelists, Tells what He Thinks of the Fad for Russian Books.

BY RUPERT HUGHES.

When, as a boy in Missouri and Iowa, I used to be invited to eat at another boy's house occasionally, I noticed a delightful flavor about the alien food that was lacking at home. As a matter of fact, our own food was equally good and probably better; at least, the boys from other homes eating at mine said so.

Later I realized that, next to hunger, there is no better sauce than novelty. I was crediting other folks' food with virtues it did not possess; bringing to it what I found in it.

People who read books are subject to this same palatal fallacy. Fed up on American life and its representations in fiction, they take up an English or a Russian novel and are greatly excited. They wonder why American fiction lacks the brilliance and profundity of foreign fiction. They write doleful essays explaining the reasons. The usual explanation, repeated till it nauseates with its parrot squawks, is that Americans write in haste and for money. This was said of authors before America was discovered and is as true of one country as of another.

Only today I find in the New Republic a few melodious tears shed by John R. Dos Passos, who contrasts two American women with Russian women and admits that American fiction is pitiably inferior to Russian. I can't and don't read Russian periodicals, but I know enough about Russia at second hand and about humanity at first hand, to feel safe in declaring that this same essay has been written in reverse by Russians complaining of the morbid repetition of unhealthy patterns in Russian fiction as contrasted with the fresh, vivid, unfettered style of the Americans.

Reading the biographies of the great Russians I am struck by their poor success at home and their bitter sufferings at the hands of native critics who cried up foreign wares. Also I know that American fiction circulates to an enormous degree in Russia.

Many years ago a man I knew came back from a visit to Russia with the overwhelming statement that a Russian princess, a great reader, too, had told him that my book, "The Real New York," was the best book she had read that year. Now "The Real New York" was only a guide book with a very poor coating of fiction. The lady in Russia was tired of reading about the steppes and the serfs and the Knouts and the suicide syndicates, and about chateaux and schlossen and week-ends and curates. She was thrilled by my descriptions of the horrors of Coney Island; the curious ethics of the "family entrance" open on Sundays when the front doors were closed to vodka devotees; the elevated trains; the parks in the slums, Riverside drive by moonlight, and other things unknown in Russia. In this country these were stale topics and for quaintness one had to read about Moscow or Delhi or Whitechapel road. A corner saloon is hopelessly stupid to the average American reviewer. There is something fascinating about a "pub" or a bottega; a "dollar" seems plebeian, a "quarter" is trash; a "half crown" is literature and a "pistole" or a "sou" is romance. But it is only our fatigue of home things that makes us feel this way, and the business of American novelists is with dollars and saloons and other things that occupy so much the national soul.

At times when I read the Russian masters (all honor to them) there is something irresistibly appealing about dialogue like this as I get it through a translation darkly:

"A prosperous morn to the biptchka (a footnote usually explains this as meaning little mother;) and dost thou suffer still with thy shtchemkvds (a painful ailment) so hateful to God?"

I read that and spurn the cheap American stupidity of "Mornin,' mav' is that goldurned rheumatis nibblin' at ye yit?"

Yet the latter is an exact translation of the former and exactly as artistic, vivid and true and it took as much of a genius to transcribe it.

The trouble with American fiction is that, like all other national expressions, it grows monotonous when unrelieved by travel. When I have read several Russian books in succession, I find them ludicrously morose, imitative, sophomoric, mock-heroic burlesques of Hamlet at his most hopeless hour. I turn to the infinite variety, sanity, democracy, tenderness, wit, pathos and gentle mysticism of American fiction. After I have read persistently the American magazines and novels,

CATCHING SIMILES.

A DICTIONARY OF SIMILES. By Frank J. Wilstach. Little, Brown & Co., Boston.

"If our first parents had had a Boswell," says Mr. Wilstach in the preface of his unique dictionary, "many similes which are now in general use would be known as having been current in the Garden of Eden. Undoubtedly, on many occasions, Father Adam, when addressing Mother Eve, made use of 'Cold as ice,' 'Busy as a bee,' 'Proud as a peacock,' 'Weak as water,' 'Angry as a wasp' and 'Bitter as gall.' With reliable data, many a simile which is now marked Anon. would be credited to Adam."

Mr. Wilstach began the Dictionary of Similes in 1894, and has collected something over 20,000. He chanced to notice the expression that "the news spread like wildfire," and he began to wonder about similes in general, and, he says, "I began to copy into a large blank book the similes in every book I read. Finding this collection of use to others as well as to myself, it occurred to me that as opportunity presented I would begin with Chaucer and gather all the useful picturesque similes from all of the important poets and prose writers down to the present time. It seemed an endless undertaking, but I pursued the work with growing interest and delight. . . . Victor Hugo, in 'Les Miserables,' tells of an old man who never went out without a book, and who seldom came back without two. This has a humorous application to myself. Year after year I have carried about with me some volume or other on which I had set my covetous eyes, hoping during an idle moment in a busy day to rifle it of its similes. And, often, like the character in 'Les Miserables,' I have ventured forth with a single volume and returned with a precious armload. So this work has been carried on through sheer love of the chase."

The quotations range from Eschylus to Irvin Cobb, the latter getting into classic company just thirty-six times: Balzac, the Brownings, Byron, Dickens, Conrad, Dumas, O. Henry, Hugo, Thomas Hood, Keats, Longfellow, Kipling, Meredith, Ouida, Shakespeare, Shelley, Swinburne, Wordsworth and Whittier, are among those most frequently represented, and numerically Swinburne closely rivals Shakespeare.

The book is not only valuable for the student, but it is interesting. Similes are pictures, and this is a picture book for the mind's eye; a wonderful collection plundered from the classics and from many contemporaries that will perhaps be classics.

A TOURIST'S NOTEBOOK.

HAWAII: Scenes and Impressions. By Katherine Fullerton Gerould. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

The interesting part of Mrs. Gerould's "Hawaii" is her attitude toward the islands and the people and scenery rather than in what descriptive details she offers. Though she acknowledges that her experiences were limited to a month, she found time to form an opinion on everything—from positive assurance that the natives do not believe there is a Japanese peril to the fact that the missionaries are responsible for the exterminating death rate among the Hawaiians, who are "literally dying of clothes."

She found that the important work of dredging in Pearl Harbor was "not pretty to look at," and her aesthetic sense was outraged by the ubiquitous khaki of the American soldiers. She informs us that in the famous aquarium "you can see fish that seem to have been created by French dressmakers;" and with some detail gives an account of a feast which she attended where everybody—or almost everybody—was drunk, though she was assured that there was only pink lemonade to drink.

Her chapter on Kalaupapa, the leper settlement on Molokai, is informative, though she goes into the Stevenson-Hyde-Damien controversy without having anything new to tell. It is entirely in keeping with her attitude throughout the book that she should remark that the Hawaiians "by playing the ostrich about Kalaupapa" and "declining to talk much of it "lose the finest chance in the world of being praised;" and "let loose in Kalaupapa a shrill eugenist from the East, and you would soon have a Kanaka hell." The lepers seem quite comfortable in their privilege of marrying, and the experiments and observations of the

STUDY OF THOREAU.

HENRY DAVID THOREAU: A Critical Study. By Mark Van Doren. Houghton Mifflin Company, Boston.

Bernard Shaw is one of the few men who have lived to find himself, in spite of obstreperous struggles, being coddled and caressed by the very people he tries solicitously to outrage; but if ghosts are observers of the world, then the shade of Swift, finding his choicest satire enshrined in the nursery library, must be subject to whatever is the spirit's equivalent for apoplexy; and Mr. Van Doren predicts some such unpleasant experience for the shade of Thoreau, for, says Mr. Van Doren, Thoreau "will always appeal to the 'confirmed city men' he affected to pity. For the same reason that 'Robinson Crusoe' appeals most to land folk, 'Walden' will appeal more and more to the men and women of 'institutions,' to men in studies and clubs, to boys by the fireside in winter."

This critical study is the first to be founded chronologically on Thoreau's Journal, upon "the closed pages" of which he spread the introspections of a mind that was troubled with the disjointedness of the world.

"Thoreau had more native humor than any of the transcendentalists, just as he had a livelier appreciation of facts. . . . 'Thoreau is with difficulty sweet,' said Emerson. Thoreau rarely bothered about being sweet. He had an appetite for sarcasm and a gift for rejoinder, and often indulged both in the closed pages of his journal. He was a voluble talker, and did not spare his fellow townsmen criticism. Stevenson most absurdly charges him with 'a hatred of a genuine brand, hot as Corsican revenge, and sneering like Voltaire.'"

But Mr. Van Doren thinks that Thoreau "is properly discounted only as his readers grow civilized and distrust the exposition of the elementary; he will come fully into his own when there is no one left who takes him literally and recommends his audacity as other profound or ultimate."

The intellectual men of Thoreau's time are described "as not so much men as faculties—not so much individual beings as individual forces. Carlyle is a whole universe in miniature, 'creaking, groaning, tortuous.' . . . Byron is an angry, glowing cheek. Keats is an odor hanging heavily close to the earth. Shelley is a mad bird who would fly higher than is possible. Wordsworth is a column of white mist moving among the hills. Ruskin is a swift, fevered river. Emerson is an electric wire snapping and emitting brilliant, cold sparks. Thoreau is a pard-hunter, moving quietly whither he likes and refusing to be touched."

Mr. Van Doren compared Thoreau's solitude to a "vacuum" in which he lost the nice balance between his private and the world's public life. But the isolation and solitude gave him opportunity to develop appreciation for the beauties of the books that he was unceasingly reading. "One wise sentence," he said, "is worth the State of Massachusetts many times over;" and he envied the Greeks because they could "express themselves with more facility than we in distinct and lively images. He hated "wooden and lifeless" words, with "paralysis in their tails," as he hated gossip. And the author estimates that "he was a good workman, filing rather more finely than Emerson took the trouble to file. 'Every sentence is the result of a long probation,' he said, and 'should read as if its author, had he held a plow instead of a pen, could have drawn a furrow deep and straight to the end.' The prose writer has conquered like a Roman, and settled colonies,' it seemed to him."

ARCHITECTURAL ADORNMENT.

A HISTORY OF ORNAMENT: Ancient and Medieval. By A. D. F. Hamlin. The Century Company, New York.

Prof. Hamlin deals with architectural and not with personal ornament, and beginning with the earliest examples (Egyptian, Chaldean, Assyrian, Asiatic and Greek) shows how designs which, in some cases were carried far down the ages, were drawn from plant forms familiar to the early decorators.

The book is somewhat technical and seems to have been written for the special use of students.

It touches on the industrial arts—textiles and pottery, wood carving and iron lattices—but interest in them is confined to their architectural values; that is, as their use for drudgery, tiling, doorways and windows.

Prof. Hamlin, who fills the chair of architectural history at Columbia, explains that by the method followed in this volume "attention is directed to the origin and development of the historic styles of ornament, all the various motives, kinds and types of ornament of each country and period being considered in discussing the style of that time and region." He promises other volumes which will treat of the oriental and modern styles.

DEFENSIVE FORCES.

MILITARY AND NAVAL AMERICA. By Capt. Harrison S. Kerrick, U.S.A. Doubleday, Page & Co., Garden City, N. Y.

Capt. Kerrick's "Military and Naval America" is designed to be comprehensively informative, to describe the work and duties of the various departments of the army and navy, and to explain for the layman—who is astonishingly ignorant of those subjects—the organization of the several fighting forces, which, by comparison with those of our only possible foes, are extremely inadequate. But this is not a campaign book for the militarist. It is purely explanatory.

Capt. Kerrick describes the work of the executive departments—the General Staff corps, Adjutant-General's department, the Judge Advocate's department—and explains the organization of the various corps—quartermaster, medical, signal—and gives detailed information regarding the infantry, artillery, cavalry and National Guard branches. It is really a handbook of military affairs, and covers the navy as thoroughly as the army, revealing the multitude of problems which each arm of the service has to face from providing

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Brilliantly-written Book Shows How the White Fleece has been Woven into the Web of Civilization.

COTTON AS A WORLD POWER. By James A. B. Scherer. Frederick A. Stokes Company, New York.

James A. B. Scherer, president of the Throop College of Technology, Pasadena, has written the epic of cotton. The purpose of his book has been "to trace the skeins of this fleecy white fiber through mazes of fable and fact, from its cradle in India, where Alexander discovered it, to modern England by tortuous slow stages through Egypt, Rome and Spain; to tell the story of its revolutionary influence in Great Britain and to suggest its wholly unappreciated effect on the history of the United States; to show the personality and depict the times of some of the men whom it influenced and who in turn lent their vigor to increase its strength; and finally, to indicate the peculiar importance of cotton in contemporary world trade," and its relation to the Great War.

The first known mention of cotton is found in a Rig Veda hymn, composed fifteen centuries before Christ, which honors the "threads in the loom," indicating that manufacture was already well advanced; and the fact remains, says Dr. Scherer, who gave the material in this book as lectures at Oxford and Cambridge in 1914, that the deft fingers of the Hindu "wrought with the bow and the almost incredibly simple East Indian loom so as to produce delicate fabrics that have never been surpassed."

Columbus found cotton in America, Magellan found it in Brazil, and the soldiers of Cortes "marching on to the great and romantic capital city, which stood buttressed and insulated in the middle of a huge salt lake, discovered an imposing urban civilization that staggered them, as though they had suddenly stepped back across the centuries to Nineveh or Thebes" and the splendid fabrics and much of the armor of that civilization were made of cotton.

Dr. Scherer's book is literally fascinating. His somewhat new interpretation of cotton as an economic and historical factor, as even an influence on the pessimistic deductions of Malthus which begat the Darwinian theory, is sustained and developed with a charm rarely found in books of heavy import.

He shows the importance of spinning in Colonial life, and the origin of manufactures in America, and how cotton was chiefly responsible for the factionalism that eventually took form in the bitter moral issue of slavery and became the Civil War.

The Southern States were the first of the Union to take a stand against slavery and, as anomalous as it may now sound, they were the first to concede the invalidity of States' rights; but perceiving the economic benefit of slavery in the cotton fields they gradually reversed their position and under the guise of States' rights forced the issue of the sword.

With the early development of cotton in the South, which exported heavily and fed the looms of England, the industrial and epochal revolution in England was brought about. England, passing through the cotton famine occasioned by the Civil War, has since sought to prepare against further famines by developing for herself cotton fields in Egypt and other parts of Africa.

Dr. Scherer believes that the South was defeated chiefly by the maritime blockade that shut off exports. "Cotton is King," he says, became the feverish watchword on the southern lips, but the northern gunboats would not permit King Cotton to levy his tributes on the exchequers of Europe; and the author shows how the South failed to utilise even what opportunities it did have, and so lost millions upon millions in gold that might have gone into the war treasury.

He believes that not only the South, but the whole of America, is now failing to utilise to the best advantage its cotton opportunities, and says of America: "A shrewd nation of money-getters, they nevertheless permit Europe so far to surpass them in the dextrous manipulation of their natural monopoly as to sell them back $2 worth of cotton for every $1 worth they ship abroad."

He believes that even as cotton forced the negro problem in all its magnitude upon the South, so now it is in a fair way to solve that problem, for "it is this plant now that chiefly employs and improves him as he labors with liberated hands. . . . A steady drift of negroes is proceeding from cities to the country, and it is in cotton farming that the negro chiefly succeeds."

The demand for cotton grows in leaps and bounds. The annual turnover of capital is now estimated at $250,000,000. He shows how Imperial Valley and Arizona are now producing the fleecy wealth on a scale that will soon put California and the Southwest into "the Cotton Belt."

The cotton market is explained as a most delicate seismograph recording world disturbances; and it is shown that three days after Austria declared war on Serbia, "the cotton market throughout the world was in a state of collapse," but was soon restored because of the enormous demand for the "vegetable wool."

The importance of cotton in the world war he believes justifies England's strictest blockade against Germany. It is not only needed for clothing, for bandages, for blankets, for tents, but for ammunition. Powder is made of cotton and "for rifle ammunition alone the German army consumes an average of fifty-one tons a day, while their machine guns require at least an equal amount, and the lighter ordnance more than three times as much—making an annual total consumption by this one army of not less than 100,000 tons, or 400,000 bales, American weight, for ammunition purposes only. . . . As for the navy, it is said that a twelve-inch gun consumes 300 pounds of ammunition, or about a half a bale of cotton from which this is made, with every discharge; so that a battleship firing at its greatest capacity, might use 5000 to 6000 pounds of powder, or from ten to twelve bales of cotton, every minute during an action."

MAN AND MANKIND.

TAKE IT FROM ME. By Vance Thompson. Fleming H. Revell Company, Chicago.

Vance Thompson has tried to get off his perch and be friendly. He has many valuable things to say, but he seems rather affectedly informal about it—or maybe like the young man from the country in O. Henry's "Poet and Peasant," Mr. Thompson is so natural, so completely himself, that all of us who are used to conventional artifice cannot help but be suspicious that he is posing a bit.

But he says much that is interesting, though the repetition of that titular phrase—"Take it from me"—is quite irritating. However, he writes vigorously and it is easy to admire a book that has in it such glowing passages as: "Do you remember in ante-bellum days how that pompous word Humanity strutted about? Things were to get themselves done for Humanity. Science sweated in laboratories and clinics—for Humanity. It sliced up dogs and anatomized paupers—for Humanity. There were even men who proclaimed themselves Lovers of Humanity. And all that sort of thing. It became a cult, a credo, a totem. . . . You can't make an abstract thing of it—crown it with a capital letter—and then kneel down and worship it or stand up and love it. You can love men and women and children; you cannot love Humanity—for no sane man can love a vague, mathematical theorem, a vague 'general average' of mankind."

That is the text of his essays, so to speak. He believes that love and kindness should be personal; that we should sympathise with and try directly to understand the other fellow—recognize his rights. And he says: "I think you may read the story of civilization in this attempt, manifold and tragic, to get rid of the two wrong ways of living in this world—by begging or stealing, so-named or not—and to establish the law of work for wages. Many of the attempts have been pathetic in their futility."

He thinks the tragedy of riches and poverty is that it separates "man from his fellowmen and in this separation is the peril and the penalty. The old story of Lazarus and Dives was nothing but a parable of this truth. The tragedy is it is not the fact that one was rich and the other poor—that one sat at the table and fed himself, while the other lay in the road harried by dogs that fed upon his sores. The tragedy lay in their separation. And that separation was a mere symbol of the rich man's isolation after death—when chaos rolled between him and his fellows.

"It is rather odd that when you take a man of the people and let him become a rich man he never loses this inbred, popular view of his riches. He knows the peril. Carnegie, the little Scotch ironmaster, was a man of the people. Into his strange little brain there came the ambition to make the steel trade an empire over which he should reign supreme. He did it and when he was tired of the toy he sold it for nearly $500,000,000—most of them superfluous. Then dim ancestral voices began to whisper to him the wisdom of the race. The terror of the superfluous fell upon him. And with both hands he tried to throw away the superfluous—to beat back the money waves that were flowing in upon him, waist-high, throat high, up to the mouth and the nostrils and the eyes. A tragic story—tragic as that recorded in old books and old plays—and told in statistics more puissant than a Shakespeare tragedy."

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Dana Burnet, whose new novel, "The Shining Adventure," was published recently, writes from Maine that he has been leading "a life shamelessly normal and regular, doing nothing except work, swim, fix my automobile, walk, repair my automobile, swim and work." He continues, "one of my friends has just caught an extremely large fish. I might borrow it and have my picture taken holding it by the tail. I have often seen pictures of authors holding large fish by their tails. They seem to be very popular—the pictures, I mean, not the authors."

MIDSHIPMEN AND MARK TWAIN.

Mary Twain's works, according to a recent report, have proved to be the favorite books of fiction of the midshipmen at Annapolis. A certain number of hours' reading a week is now obligatory at the Naval Academy. The future admirals are also reading Mark Twain's works, according to the report, and are finding much pleasure in them.

A VOLUME OF ESSAYS.

THE PLEASURES OF AN ABSENTEE LANDLORD AND OTHER ESSAYS. By Samuel McChord Crothers. Houghton Mifflin Company, Boston.

Mr. Crothers appears but slightly vexed by the troubles of modernity. True enough he touches on war in "The Strategy of Peace" but has little to say that has not been heard over and over, though perhaps no one has used just the phraseology that "the present war will go on till its momentum is exhausted, and it will give way to that equilibrium which we, for want of a better term, call peace." But Mr. Crothers, unvexed and genial, finds enjoyment in keeping his eyes to the past and in old books. He finds that modern writers cannot have their prose texture favorably compared to Izaak Walton's or other valued writers of the seventeenth century, for our novelists use words that "are listless and indifferent. They look as if they had been up late at night and had lost interest in life."

For his examples of "Protective Coloring in Education," he mentions boys that pretend to be dull in school so they will not be petted, but instances the allegorically scientific verse with which the grandfather of Charles Darwin surreptitiously, so to speak, slipped knowledge into the minds of those who admired his poetry.

He is delighted with Dr. Fuller, an author in whom Pepys (three hundred years ago) found pleasure and expounds the secret of his charm, which was a tranquil, cheerful attitude toward the political calamities of his turbulent day. The titular essay. "The Pleasures of an Absentee Landlord," is rather an exposition of the fact that a man can get some pleasures out of life without being worried by responsibilities.

To our mind the most entertaining of his chapters is "A Literary Clinic," which further illustrates the theory that it is easy to take the problems about us too seriously, and in which Mr. Crothers by charming indirection recommends that literary critics read a few pages in the Congressional Record before ploughing into the current novels. The contrast, he believes, will certainly enhance admiration for the novels—though they do use words that seem to have kept late hours and to have lost interest in life.

J. HENRI FABRE.

THE LIFE OF THE CATERPILLAR. By J. Henri Fabre. Translated by Alexander Teixeira de Mattos. Dodd, Mead & Co., New York.

M. Fabre found a universe in his backyard and among the important inhabitants—though in his wonderful eyes there were none unimportant—were the caterpillars. He discovered that the despised gnats wage deadly war upon the cabbage caterpillar by impregnating its eggs with their own, so that their own grubs are born within the intestines of the cabbage scourge and eventually destroy him. He discovered that pine, or processionary, caterpillars have by virtue of sensitive spots on their backs infallible meteorological faculties and remain snug in their warm nests when distant storms are brewing. He discovered that the female moths of certain varieties call the males from afar by means of odors that progress much like waves of light so that the "scent" (used for want of a better word) is carried even against the wind.

All of his experiments were conducted with improvised instruments, as he says: "I have at my disposal absolutely none of the apparatus dear to science, not even a modest thermometer, for my unlucky star continues in the ascendent, proving as unkind today as when I learnt chemistry with pipe-bowls for crucibles and bottles that once contained sweets for retorts."

And this great scientist, who writes like one inspired—as no doubt he was, if man can ever be—drew from his observation that came close to seventy-five years of intense study an abiding faith in a Divine and Discriminating Intelligence. "But let me tell you," he says, sadly, "we are called old-fashioned, you and I, with our conception of a world ruled by an Intelligence; we are quite out of the swim. Order, balance, harmony: that is all silly nonsense. The universe is a fortuitous arrangement in the chaos of the possible. Chance has decided all things," and changing from irony, he writes: "Yes, we are a pair of prejudiced old fogies when we linger with a certain fondness over the marvels of perfection. Who troubles about these futilities nowadays? So-called serious science, the science which spells honor, profit and renown, consists in slicing your animals with very costly instruments into tiny circular sections. My housekeeper does as much with a bunch of carrots, with no higher pretension than to concoct a modest dish, which is not an invariable success."

He also says that if we choose to go to school to the caterpillars we may soon see "the inanity of our dreaming and communistic theories. Equality is a magnificent political catchword, but little more." Among the processionaries, all work, all spin, accident determines the leader each day and all follow him blindly, and "it is a splendid world of equality truly, but, alas, a world of caterpillars. Inequality is our law. And a good thing, too. A sound which is invariably the same, however often multiplied, does not constitute a harmony. We need dissimilarities, sounds loud and soft, deep and shrill; we need even discords which, by their harshness, throw into relief the sweetness of the chords. In the same way, human societies are harmonious only with the aid of contraries. If the dream of our levelers could be realized, we should sink to the monotony of the caterpillar societies; art, science, progress and the lofty flights of the imagination would slumber indefinitely in the dead calm of mediocrity."

M. Fabre was, at the close of his long life, close to the century mark, when fame found him out and carried his name over the world; but he lived long enough to know that he would never be forgotten, so beautifully was his work done; and his studies of the caterpillar are no less interesting than his better known studies of the flies, spiders and bees.

REMINISCENCES OF CIVIL WAR DAYS.

Veteran Statesman Shows Contrast Between the Present and a Half Century Ago. Stories of Lincoln's Time.

REMINISCENCES OF A WAR-TIME STATESMAN AND DIPLOMAT: 1830-1915. By Frederick W. Seward. G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York.

Frederick Seward, son of Secretary of State William H. Seward, was Assistant Secretary of State under the administrations of Lincoln, Johnson and Hayes, and his reminiscences, which are chiefly of the Civil War period, give some curious and much interesting information on the historical events while he watched and in which he participated.

It is like hearing a voice speak across the gulf of time when one now living repeats stories of the Revolutionary War told to him by his grandmother who saw Tarleton's dreaded dragoons. But Mr. Seward, though he repeats some things previously put into print by himself, has more than grandmother's tales to relate; more than to relate—as he does—how Horace Greeley was given opportunity to found the Tribune, or how the word "telegram" was coined, or to explain the occasion and genesis of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," or the dramatic manner in which the unsuspecting Meade was notified that he had been appointed to the command of the Army of the Potomac, or how President Lincoln was once under the inadvertent fire of a French cruiser.

Mr. Seward carried warning of threatened assassination to Lincoln, who was on his way to Washington, which resulted in a change of train schedule; and on the night that Lincoln was assassinated he had his head fractured while repelling an assassin that fought to reach his sick father, the Secretary of State.

Among the interesting things in the reminiscences is the comment which Lincoln made in the author's presence just before he signed the Emancipation Proclamation. "I never in my life," said Lincoln, "felt more certain that I was doing right than I do in signing this paper. But I have been receiving calls and shaking hands since 9 o'clock this morning, till my arm is stiff and numb. Now this signature is one that will be closely examined, and if they find my hand trembled they will say 'he had some compunctions.' But, anyway, it is going to be done."

The Civil War is remembered as bloody and ruthless, and the banks of the Potomac were the scene of many fierce conflicts. "Armed vessels patrolled the river. Fortifications were erected on its heights. Armies encamped along its shores. The sound of cannon or musketry daily echoed over its waters. Homes and fields were abandoned by their owners, for none felt safe against the raids of the scouting or foraging parties of the Union and Confederate troops."

But one spot was sacred, inviolate. There was no truce, treaty or understanding—but both armies respected Mount Vernon, the home of Washington. "No foraging or plundering took place within its precincts. . . . It was the one bit of neutral ground in that long and bloody war. Reverence for Washington's home and memory hardly needed to be inculcated by the commanders, for it was implanted in the heart of every soldier, whether he was a Northern man or a Southern one."

Mr. Seward tells, but does not vouch for the report current at the time, that the old mansion was left in the charge of two persons, a man and his sister. "He was a Union man, she was a sympathizer with the Confederacy. When the visitors approached from the river side, they were presumably from the Union gunboats, and he went out to meet them. When they approached from the landward side, they were presumably from the Confederate camps, and she went out to greet them. But it made little difference. Whichever they were, they all came as friends, and were received as such."

From Mr. Seward's account it appears that those were the days when American statesmen followed a unique policy of diplomacy and did what they thought was right. The Cabinet advised and secured the release of the "Trent," a British steamer whose capture was the occasion for great rejoicing in the North, and did so on the ground that holding the vessel was violation of the very principles which the United States had fought the war of 1812 to uphold. When Japan made a mistake and paid an excess indemnity, the surplus was without historical precedent returned. When Samoa offered herself to the United States the offer was reluctantly and only tentatively accepted. When war was threatened between the United States and England over Alaskan boundaries a conference was called and the British commissioner upheld the claims of the United States. The amity that followed each of these ethical adjustments would seem to illustrate that, German philosophy of statecraft to the contrary, the honor of a nation should not in the least differ from the honor of an individual if nations are to have mutual respect.

Mr. Seward discusses his subjects topically, and they are numerous. He has much to tell of Alaska and the Alaskan purchase, which his father was instrumental in making though there was much opposition to buying a land where the ground was "frozen six feet deep" and the "rivers were glaciers" and the only vegetation was "moss." He saw the entrance of China into the field of diplomacy and quotes an astute remark of a Chinese diplomat of the day: "A statesman stands on a hill. He looks farther, in all directions, than the people, who are standing at the foot of the hill, can see. When he points out what course they ought to take, they are suspicious that he is misdirecting them. They cry 'Pull him down!' When they have at last gained the summit from which he points the way they can then correct their misjudgment.

hundred homes and have converse with the hearts of men and women. Instead of seeing but the front of things, we walk and take in life from every angle."

He believes that all men intellectually great, and particularly statesmen, have been lovers of books. It is the profitable study to read of the youth of great statesmen. Almost invariably you will find them as young men such as would today be sneered at as 'book-worms.'"

Mr. Ingersoll pays especial tribute to his favorites, Whitman, Tolstoy and Thoreau first of all because the author of "Walden" can make him forget the city and steam radiators. He believes that the great author can never go out of fashion, though the younger generation may sneer at him. He writes: "They say that Byron (with Scott) is nowadays out of fashion. 'They' are mistaken. The autobor of 'Childe Harold' and 'Don Juan' will never be truly out of fashion so long as there is a flare in youthful hearts, a discontent in ambitious minds. He is the poet of a great revolt, a kicker at the traces, and then again he is the singer of the bleeding heart, of lost causes; he hurries you across the seas upon his speeding bark; he tops the crags of human loneliness and leaves you desolate. His songs are of the rollicking wine of life with its excitements, its depressions, its sentiments of hatred, beauty, joy. For youth he is the poet of liberty, of intense individualism; for age the poet of thwarted desires, for everyone he has a chestnut bur to put beneath dull content; his mockery is for stupidity, dryness, stagnation. Get under the crust of his effusive egotism and you will meet a somber, lonely, sensitive friend and who will be to you a hypodermic stimulative."

Books, Mr. Ingersoll says, are the great "openers of doors," they represent the cumulative wisdom of mankind; they are to be taken earnestly—as friends. His essays, some nine of them, are all "bookish," if a derogatory adjective may respectfully be applied to high purpose; and their value should be immense to fictionites.

SPANISH INFLUENCES.

OUR HISTORIC SOUTHWEST. By Ernest Peixotto. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York.

Mr. Peixotto has gone over the old Spanish trails and visited the old missions of the Southwest, excluding California, and his numerous illustrations are an attractive feature of the book.

He begins with New Orleans (the one non-Spanish touch in the book) a city whose charm lies in the old French Quarter. Old San Antonio, the ancient capital of Texas, he finds, has improved so rapidly that landmarks are being wiped out; and El Paso, of recent importance in the news dispatches, which was named after a ford—"El Paso del Rio"—has grown so fast that it now boasts of skyscrapers higher than those found needful in Paris or London.

The old Mission Church of San Xavier del Bac is called "the handsomest, the most complete and extensive Spanish mission within the land," though it has repeatedly suffered from the depredations of savages. He describes the pueblos, "sleeping away their hoary age in the solitude of the desert," and Taos, the "sketching grounds for those who depict the Indians and frontiersmen," and mentions some of the artists and their work.

Mr. Peixotto sketches the history of the early conquerors that pushed into the Southwest and who have been signally ignored by historians until the present day. Their exploits are now, as he points out, being given serious attention, and archives of Spain are searched for records of early explorations through Texas, Arizona and New Mexico.

"Our Hispanic Southwest" is an artist's note and sketch book with very little that is sketchy about the subjects that have attracted his attention, and he has brought to his work obvious familiarity and sympathy with the traditions and records of the land.

"BOY OF MY HEART."

The life-story of a young Englishman recently killed at the front forms the basis of a remarkable book the George H. Doran Company is publishing under the title of "Boy of My Heart." The book has aroused so much comment in England that the publishers have had difficulty in maintaining the anonymity of the author. Extra interest has been aroused in the public mind by the author's statement in the introduction that every incident in the book is literally true—even down to the remarkable coincidence related in the last chapter (how the news of the boy's death was brought to the family on the very night that he was expected home on furlough.)

"If there had never been a war," writes an admirer of this book, "this story would find its way inevitably to the heart of every parent who has lost a son."

FANNIE HURST AND "COPY."

Fannie Hurst, whose second book, "Every Soul Hath Its Song," is just published, says that "aside from a deep interest in Labor legislation, Suffrage, and dancing, I find it possible and necessary to devote six hours a day to my writing. In my zeal for verisimilitude, I have gone on the stage, into department stores, sweat shops, lunchrooms, etc., in various capacities of salesgirl, waitress, etc. But after various experiences am convinced that, after all, proprinquity is not necessarily essential to understanding."

GORGEOUS FRENCH ERA IN HISTORY.

Stern Searcher After Facts Ignores and Discredits in His "Crowned" Book Many Fascinating Features of Du Barry Days.

THE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY. By Casimir Stryienski. Translated by H. N. Dickinson. G. P. Putnam's Sons, New York.

Casimir Stryienski is the author of "The Eighteenth Century," the fourth volume in the National History of France series. The translation is by H. N. Dickinson. The history has been crowned by the Academie Des Sciences Morales et Politiques.

There is no period of French history that is not dramatic; but this volume which begins with the death of Louis XIV and closes with the dawn of the Revolution covers an era at once magnificent and wretched, one pervaded with intrigues and counterplots; one when favorites in a pique decided the fate of statesmen and so the destiny of nations. It was the era of Pompadour and Du Barry, of Cagliostro and Choiseul, of Frederick the Great and Maria Theresa, of Louis the Well Beloved, who was nothing of the kind. It was the era when the Thirteen Colonies became a nation and the simple dignity of Benjamin Franklin very nearly awed the luxuriant courtiers of Versailles; when a streetwalker might—and did—impersonate a queen before a duped Cardinal, and when the queen herself impersonated a dairy maid at Trianon.

But M. Stryienski has been a rigorous historian. For the most part he has avoided details, which is always one of the requirements—We may almost say "penalties"—exacted of those historians who essay to compress a century (or even, as in this case, three-quarters of a century) into one volume; although M. Batiffol to a wonderful degree circumvented that requirement in "The Century of the Renaissance," the previous volume published in this series.

Mr. Stryienski evades the lure of Madame de Pompadour, of Madame du Barry, of the Comtesse de la Motte, and refers to only the most significant incidents in the multitudinous affairs of these strange characters. He permits no gossip to creep into his stern text, and so by omission discredits the fascinating story that Louis XV came by the smallpox through kissing a maiden by the roadside; and sends another fascinating story into exile by briefly saying that Choiseul was dismissed because of expensive failures to colonize Guiana, whereas dramatic impulse is more ready to believe the story (unmentioned by the historian) that Du Barry trapped him before the suspicious king over a letter to Spain.

Frederick, because of the great part he had in war and politics, and Maria Theresa, because she was not only the dominant woman of Europe (Russia's Catherine being more concerned with internal affairs,) as well as the mother of Marie Antoinette, played large parts in the affairs of France during that period. And now that Austria and Prussia have linked battle-fronts, and Poland as well as France is the battlefield, it is interesting to remark the sardonic comment of Frederick over the partition of Poland. Maria Theresa allowed herself to be persuaded that she ought to join with Prussia and Russia "for the good of her soul." Thereupon," wrote Frederick, "she began to weep terribly. Meanwhile the troops of the three powers entered Poland and took possession of their shares, the Empress weeping all the while. But of a sudden we discovered, to our great surprise, that she had taken far more than the portion allotted to her, for she wept and took the while, and we had much difficulty in persuading her to be contented with her share of the cake."

As an instance of how little altruism there is among nations, we find the historian setting it down that France came to the aid of the American revolutionists "in the hope of avenging the disasters of the Seven Years' War"—which may be true as far as Louis XVI, who represented the French government, was concerned; but the army that came was largely officered by men who did not care a trooper's damn about the Seven Years' War, but who were inspired with zeal for such constitutional freedom as Franklin had explained as the cause for which the colonists were fighting.

Franklin was a notable figure at the court. M. Stryienski records that "his pleasant manners and dignity helped to conciliate the scientists, the men of letters, the philosophers, the great nobles, the court and the king. . . . Franklin was presented at Versailles on March 20. The handsome old man made a picturesque figure, with his spectacles, his bald head, and his patriarchal appearance. People pressed about his path as though he were some strange novelty. It was not usual at the courtly ceremonies to see the homely honesty, the simple dress, and the absence of luxury characteristic of Franklin. The worthy American wore a brown coat and carried a stick in place of a sword."

M. Stryienski's history covers but seventy-four years of the century, but they were pregnant as two usual centuries. He is not a Frenchman by birth, which may somewhat explain his coldness toward picturesque details and absence of dramatic presentation. He does not sustain and carry forward the rumbling motif of national discontent that finally burst into the cacophonic revolution. He has set in place, as it were, with great precision the skeleton of French history during the eighteenth century; but he has not clothed those bones with flesh. He has written pure history; whereas the ideal historian is a great novelist dealing with facts.

BOLD CONFESSIONS.

Don Marquis, author of "The Cruise of the Jasper B," who presides over a daily column in the New York Evening Sun, has recently engaged in nailing literary insincerities, and makes the following confession:

"We have for our own part a greater sin than that on our conscience. There are a number of books that we habitually pretend that we have read which we have never read at all. They are great books, we suppose. At least we've heard a lot about them and read a lot about them and people who assume to know say they are great books. Some of them we have tried to read and couldn't read, but we have pretended at one time or another to have read all of them. Here is our list of shame:

"'Tom Jones.' We have tried to read it four times and could never get five pages into it.

"'The Vicar of Wakefield.' We have attempted it at least six times and taken the count in the first round every time.

"'Dante's Divine Comedy.' We have been going against the Cary translation, which we hear is a good one, at least once a year for twenty years and we can't get interested in it. Yet up to the present moment we have always pretended that we had read all of it and liked it.

"'Don Quixote.' We have read a little of it and we know all the usual things that are said about it, and we even wrote some stuff about it one time, saying all the things that are usually said about it, for which we got $25, but we don't really like it, it puts us to sleep; it seems long drawn out and clumsy to us.

"'Boswell's Life of Johnson.' We never read any of it. But we have pretended to, and have pretended at times to quote incidents from it and have got away with the incidents. . . .

"We have always pretended that we were familiar with Walt Whitman's poetry, but as a matter of fact we never read anything through excepting 'When Lilacs Last in the Dooryard Bloomed.'"

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Of the stories in this collection we prefer "Vision," which is not only an excellent story structurally but gives an illumined picture of the selfless adoration of the young Hindu wife who allows herself to go blind rather than wound the feelings of her husband, a medical student, by letting him know that his treatment is ineffective. When her brother protests she says: "It seemed to me very unfair that, when my family had given me in marriage, they should interfere afterwards. After all, my pleasure and pain are my husband's concern, not theirs."

Her brother forces upon her medicine from a reputable physician which she throws into the well and vows that she has taken; and when her eyes grow worse, to protect her husband, she tells her brother that in reality she was treating herself with the medicine he had procured. When a friend tries to make her indignant against her husband because he waited until it was too late to call in an experienced physician, the wife answers: "My blindness was itself a sufficient evil. Why should I make it worse by allowing hatred to grow up against my husband?"

But the day comes when her husband wishes to take a new wife, and says to her "Your blindness has enclosed you in its fortress, and I have now no entrance. To me you are no longer a woman;" and the girl that he wishes to marry is brought into the house.

Then, evading tragedy and brightening the end with a touch deft as O. Henry's, the story shows how the husband is brought to his senses. It is beautifully sustained and developed.

The titular story, "The Hungry Stones," is fantastic and gets a strong weird effect by describing the dreams of a man who is irresistibly drawn night after night to an old palace, once the scene of passionate and splendid orgies.

"Victory," the only story translated by Tagore himself, seems to have a strong allegorical significance. A young poet worships the Princess Ajita; but people think that "the poems Shekhar wrote were absurdly simple, and it must be a mere accident that they did not write them themselves." In a great contest before the court against a popular poet, Shekhar loses; and in despair returns to his room, destroys his song and drinks poison. Then "golden anklets tinkled in the passage outside the door, and a subtle perfume came into the room with the breeze." The Princess Ajita had come to see that the prize had not been awarded with justice and that she had come to crown him with the crown of victory. "She took the garland of flowers from her own neck, and put it on his hair, and the poet fell down upon his bed stricken by death."

"My Lord, the Baby" is also a striking story, subtly dramatic in revealing the simplicity, loyalty and courage of an old servant who believes that because a child of his master died at the same time one was born unto himself that he had stolen his master's child.

"The Kingdom of Cards" is obviously allegorical, presenting a realm of socialism where initiative is forbidden, and showing how the traditions are overthrown by the arrival of a shipwrecked prince. "The Renunciation" is of a Brahmin that renounces caste for love; "The Cabulwallah" is of the sympathy between two fathers of widely different castes.

A few other stories are in the book, but they have less of the story form, being, as "Once There Was a King," studies of childhood, or, rather trivial incidents.

ISLANDS OF THE PACIFIC.

THE SPELL OF THE HAWAIIAN ISLANDS AND THE PHILIPPINES. By Isabel Anderson. The Page Company, Boston.

In Mrs. Anderson's third book of the Spell series she follows at an interval of more than a quarter of a century on the footsteps of her father, who as a naval officer visited Hawaii and the Philippines long before the United States dreamed of possessing them; and Mrs. Anderson makes interesting material of his notes and letters written at that time.

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The larger portion of the book is given over to the Philippines, which, with its more turbulent history, and anthropological variety, is much the larger subject. With some detail she describes Manila (but neglects Cavite—as most travelers do,) and has a great deal to relate of her tour in the islands, which was taken in the party of the then Secretary of War. The chapters on the Igorots and Ifugaos and Moros, who are far more picturesque than the Tagalogs, have much interesting information.

Considering the small amount of space given to the subject, Mrs. Anderson has quite comprehensively reviewed the American occupation and the Philippine insurrection; and one paragraph in particular throws light on the stubborn resistance and repeated attacks of the Filipinos: "Uniformly the Filipinos lost, but when their courage waned their officers would announce that they had won a big victory somewhere else. In one day, they reported, we had lost twenty-eight thousand men in a region where in the entire month we lost but fifty-six. On another occasion they announced that two thousand colonels had been killed." She adds, "They must have thought our troops were all from Kentucky."

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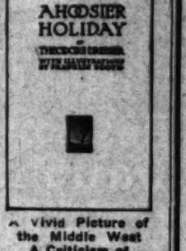
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"I have been reading it with the keenest interest and pleasure. It is a most delightful piece of work. I consider your observation it is an epoch-making volume. You have done a notable work."

Samuel Merwin, whose novel, "The Trufflers," was published in October, has had the distinction of having a tearoom down in New York's Bohemian quarter named after the new story. Recently he invited a friend to lunch with him

DEVIL'S ADVOCATE IN GERMAN'S WAR.

Treitschke's Teachings Translated for the First Time Show Deadly Urge for the Use of the Sword.

POLITICS. By Heinrich von Treitschke. The Macmillan Company, New York.

Heinrich von Treitschke preached what Bismarck practiced, and the influence of the historian was so extensive that many of the allies' publicists seem to regard him as the leading devil's advocate. His name has been anathema since the war began; his lectures have not been available, a condition, however, that has not in the least minimized the cursings upon his head.

An edition of Prof. Treitschke's lectures on "Politics" (two volumes) translated by Blanche Dugale and Torben de Bille, with an introduction by Arthur James Balfour and a foreword by President Lowell of Harvard, presents what is probably most significant and vital of Treitschke's teachings. But Treitschke seems to have been more the spokesman of his day, a dervisher historian haranguing those who already believed, than a fierce prophet inspiring a simple people with zeal for martial destiny. Had he been unpopular he would not have been privileged to teach. But he was Prussian through and through. He justified the might with which Prussia dominated Germany, and remarks that the Emperor William I was "crude but correct" in saying: "The empire after all is only an extension of Prussia."

He believed in war, called it "nothing but foreign policy expressed in terms of force," and poured scorn upon degenerates that "rave of everlasting peace," for "heroism, bodily strength and chivalrous spirit is essential to the character of a noble people" and the highly cultured man realizes indeed that he must slay the antagonists whose bravery he honors."

Germans, he says, have "too little rugged pride," but the Prussians are more reasonable and call up more "moral force" than the French, and he prays that Germany be spared from "the corroding influence of peace;" and though "modern wars are not fought for booty, but for a high moral ideal," yet, "up to the present Germany has always had too small a share of the spoils" and "the outcome of our next successful war must be the acquisition of colonies by any possible means."

The state, he tells us, "can acknowledge no arbiter above it," and "weakness must always be condemned as the most disastrous and despicable of crimes, the unforgivable sin of politics;" and still farther we are told that altruism on the part of the state is an anomaly: "We praise the state which draws the sword to fend off ruin from itself but sacrifice for an alien nation is not only unmoral, but contradictory to the idea of self-maintenance, which is the highest content of the state." But "without war no state could be," and he glories in "the unquenchable love of war in the martial German race."

Treitschke despises republics and democracies; and he asks proudly: "Will anyone seriously contend that the sovereign people's wisdom has raised better men to the Presidency of the United States than destiny has placed upon the Prussian throne?" and "in spite of their great material progress Americans have hitherto failed to contribute anything to the great ideal possessions of the human race." The Germans, he says, are so far superior to Americans, that further study of American political conditions will profit nothing; and he also tells us that a democracy is more expensive than a monarchy, for "A single Presidential election, with all the agitations which accompany it in business circles and in the press, costs far more than the civil lists of all our princes put together. The expense is voluntarily borne by the American people and no mention is made of it."

Treitschke is vigorous and blunt, as the exponent of arrogance and force should be; and no doubt his was a great influence. But he was only one of a group, one with Lamprecht and Nietzsche, Bernhardi, Von der Goltz and Bismarck, the protagonists of "blood and iron."

CHARLES FROHMAN.

CHARLES FROHMAN: Manager and Man. By Isaac F. Marcosson and Daniel Frohman. With an Appreciation by Sir James M. Barrie. Harper & Brothers, New York.

It has been said that Charles Frohman's "star" system harmed the stage. Shortly before his death he remarked that it had injured his judgment. The stage can stand a lot of the kind of harming that was done by Maude Adams, Ethel Barrymore, E. H. Sothern—and the score of others whose names Frohman emblazoned before the theaters. The theatrical manager whose "stars" would not accept a scrap of paper to show their $100,000 contract for a season's work is not the sort of man who would harm anybody or anything. Practically all of his contracts were verbals.

No character of all the multitude that he put on the boards had a more dramatic role than Frohman in his lifetime. From the time he saw a theater, and as a boy began shuffling thick pasteboards so as to be more adept in handling tickets, until he went down on the Lusitania with the magnificent words: "Why fear death? It is the most beautiful adventure of life," he was literally a dramatic figure. His courage and his humor were irrepressible. Whether precariously hustling a troop of minstrels about the country and cajoling an audience by telegraph to wait until the delayed train arrived, or, as in his later days, directing the tours of his "stars," he was the same resourceful, reliable, genial man.

Perhaps one reason that failures scarcely touched him was due to his indifference to money. His biographers instance times when the memorable production of "Joan of Arc" because he felt that pictures could not do the great spectacle justice. The Germans were responsible for his death, and the irony of it is that he produced Schiller's poetic drama ("Joan of Arc") and turned over the proceeds to the Germanic Museum at Harvard, and sent to the Kaiser a magnificent vellum album containing the complete photographic records of the play.

James Barrie begins his appreciation of Frohman with: "The man who never broke his word. There was a great deal more to him, but every one in any land who had dealings with Charles Frohman will sign that." There is also a luminating paragraph in this Appreciation which explains why Barrie has written so few novels. He says of Frohman: "He was very dogged. I had only one quarrel with him, but it lasted all the sixteen years I knew him. He wanted me to be a playwright and I wanted to be a novelist. All those years I fought him on that. He always won, but not because of his doggedness; only because he was so lovable that one had to do as he wanted. He also threatened, if I stopped, to produce the old plays and print my name in large electric letters over the entrance of the theater." Barrie continues: "For money he did not care at all; it was to him but pieces of paper with which he could make practical the enterprises that teemed in his brain. They were all enterprises of the theater. Having once seen a theater, he never afterwards saw anything else except sites for theaters."

"LOVE'S INFERNO."

"Love's Inferno" by Dr. Edward Stilgebauer, translated by C. Thieme, (Brentano's) is a novel of the war, intended to be gripping and strong, and, according to the publishers, has had its merit certified by censorship in Germany. A "merit" readily explained by its uncomplimentary presentation of certain German officers and stress upon the brutal invasion of Belgium. It is much stronger than many war books, which is a negligible compliment; but as a novel it is not remarkable except perhaps for the positively freakish twist given the story in the fourth and last part.

The first three parts of the story are taken up with a very old though ever-new theme: The young wife of a German major loves guiltlessly a young captain, Adolf, who serves under him. The characters of both officers are ably and sympathetically drawn, particularly that of Maj. Berkesburg who has the more difficult part. They campaign together, Adolf untroubled in conscience and the major anguished and humiliated by what he has learned. Though Adolf is sent into danger it is the Major who is wounded; though later tragedy marks both men for her own.

After that Melanie changes her name to Nurse Irene and goes into the hospital corps and in Belgium rescues from the field a desperately wounded Belgium soldier, a great poet, who though in great pain gives her his latest poem and requires that she read it. Both perish together dramatically in the flood that follows the cutting away of the dykes to drive out the invaders. All of which makes a sensationally tragic and quite unreal ending—Ossa gratuitously heaped on Pelion to crush the heart of the reader.

DENATIONALIZATION.

THE TIDE OF IMMIGRATION. By Frank Julian Warne. D. Appleton & Co., New York.

In the United States there are fourteen million foreign born residents, or enough to make six cities the size of Chicago. The influx has vastly outstripped the assimilative powers of the country, and the incoming hordes lower the standard of living, cheapen wages, increase crime and threaten to denationalize the American people.

Mr. Warne, special expert on foreign-born population for the United States government, exhaustively considers the immigration problem in this book. He believes in immigration, but only to the extent of allowing those to come who will likely benefit the country; he scorns the cant phrases with which three Presidents, Cleveland, Taft and Wilson, have vetoed the illiteracy test because "it violated the traditions of noble America which is a haven of refuge for the oppressed of all the earth"—Chinese excepted. Mr. Warne says that for all that cant we are rejecting the "oppressed" if they are known to be diseased or immoral (33,000 were rejected in 1914,) and shows that most of those we are accepting have been lured from "oppression" by steamship agents and manufacturers looking for cheap labor, and that practically one half of the immigrants come for only temporary employment. "They do not come to this country to become a responsible part of society; they seldom are affected by those communal influences which would tend to improve their standard of living, and they retain for the greater part those Old World notions and habits of thought which unfit them to become members of our democratic society and to fit into our republican institutions."

He says that the "illiteracy test" should not be judged by whether it kept some out that deserved to come in, or admitted others who should be kept out, but by whether it would as a whole be of decided benefit to America. He seems to think that it would; and he is emphatically of the opinion that some definite measures for decreasing immigration must be taken soon. The internal situation is not only now alarming, but by all the signs of history and the precedents of previous wars in Europe, there will be a tidal rush to America when the present war is ended . . . and we now have enough foreign born to make six cities the size of Chicago!

AMY LOWELL'S POETRY.

Although published less than three weeks, a second edition of Amy Lowell's "Men, Women and Ghosts" has already been required. This is indeed a record equalled by few vol-

MASK RIPPED OFF WILY IRISHMAN.

Bernard Shaw Declared to be a Serious-minded Individual Who is Intent Upon Doing the World Great Good.

BERNARD SHAW: The Man and the Mask. By Richard Burton, Henry Holt & Co., New York.

Prof. Burton is as enthusiastic over Bernard Shaw as though he had just discovered him. The professor will have it that Shaw is a great dramatist, a master of technique, a thinker, a poet and a mystic; or in other words, that Shaw is just the sort of a dramatist that he has imprudently declared himself to be. Anyone thinking so must disagree with H. G. Wells, who—perhaps with the wish father to the thought—assumes that Shaw has ruined himself by his attitude toward the war. Mr. Wells takes precautionary measures never to ruin himself by telling his audiences anything that is likely to be unpopular.

Referring to the typically British uproar over Shaw's diatribe on the war, Prof. Burton says: "One may, if one wishes, assume with Mr. Wells that the playwright is demolished; or one may receive from the pious hands of Mr. John Palmer the epitaph of the once popular maker of intellectual drama. . . . But, aside from all this, the main point is that Shaw is still the author of 'Candida', 'Man and Superman', 'Mrs. Warren's Profession,' and sundry other plays—with their prefaces."

Prof. Burton does not believe Shaw has been duly appreciated as a dramatist. "In the critical treatment of Shaw up to the present time, emphasis has been laid, upon the whole, too much upon Shaw the thinker, at the expense of Shaw the artist," but "it happens, however, that the contemporary world is finding out, with more or less naive surprise, that Shaw meets the theater test and in fact is turning out to be one of the best acting dramatists of the British theater. He nicely fooled many of us in this way."

Shaw is called the frankest, boldest and purest minded of British dramatists; and Prof. Burton's operation in removing the "mask" from the "man" is no more intricate than removing the sugar coating of comedy from the bitter plays which Shaw would like society to swallow so that the reforms he advocates would get their work.

"Shaw began play-writing confronted by the historical attitude which declares that the playhouse is a secular indulgence; it belongs to Saturday afternoon, and Sunday is just ahead when we can put on sober clothes of repentance, purge, leave sack and live cleanly. And he met it by sufficiently hiding his seriousness within a framework of interesting fable and then so spicing his sermon with condiment of wit and satire and comic scene and character, that the pleasure of the playhouse was preserved even for the light-minded, and the mourners became like unto those who rejoice."

Prof. Burton thinks that Shaw's method of emphasizing by overstatement is "congenital," but acknowledges that the dramatist must "substitute heat for light" to drive home his points because to stop and explain would be tedious.

All of Shaw's published plays are briefly discussed chronologically, and the verdict is that he is a maturer, stronger, and even more promising dramatist at sixty than in 1892 when he wrote "Widowers' Houses."

Prof. Burton ridicules (and Shaw does too) those ardent admirers who find esoteric significance in the plays; and the author thinks that Shaw is disconcerting to two classes only: Those who have insufficient humor to be capable of taking his wit other than literally, and those who seek to "interpretate" the plays as though they were a kind of comic mysticism.

Shaw's success has been, and continues to be, astonishing—and to most people, gratifying. He has recorded that the first nine years in London his pen earned for him six pounds, and five of those were a medical advertisement.

Though Prof. Burton has rather heavily loaded Shaw's head with a variety of laurels, and has written a book that seems designed to overwhelm those numerous individuals that seem a little skeptical about admiring the man, yet it is good to read such a whole-hearted appreciation, one devoid of the touches of supercilliousness that plagues the text of Shaw's commentators. And it is certain that Prof. Burton's concluding estimate is not immoderate: "A challenging, vital thinker, a keen and fascinating wielder of words, a skilled shaper of story in dramatic mould, a modern critic with passion for social betterment."

PROLIFIC AUTHOR.

E. V. Lucas, poet, essayist, novelist and "wanderer," is one of the most industrious of all living authors. Born in 1868, his first book of poems appeared in 1891. Since then, he states, he "has been so indecently industrious that the number of entries to his name in the British Museum catalogue, essays, novels, prefaced books, anthologies and works of travel run up to 108. For two years Mr. Lucas was employed by provincial papers, writing police reports, reviews, theater notices, inquests, etc. In 1893, at the age of 25, he joined the London Evening Globe. In 1894 he joined the staff of Punch, and has been reserve editor for some years whenever Sir Owen Seaman was away. His first serious book was a life of Lam's friend, Bernard Barton.

He is best known in America for his collection of verse, "The Open Road." Four books from his pen are published by the George H. Doran Company this fall—"The Vermilion Box," a jolly novel full of characteristic Lucas charm and optimism; "More Wanderings in London" (A delightfully illustrated guide book, a sequel to "A Wanderer in London;") "Cloud and Silver," a charming group of essays and

American Novels.

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Promethean qualities of the Russian giants.

In neither case am I just to either.

America has great novelists today and great poets and great short story writers, architects and sculptors. They are American. What we lack is a few more critics to climb down from the garden wall, where they stare longingly into other people's yards, and revel in the glorious gardens flourishing at home.

NO SPEED LAWS IN WIT.

From "Peeps at a Propagandist's Desk" in the Los Angeles World comes the following tribute to "The Motorist's Almanac" for 1917:

"My motor evolution has been from a Hoosier-bred Ohio pony to the precarious flights of a California jitney. Hence my personal knowledge of the innards of a machine—a machine to me always signified an Underwood—verges perilously close to nil. So I farmed out my copy of 'The Motorist's Almanac for 1917' (Houghton Mifflin Co.) to a man who owns and loves one of the California pets. (Some proletarians put an extra 's' into the last word.) Here is what I got next day concerning William Leavitt Stoddard's collection of 'Much entertainment and not a few facts' and of Gluyas Williams's appropriate pictures: 'Well he knows what he is talking about. I'm going to buy that book. Look at "On Buying Things," "On Making Repairs," etc. "That just hits my experience," etc., through more space than will be allowed me to appropriate. Hence I place my official O. K. on this little almanac. There are no speed laws in mirth and wit.'"

GILBERT'S JOKE.

Mrs. Alec-Tweedie, author of "My-tablecloths: A Few Reminiscences," just published by the George H. Doran Company, has the following story to tell of Sir W. S. Gilbert, co-author with Sullivan in the famous Gilbert and Sullivan operas:

"Gilbert was once talking of Sir Francis Burnand, and how he scored off Johnny Toole, the actor. The editor of Punch was giving a dinner party and the first to arrive was the jovial Johnny Toole. Voices were heard on the stairs.

"'Get under the table quick, Toole,' said Burnand; 'quick, man, quick!'

"And the somewhat surprised comedian did as he was bidden.

"The other gentleman entered the room, and somebody remarked:

"'I thought you were expecting Toole tonight?'

"'Yes, he is here,' replied the host.

"'Here?' interrupted the visitor; 'where?'

"'Under the table,' replied Burnand.

"'Under the table! Whatever for!'

"'Blessed if I know; better ask him,' was all Burnand's comment. And so emerged from beneath the snowy tablecloth the comically disconcerted face of Johnny Toole."

ELIZABETHAN JEWELS.

Here is a list of some of the finger rings owned by Good Queen Bess, and with which Shakespeare was doubtless familiar, as we learn in "Shakespeare and Precious Stones," Dr. George F. Kunz's new book on jewels (Lippincott's.) Heriot, the Queen's jeweler, describes them thus:

"A ring with a heart and serpent, all set about with diamonds; a ring with a single diamond, set in a heart betwixt two hands; a ring with a burning heart set with diamonds; one great ring, in form of a frog, all set with diamonds; a daisie ring set with a table diamond; a ring set with nine diamonds, and opening on the head with the King's picture in that."

A traveler who visited Elizabeth's court "tells us that the Queen's right hand was fairly sparkling with jeweled rings." At her court Shakespeare became familiar with "The diamond, topaz, amethyst, the emerald mild, the ruby gay," and all the rest of the "Orient list" with which he gemmed his poetry.

VARIETY OF NEW BOOKS.

"Ireland's Literary Renaissance," by Ernest A. Boyd, an exhaustive account of the literature produced in Ireland during the last thirty years, under the impulse of the Celtic Renaissance; "A Diary of the Great War," by Samuel Pepys, Jr., the most up-to-date and amusing history of the times; "Aerial Russia," the romance of the Giant Aeroplane, by Lieut.-Col. Roustam Bek, which gives the reader full particulars of the progress of the science of aviation in Russia and of the production of the giant aeroplanes designed by Sikorsky. Also the novels: "The Redemption of Grace Milroy," by Carlton Dawe, author of "The Super-Barbarians," etc., and "House Room," by Ida Wild, author of "Zoe the Dancer;" the former is the history of a girl's struggle to rehabilitate herself after a term in prison; the latter is a tale fascinating in its setting, in its hardy-like characters, in its bold abandonment of some of the ordinary conventions. All are books recently published by John Lane Company.

PRESIDENT WILSON IN MOVIES.

President Wilson will be shown on the screen in the capacity of a motion picture actor when "The Man Who Forgot" is released by William A. Brady of the World Film Corporation. The film story is based on the temperance novel of that name by James Hay, Jr., recently published by Doubleday, Page & Co., and which has been widely circulated by prohibition organizations. The President consented to aid the motion picture people in several scenes, that lead to the "happy ever after" ending. The part of the play in which the President acts was made at Shadow Lawn.

PRUSSIANS IN POLAND.

"How the Prussians Came to Poland" is an account of the horrors of war during the invasion of the Russian province. The author, the Marquise Laura de Gozdawa de Turczynowicz, is by birth an American (she was Miss Laura Blackwell) and by virtue of her former citizenship was able to escape to America with her children. Her husband is a Polish agricultural scientist, now In-

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SUNDAY MORNIN[illegible]

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Brown Mare" (Alfred A. [illegible] will not disappoint the lovers [illegible] classic.

But it does. "The Brown [illegible] is a short story of no par[illegible] charm or distinction except t[illegible] was written by Mr. Olivant, a[illegible] scribes an officer's love for a [illegible] that dies after being poison[illegible] nibbling bark "somewhere [illegible] France."

The remaining chapters t[illegible] book are, apparently, observ[illegible] (rather than stories) on wa[illegible] conditions in England, and [illegible] upon Belgian refugees, the [illegible] bardment of Scarborough, the [illegible] of Zeppelins, the interferen[illegible] military duties with social amen[illegible] the care of the wounded in hos[illegible] and the efforts of women to m[illegible] homes and estates while the [illegible] are at the front. These chapte[illegible] valuable enough. Intere[illegible] enough in themselves, though [illegible] particularly noteworthy, but [illegible] certainly have no rightful place [illegible] book that is represented on the [illegible] page as the story of "The B[illegible] Mare" and nothing else.

"Richard Richard."

Hughes Mearns has used fan[illegible] and rather shabby fictional pr[illegible] ties for "Richard Richard" [illegible] Penn Company,) presenting ou[illegible] friend the young millionaire [illegible] nito and the sweet girl with[illegible] drunken brother that needs r[illegible] cation. The man called Ric[illegible] Richard with rare perspicuity [illegible] that he will be able to borrow m[illegible] from Geraldine Wells the first [illegible] they meet on board the ship Na[illegible] but Richard is far from being [illegible] adventurer, though he is some[illegible] of a poseur, and after becoming [illegible] mate with the Wells family [illegible] does a garrulous Irish friend [illegible] says witty things and makes [illegible] limericks, but regrettably the [illegible] remarks and limericks must be t[illegible] as faith—they are talked of, [illegible] not recorded.

The story has many incident[illegible] keep the plot unsettled, var[illegible] from delirium trémens of Gerald[illegible] brother to the bankruptcy of [illegible] family, but Richard Richard, [illegible] a little by the phenomenal ph[illegible] whose idea of humor seems t[illegible] confined to impudent remarks [illegible] an attitude of false ferocity, [illegible] fails to play the role expecte[illegible] Price Fortunatus, incognito.

"Richard Richard" is a hy[illegible] novel, planned for light reading [illegible] eager for a little "high brow" c[illegible] and the result is not interest[illegible] except perhaps as a curiosity.

"A Slav Soul."

Stephen Graham has selected [illegible] translated fifteen stories by A[illegible] ander Kuprin for "A Slav S[illegible] (G. P. Putman's Sons.) On [illegible] whole they are not typical Rus[illegible] stories, or at least not what [illegible] been served to English readers [illegible] "typical." The titular story is, h[illegible] ever, being morbid and futile, [illegible] having a dense atmosphere of [illegible] catholic torpidity.

Mr. Graham says, "Perhaps [illegible] greatest of living novelists [illegible] Kuprin—exalted, hysterical, s[illegible] mental, Rabelaisian Kuprin;" [illegible] this is very high praise to be ha[illegible] on the stories in this vol[illegible] (though "The Duel," and one [illegible] two other novels, is not unknow[illegible] Russian.) However, "The Last Wo[illegible] is excellent though tragic sat[illegible] giving the defense of a lunatic [illegible] has killed a bourgeois pest; [illegible] "Mechanical Justice" is also sat[illegible] amusing but not volatile. A st[illegible] of an entirely different kind is "[illegible] Elephant," describing how a r[illegible] Elephant is brought into her ho[illegible] to please a little girl ill with fe[illegible] "Hamlet" describes how a fam[illegible] actor comes to the end of his a[illegible] one on the same stage and ni[illegible] that an unknown student becon[illegible] a star.

"The Klondike Clan."

S. Hall Young spent some thi[illegible] years in and around Alaska. [illegible] after men's souls rather th[illegible] said. He wrote "Alaskan Days w[illegible] John Muir," and was the owner [illegible] the dog Stickeen, of which M[illegible] has written a classic.

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Season's Fictions.

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Brown Mare" (Alfred A. Knopf) will not disappoint the lovers of that classic.

But it does. "The Brown Mare" is a short story of no particular charm or distinction except that it was written by Mr. Olivant, and describes an officer's love for a horse that dies after being poisoned by a sibling bark "somewhere in France."

The remaining chapters in the book are, apparently, observations (rather than stories) on wartime conditions in England, and touch upon Belgian refugees, the bombardment of Scarborough, the fear of Zeppelins, the interference of military duties with social amenities, the care of the wounded in hospitals, and the efforts of women to manage homes and estates while the men are at the front. These chapters are valuable enough, interesting enough in themselves, though not particularly noteworthy, but they certainly have no rightful place in a book that is represented on the title page as the story of "The Brown Mare" and nothing else.

"Richard Richard."

Hughes Mearns has used familiar and rather shabby fictional properties for "Richard Richard" (The John Lane Company,) presenting our old friend the young millionaire incognito and the sweet girl with the drunken brother that needs regeneration. The man called Richard Richard with rare perspicuity sees that he will be able to borrow money from Geraldine Wells the first time they meet on board the ship Naples; but Richard is far from being an adventurer, though he is something of a poseur, and after becoming intimate with the Wells family introduces a garrulous Irish friend who says witty things and makes witty quips, but regrettably the witty quirks and limericks must be taken on faith—they are talked of, but not recorded.

The story has many incidents to move the plot unsettled, varying from delirium tremens of Geraldine's father to the bankruptcy of her family, but Richard Richard, aided a little by the phenomenal Phoebe, whose idea of humor seems to be confined to impudent remarks and an attitude of false ferocity, never fails to play the role expected of the Fortunatus, incognito.

"Richard Richard" is a hybrid novel, planned for light reading but never for a little "high brow" color, and the result is not interesting, except perhaps as a curiosity.

"A Slav Soul."

Stephen Graham has selected and translated fifteen stories by Alexander Kuprin for "A Slav Soul" (G. P. Putman's Sons.) On the whole they are not typical Russian stories, or at least not what has been served to English readers as "typical." The titular story is, however, being morbid and futile and has a dense atmosphere of melancholic torpidity.

Mr. Graham says, "Perhaps the greatest of living novelists is Tolstoi—exalted, hysterical, sentimental, Rabelaisian Kuprin;" and this is very high praise to be based on the stories in this volume through "The Duel," and one or two other novels, is not unknown in English.) However, "The Last Word" is excellent though tragic satire, giving the defense of a lunatic that he killed a bourgeois pest; and "Mechanical Justice" is also satire, stinging but not volatile. A story of an entirely different kind is "The Peasant," describing how a real peasant is brought into her home and how a little girl fill with fever. "Hamlet" describes how a famous actor comes to the end of his success on the same stage and night that an unknown student becomes a star.

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The Parson, with his muscular oaths that are used when occasion seems to warrant, and irrepressible cheer; Scotty, Sandy, and other pioneers of the trail; the college boys making a lark of hardships; and not forget his friends; the Navy Bill, who strikes it rich but loses Viva, who searches for her lover and finds him too late—all these characters that are interesting to meet and watch. They have upon them the stamp of reality.

"Cupid in Oilskins."

J. Bell in "Cupid in Oilskins" (Sterling H. Revell,) is concerned with the common—to distinguish it from officers—sailors of England that put into Lilport to not scouring the sea for submarines. His fidelity to dialect may be a few Americans who, however, do not flinch at the rustic jargon of native scribes put into the mouth of farmers and the mountaineers of Kentucky and Tennessee. Bell finds it necessary to use Irish and Scotch, because the men aboard the Lapwing are a mixed lot, and all of them are interested in Lydia, the niece of Mr. Darling Moore is Lydia's hero. He is a gunner on the Lapwing; but when his big chance comes he gets what is known to hunters as the "buck fever," and flunks with the submarine in full view. Mr. Buckle, as becomes a patriotic Englishman, thinks Charlie scarcely better than a traitor and will not let him come into the house. But Lydia's heart is loyal, and it is the letter she writes him that is really responsible for the heroic feat with which he redeems himself and the honor of his ship, even after the Lapwing has been torpedoed.

"The Whale and the Grasshopper."

Here is something entirely new and enjoyable; "The Whale and the Grasshopper," by Sheumas O'Brien (Little, Brown & Co.) The stories are not fiction, having neither a tinge of plausibility nor scarcely a trace of a plot; but they are bright with merry, kindly humor, and studded with such comments as: "When a man falls into love he falls into trouble likewise, and when a woman isn't in trouble you may be sure that there's something wrong with her"—"A work of art is like a flower; it grows, it happens. That's all. And unless you charge the devil's own price for it, people will think you are cheating them"—"Every man is entitled to his own opinion until he gets married"—"People who have pluck enough to commit suicide usually have too much pride to boast of it beforehand"—and the poor sailor with the wooden leg says: "I'll take all I can get for nothing and give as little as I can help in return. I'm a capitalist by temperament, but being poor I didn't get a chance to exercise my talents."

Many is the merry tale that Padna Dan tells to his good friend, Micus Pat, and once in a while 'tis Micus Pat that tells the yarn to Padna Pan; though the latter seems the poorer listener, or rather the greater talker. And never a yarn but is comic, as the sad story of "The Dilemma of Matty, the Goat," who wanted to commit suicide because, through no fault of his own, he got himself two wives and knew that if he lived with them he would get himself arrested for bigamy, and if he left them he would get arrested for desertion.

Also there is the merry colloquy between the grasshopper and the whale, and the tragic tale of the Irishman who became "The King of Montobewlo" and turned cannibal; also the fearful fish story of "The Man with the Wooden Leg," as well as nearly a score more, and all of them sprightly and amusing.

"Miss Theodosia's Heartstrings."

The season has been signally free of regenerating children in fiction, but Annie Hamilton Donnell has a houseful of youngsters who tug at Miss Theodosia's heartstrings until they pull her—indvertently, of course—into marital bliss. Miss Theodosia is a world-wanderer who returns to her village to rest, but upon finding that the poor family needs her washing she turns over the "whites," then secretly washes them herself to help the temporary orphan who is trying so hard to hold down the laundry work until her mother returns. Through the children the "nice" man appears and reappears until he becomes well enough acquainted with Miss Theodosia, who is aged 36, but doesn't show it, to ask her to marry him. He, too, is a world-wanderer, and a writer of romances, and believes he has been in love with Miss Theodosia since the world began—which is what every man says when he proposes, for such is the hallucination of love.

The children are a noisy, ejaculating lot, and present the belabored exuberance of a pollyannish household; so it is that "Miss Theodosia's Heartstrings" (Little, Brown & Co.,) is a "cheerful," a "sweet" story of the kind that seems to be especially designed as a gift to spinsters.

"Damaris."

Lucas Malet, the daughter of Charles Kingsley, in "Damaris" (Dodd, Mead & Co.,) tells, and tells it well, in the psychological fashion, a story of India in 1864, which reveals the love of Col. Verity, a widower, for Mrs. Pereira, who has married twice since those younger days when she and Verity missed what both think would have been a happier destiny had he not married the mother of Damaris.

The action of "Damaris" takes but a short time. Mrs. Pereira comes on a visit to the garrison where the colonel is stationed and mingles in the social life, where, though the truth of the old romance is not known, the tongues of gossips are busy. The book takes its title from the little girl who instantly falls in love with Mrs. Pereira and insists upon being loved by her; and it is in the child's name that Col. Verity at last calls the woman he loves back to him—after abandoning certain primitive and reckless emotions that were urging him into a course that would have ruined his career.

English life in India, when India was a dangerous country and the Sepoy rebellion was vividly remembered, is described—or rather is sketched in between incidents; and the author conveys very strongly the Indian "atmosphere."

"Unfinished Portraits."

In "Unfinished Portraits" (Charles Scribner's Sons) Jennette Lees embellished with romantic imagism certain accredited episodes in the lives of famous artists and musicians: Schubert, Chopin, Bach, Titian, Giorgione, Leonardo and Albrecht Durer.

The chapter on Chopin is said to have created a controversy in Europe, where some people, misunderstanding her method, have taken the Chopin letters as authentic. And the chapter on Chopin is the one that most strongly tries to convey the personality of the artist (not to be confused with "painter") instead of merely to tell a story around some actual or legendary event in the lives of the distinguished characters.

It is a severe strain on any author's art to make even "unfinished portraits" of so many of the greatest of men, putting the colorful periods in which they lived into the background, and that may explain why these are hardly noteworthy.

"The Impossible Mrs. Bellew."

"The Impossible Mrs. Bellew" (Frederick A. Stokes & Co.) has a great deal of the false glamour which astute authors throw over dull stories. First, it is laid at Monte Carlo, which is a glamourous place that everyone is eager to read about; second, Mrs. Bellew is a beautiful woman with a reputation for really bad escapades, and such creatures are fascinating; thirdly, she is strenuously wooed by a Russian nobleman, and of all the picturesque characters that may be dragged by the ears into a story, Russian noblemen, with tempestuous passions and somber handsomeness, are the choicest; fourthly, Mrs. Bellew is also loved by a famous young novelist, and for some easily perceived reason the people who write think that the people who read are intensely interested in authors.

Mrs. Bellew was, like all girls are said to be, at one time in her life quite innocent; but a Satanic wooer came along and in six months (sic) taught her all the wizardry of sin so that she was able to hold her own even among the polite and finished sinners of London society. At Monte Carlo she plays her fascinating game, but really loves the young novelist and puts over a number of ruses to show the reader that she isn't such a bad woman, after all, and is worthy of the happiness that comes to her.

The book is by David Lisle—a woman.

"A Circuit Rider's Widow."

The memoirs of Mary Thompson, relating her experiences in the small town of Berton with preachers and their wives, with elders and their pig-headedness, with revival and societies, all under the austere auspicies of Methodism, which does not allow a woman to open her mouth louder than a whisper in church, make up "A Circuit Rider's Widow" by Cora Harris (Doubleday, Page & Co.)

For more than half a century Mary Thompson has been among the people of Berton, and much of that time, as the pastor's wife, she was mother confessor, comforter, nurse and mentor. Her natural craving for the joyous phases of life is repressed but shows itself in flashes of mercurial wit that usually baffles or shocks the good people of the town.

The book may seem a bit dull and tedious because it accurately presents small town religion, accentuates the precious trivialities of old fashioned, orthodox faith (though the story comes right down to even the war in Europe.) "The Circuit Rider's Widow" is satirical on many of its pages, but is nevertheless written with strong sympathy and deep understanding of the provincial Christians, who, sincere and intense, are entirely incapable of understanding the new, broad spirit of utilitarianism brought to them by the strange, not to say slightly mysterious, pastor.

"Peace and Quiet."

The author of "The Squaw Man," Edwin Milton Royle, has clapped an antithetical title onto this novel which is fairly seething with turbulency.

"Peace and Quiet" (Harper & Brothers) opens with Thaddeus Castleman reposing in a Mexican jail under sentence to be shot at dawn because he adhered to the cause of Madero and came near saving the unfortunate President from assassination. But Miss Tranquility Buck, daughter of Col. Buck, bothers all enjoyment of golf out of President Wilson until he intervenes. So it is that Thaddeus barely escapes the firing squad.

He returns to Washington, and though nearly penniless stops at an expensive hotel, affiliates with a movement for Universal Peace, and is almost at once floundering about in a kettle of hot water. But he and President Wilson sing together over the telephone Princeton's college song, and Thaddeus is persuaded to join in the search for valuable documents pertaining to the Mexican situation, lost by the President's personal representative. About the same time he is begged by a United States Senator to take charge of smuggling operations into Mexico from which he hopes to supplement the presumably inadequate salary paid by his country for faithful service. And all this happens at about the same time that Col. Buck is sent to the border to suppress smuggling.

Thaddeus, as though the complications arising from such situations were not enough, is also beset by a sense of humor which frequently takes the form of impudent and flippant comment addressed to those with whom he has dealings—excepting, of course, Miss Tranquility Buck.

"The Range Boss."

Charles Alden Seltzer has told another story of the wild and woolly West in "The Range Boss" (A. C. McClurg & Co.) in which appear the old familiar beautiful girl from the East, the Virginian-like cowpuncher of fine integrity and deadly aim, a handful of ruffians, and the whelp of an easterner who is loved by the girl. The easterner wears "funny" clothes, carries a small caliber revolver, and makes a farcial ass of himself as the foil for the gigantic manhood of the cool, deadly Randerson, range boss of the Flying W ranch, which the girl has inherited.

Mastin, the easterner, is laboriously shown to be an unconscionable cur ho seduces an innocent prairie maiden, makes love to a waitress, plots melodramatically against the ranch owner who loves him, and hires "killers" to do away with Randerson; yet with a simple twist of the author's wrist in the concluding chapters this despicable creature is put through a hasty regeneration and does the "honorable thing" by the simple prairie maiden.

Though Mr. Seltzer has ability in depicting the legendary cowpuncher, his plot is scarcely more than a series of incidents each calculated to show off Randerson's courage and manhood.

"The Woman of Mystery."

"The Woman of Mystery" seems designed to exorcise the devil of ennui from blase readers. Madrice Leblanc is the master of the concentrated thriller, and the first chapter of this fervid—perfervid perhaps—war mystery concludes with a crash that sends dramatic echoes reverberating through the entire story.

On the night of his wedding, Paul Delroze is shown a portrait in the home of his bride, and is horrified to recognize that it is the picture of the woman who murdered his father some years before in the presence of Kaiser Wilhelm—while the Emperor was surreptitiously on French soil. The bride is outraged and protests that it is the portrait of her saintly and dead mother.

A few days later war is declared. Paul meets both a man and a woman (or at least he thinks so for a time) whose face is the original of the portrait; and dangers beset both him and his wife at every turn. His wife is kidnaped because Prince Conrad, son of the Kaiser, has become infatuated with her. But the kidnaping does not stop there; and by virtue of a master stroke, Paul is able to confront the Kaiser and give orders to the War Lord himself. Eventually he destroys the head of the German secret service department—but not until he has unraveled the seemingly impenetrable mystery.

"The Woman of Mystery" (The Macauley Company) is a strenuous story, and for one so complicated, so melodramatic, is put together with skill.

"The Romance of a Christmas Card."

In "The Romance of a Christmas Card" (Houghton Mifflin Company) Kate Douglas Wiggin tells of what happened when the minister's wife, who has an interest in drawing, sold a Christmas card to a manufacturer that put it on the market. The card was designed as greeting for "the folks back home." Two men who had been long away from the village were inspired by it to return home. A nurse brought one man his card in the hospital and the other saw his in the office of a dentist while waiting for an appointment. One man came home to his neglected twins, and the other (the stepson of the minister's son) came home—presumably—to a neglected girl.

It is a "cheery" little Christmas story, brightly illustrated to serve as a "gift" book.

"The Turtles of Tasman."

Jack London presents eight stories of various complexions in "The Turtles of Tasman" (The Macmillan Company.) The first, from which the book takes its title, shows how much more the man gets from life if he goes knocking about the world than his studious and careful brother who keeps to business and generously provides the thriftless adventurer with money.

The last two stories "Finis" and "The End of the Story" are Alaskan, full of the red blood that Mr. London once sedulously spilled on his pages. The first is of a murderer who freezes to death and the second is of a famous surgeon who preforms incredible operations in the Far North upon the man that has run off with his wife.

"The Prodigal Father" is one of Mr. London's rare attempts at humor; "Told in the Drooling Ward" presents the monologue of a feebleminded attendant in the paralytic ward, offering a rare bit of "real life;" "The First Poet" is in dramatic form (the best of the collection) and shows why discreet poets among the cave men would not sing of useless things; "The Eternity of Form" is designed as a story of psychological horror; "The Hobo and the Fairy" is a variation of what kindness will do to criminals.

"Rainbow's End."

In "Rainbow's End" (Harper & Brothers) Rex Beach goes back to the Spanish occupation of Cuba for his setting and liberally helps himself to the conventional trappings of melodrama as furnishings for his story.

In the background—or rather in the well — lie buried treasures, which the cruel step-mother goes to her death searching for in her sleep. In the foreground is the beautiful Spanish maiden and her brother, who despite their blood are loyal to the cause of Cuba; also in the foreground is the thrice cruel and detested guerrilla chieftain who desires the beautiful maiden. And then there is Johnnie O'Reilly, who represents an Importing Company. O'Reilly takes matters in hand and though he doesn't quite save Cuba all by himself, he protects the maiden, rescues the treasure and is present when the guerrilla chieftain meets his long deserved death—though 'tisn't O'Reilly that kills him.

"Rainbow's End" is about as good as other of Mr. Beach's later books, and a little better in spots. He tries to show the insurrectos in arms, the wretchedness and courage of the patriots, the way they are harassed and fight, and all that is much more interesting than the "leading man" heroism of O'Reilly.

"The Five-Barred Gate."

E. Temple Thurston has in "The Five-Barred Gate" (D. Appleton & Co.,) written a romance for married people—and for those who hope to be. Technically, it is a problem novel; but in about the same way that "Beauty and the Beast" is technically a moral story to teach children to be kind to animals. "The Five-Barred Gate" is delicate as gossamer, and its humor glistens like dew on a spider's web; and a novelty of the story is that Mr. Thurston shows, without being cynical, that he knows a lot about women.

The "five-barred gate" symbolizes the five years that Mr. and Mrs. Nairn are married, and how those years seem to have shut out adventure from him and romance from her. They live in the ancient mansion at Farthings, which has stood for two centuries and a half. He is a historian—and she a wife. Their servants are chosen, not so much because Mrs. Beavers can cook or Mr. Beavers can act as butler, but because they have been married just the same number of years as the Nairns. That was when the Nairns had been married but two years, and romance was not barred out then.

There is not much plot to the story as plots go; but Mr. Thurston's dexterous accentuation of incidents supplies the story's structural needs, as in the wife's love of dogs and the manner in which Nairn's opposition is overcome; as when each thinks the other has forgotten the fifth wedding anniversary, and neither has, but a present marked "Mizpah" goes from Nairn to the cook; and particularly as when the widow and the handsome brother come to visit at Farthings. Mr. Thurston's protrayal of the widow, her subtlety, is fine, indeed; and the manner in which he weaves the marital troubles of the servants into those of the mistress and master of Farthings is as delicate, as amusing and as interesting as anything this very capable author has written.

"Captain Fricasse."

A new edition of Theophile Gautier's "Captain Fricasse." (The Page Company,) translated by Ellen Murray Beam, again calls attention to the famed historical romance which, with incomparable description, reconstructs the society and manners of France under Louis XIII. The opening chapters, describing the ruined chateau of the impoverished young baron, have long been considered a masterpiece.

The young baron gives shelter on a furious night to a party of strolling players, and being attracted by one of their number who is beautiful and of mysterious origin, he joins with the company and takes the role of "Captain Fricasse" in one of the plays.

The story is thrilling; it is literally crammed and jammed with adventures that present fights and duels, abductions and attempted seductions, and the major action is furnished by the rivalry of Capt. Fricasse and the proud Duke of Vallombreuse—who is eventually "white washed" by becoming a brother to the girl whom he has so long annoyed as a lover.

The young baron, because of his honorable family and courage, finds friends at court and retains the lofty place once held by the members of his house.

The story is far too romantic for the realistic taste of this age; but as a study of the times and manner into which it is cast, there are few, if any, books of fiction that equal it.

"At the Sign of the Three Birches."

Sylvia Durant, who has been raised in luxury by an aunt that married for money and who insists that Sylvia do likewise, finds herself required by the terms of another aunt's will to live a year and a day in the dilapidated and remote house known as "the three birches."

Amy Brooks in "At the Sign of the Three Birches" (Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co.,) shows why Sylvia, who is in love with a comparatively poor man, does this. Accompanied by an old lady of nervous temperament and a capable tongue, Sylvia takes up her residence in the haunted house, which has a closed room from where come strange and ghostly noises. The women are beset by a crazy prophet that predicts all manner of disasters, including the approach of the crack of doom; and, as though this were not enough to try their nerves, Sylvia is wooed by a wealthy farmer in the neighborhood for whom she has an intense dislike. But all her troubles have not been told: a girl of her own set in the city also loves the man to whom Sylvia is devoted, and makes it her business to spy and carry false reports.

But Sylvia sticks to the letter of the will, and in the end the mysterious noises are explained, the prophet is chased off by a dog, the villainous young lady is baffled, and the young man for whom Sylvia has pined discovers the whole truth.

"Filling His Own Shoes."

When Ruggles (not to be identified with "Ruggles of Red Gap,") finds that he has been double-crossed by the manager of the Paris branch of the Walkeasy Shoe Company and cheated out of the managership of the Vienna branch, the young American rises in unexpected wrath and punches the manager and his fellow-conspirator while Miss Ruth Downing, daughter of the Walkeasy manufacturer, is in the store—then begin Ruggles's adventures as chronicled in "Filling His Own Shoes" (Houghton Mifflin Company,) by Henry C. Rowland.

Ruth, among her many fascinations, none of which is lost on Ruggles, has a marvelous nose: "A Grecian nose, the classic purity of which was made seductive by the suggestion of an upward tilt." Ruggles is opportunely taken in tow by a British lord and carried off to the turbulent regions of Turkey, where he becomes the adopted son of a Turk, who, upon dying, bequeaths Ruggles immense wealth and the care of four beautiful daughters.

Adventures and complications stir the text to the frothing point; but Ruggles, whose father before him served the Walkeasy shoes, does not lose his allegiance to the firm—nor to Miss Ruth. Eventually he is in a position superior to that of the conspirators whose noses he has punched, but he is to good a business man to allow personal feelings to interfere with the profits of his beloved shoes.

NEXT TO BIBLE IN POPULARITY.

The Louis Rhead illustrated edition of "The Arabian Nights," which was brought out a few days ago, is the latest addition to the book which, next to the Bible, is the most popular in the world. For more than two centuries now these Oriental tales have been known to European readers. They were translated by a Frenchman, Galland (1646-1715,) from the Arabic. It is not known when these tales, that in their oral form go back into the mists of the past, were first put into printing.

Mark Twain's Novel

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could have made every one of them happy, yet never made a single happy one; who made them prize their bitter life, yet stingily cut it short; who gave his angels eternal happiness unearned, yet required his other children to earn it; who gave his angels painless lives, yet cursed his other children with biting miseries and maladies of mind and body; who mouths justice and invented hell—mouths mercy and invented hell—mouths Golden Rules, and forgiveness multiplied by seventy times seven, and invented hell; who mouths morals to other people and has none himself; who frowns upon crimes, yet commits them all; who created man without invitation, then trys to shuffle the responsibility for man's acts upon man, instead of honorably placing it where it belongs, upon himself; and finally, with altogether divine obtuseness, invites this poor, abused slave to worship him! . . . It is true, that which I have revealed to you: there is no God, no universe, no human race, no earthly life, no heaven, no hell. It is all a dream—a grotesque and foolish dream. Nothing exists but you. And you are but a thought — a vagrant thought, a useless thought, a homeless thought, wandering forlorn among the empty eternities!"

Such is the last message, which comes after his death—from beyond the grave, as it were—borne by the voice of one whose race loved him for his mirth and endearing humor.

PLAY-MAKING LABORATORIES.

In the introduction to his handbook, "Play-Making: A Manual of Craftsmanship," William Archer makes the statement that there are no rules for writing a play. Rules or no rules, his method must be fairly successful, judging by the number of editions of his book. With five printings exhausted and a sixth one just delivered from the press, "Workshop 47" and other laboratories of play-making must be drawing heavily on Mr. Archer's wisdom and experience. The value of "Play-Making" (published by Small, Maynard and Company) lies in the fact that it is addressed to students of play-making who sincerely desire to do sound, artistic work under the conditions and limitations of the actual living playhouse.

Two Good Stories

"Contraband" By RANDALL PARRISH



A romance, a tragedy, and an adventure that moves from a pleasure yacht to a big freighter loaded with munitions of war, thence to a gruesome death ship.

It is as full of mishap as Friday-the-13th. There are hair-raising escapes; plans that miscarry; mutiny, disloyalty, deception. But somehow it all comes out right.

The Range Boss

By Charles Alden Seltzer

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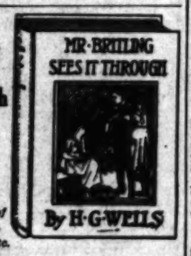
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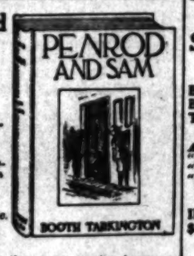
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A POLITICAL POST-MORTEM.

BY FRANK H. SHORT,
In the "Fresno Morning Republican."

IT IS not only entertaining but amusing to read the comments in the eastern papers on the recent election, especially with reference to the vote of the Western States. Quite naturally the editors and writers get all of the dramatic effect they can out of the situation and so indulge in some very unreal assumptions.

For instance, frequent reference is made to "a New Political Alignment" and, "The Scepter of Power is Passing to the West in conjunction with the South." Quotations along these lines are extremely numerous and more or less radical and graphic.

To any one familiar with the situation, the undoubted truth is that the recent election is the least significant of real party strength of any that has occurred in this country since the Civil War. And express little of the real strength of any that has occurred in this country since the Civil War. And express little of the real strength of either of the parties in the country at large or in the different sections of the country, but the determining vote was largely nonpartisan, and with respect to questions that never existed at any previous election, and that in all human probability will never be important at any succeeding election.

Many of the Western States that went for Wilson this year, are and will be in future, whenever a division occurs along real party lines, far more safely Republican than the Northeastern States that went Republican this year.

While the Republican party and Republican policies figured somewhat in the campaign, the Democratic party as such did not appear to figure in the campaign at all. Who heard any discussion of the party of Jefferson and Jackson or of its principles or policies in any part of the country during any part of the last campaign?

There can also be found a strong disposition to exaggerate the triumph of the Democratic candidates. Frequent reference is made to the large popular vote cast for the Democratic candidates, and the victory is referred to as very sweeping.

In fact, there has rarely, if ever been an election where a few thousand votes, and a very few thousand, sometimes a few hundred, changed from one side to the other would have changed the result in a large number of States and the entire aspect of the election and the increased popular vote frequently referred to with dramatic effect, merely represents the natural increase in the vote of the country, augmented by the giving of the ballot in several States to the women where they have never voted before. So that naturally the popular vote was very large but it expressed nothing as to either candidate except the changed conditions referred to.

Undeniably three years ago the Democratic party was headed to direct complete and ignominous defeat. The events that have occurred since that resulted in the re-election of the President, after giving him credit for considerable political tact and resourcefulness, where wholly and obviously entirely beyond the control of any political party or any administrative or legislative action or influence.

To illustrate how transient the reasons for the defeat of Gov. Hughes and the re-election of President Wilson are, and how little partisan party significance they express, it is only necessary to consider what those influences undeniably were. Although an indefinite number of contrary views are expressed, the final consensus of opinion fully warrants the conclusion that the reasons later stated were the controlling ones that shifted the election so that the Republicans were defeated and the Democrats were successful.

First: It is only four years since the Republican party was split in the center and torn apart. It is true that we have gone through the surgical operation of reuniting the body, but in the campaign it developed considerable soreness and incapacity for unified effort. This is illustrated by the fact that President Wilson carried nearly all of the prominently populistic and definitely Progressive states although upon the register of voters they appear to be verw strongly Republican. The regular Republicans as a matter of course and obviously very generally voted for Hughes, but the Progressives, although of Republican antecedents, very generally voted for Wilson. This is obvious from the returns. No doubt at all Gov. Hughes secured as many of these votes as any other Republican nominee could have polled. His record along progressive lines is probably more uniform and consistent than that of President Wilson, although less spectacular, as to certain so-called progressive or human welfare matters. If the soreness had not existed, Gov. Hughes would have received their votes, but the soreness was there and Wilson's spectacular progressivism carried them away from their old party allegiance for the time being, but for the time being only.

Second: Probably the next most important influence favoring President Wilson was the slogan, "He kept us out of war," and the fact that the women voted for him in a percentage largely in excess of what they would have done if this argument had not been made. This situation is very well demonstrated by the fact that in the twelve suffrage States the votes of ten of them were cast for Wilson and only two, Illinois and Oregon, for Hughes; and of the ten suffrage States that went Wilson, California, Colorado, Idaho, Kansas, Utah, Washington and Wyoming are definitely Republican States, and only Arizona, Montana and Nevada would be rated as doubtful, and none of them would be rated as definitely Democratic.

Third: The old Mark Hanna slogan in the McKinley campaign, "Let well enough alone," coupled with existing prosperity, worked very well, especially in the farming States. In the manufacturing States they apparently understood better where their prosperity was coming from, but in many of the agricultural States, although naturally Republican, with wheat at $2 a hundred and hogs at $10 a hundred, "Let well enough alone" was a very persuasive argument.

Fourth: While the labor vote according to returns was not absolutely reliable, it is very clear that it was so far diverted away from the Republican party in several States as to be an important factor, and was sufficient to carry several States, without which the Democratic candidates could not have been elected.

Clearly, the national suffrage argument carried few if any votes away from Wilson, and it is therefore very clear that the circumstances were fortunate and the conditions temporarily propitious for Democratic success, and it seems quite obvious that as a mere matter of party choice, and as a mere choice between candidates, other things being equal, there would have been no question at all of an overwhelming Republican victory or of the election of its candidates.

It is very clear that an entirely fair and nonpartisan review of the situation would demonstrate that the results in the different sections of the country, whether they went Republican or went Democratic, expressed little if anything in the way of permanent significance as to party strength or future party success. Probably in the next election the Republicans will win in the States where they lost heavily this time, and probably the Democrats will regain some of the States they lost in this election.

Doubtless as to the preceding suggestions there will be many divergent views as to their correctness, however I shall now proceed to state certain considerations upon which, upon reflection, there would be nearly unanimous agreement. I notice in some of the papers, it is stated that the election signifies the permanent re-establishment of the Democratic party and an end of what has been heretofore referred to as its continuing bad luck. The truth is, that nothing more unlucky in all probability ever happened to the Democratic party or any other party than its victory in the last election. Particularly is the result fortunate also to the Republican party for reasons which I shall later endeavor to point out.

As already stated, the Democratic party was three years ago headed toward obvious defeat, but up out of the ocean, so to speak, and from abroad and afar, there came events and occurrences that in a minor way gave the President an opportunity to make himself popular with the voters, and in a major way as applied to the final result, developed conditions of exceptional and unlimited prosperity, and afforded an argument for the Democratic party and its continuing in power that therefore had not existed and could not therefore have been thought of, therefore, on account of reasons and conditions entirely beyond its control and outside of the powers of any political party, the Democratic party now continues in office.

Upon the other hand, the prevailing prosperity and the conditions conducive of success that now exists are equally phenomenal, equally temporary and equally beyond the control of any political party or any government so far as their continuance is concerned.

To put it moderately, there are nine chances out of ten that the war will end within one or two years, and that with its ending, or possibly before it is ended, circumstances and conditions of adversity and difficulty will arise and intervene to such an extent that neither the Democratic party nor the Democratic administration or any other party or any other administration could possibly so manage or control the situation as to satisfy or stand well with the voters.

Just as the Democratic party was swept forward and carried into power by events beyond its control, will it be drug into the whirlpool of adverse circumstances and thus carried out of power beyond any reasonable doubt.

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Capt. Wright Bisbee of Norway, Me., threw his sixtieth consecutive straight Republican ticket in the recent State election, the first one being for Fremont and Dayton. He has never missed an election, and, being more than 80 years old, is proud of his record.

Stephen Lovejoy, who has been a blacksmith in Auburn, Me., since 1876, is believed to hold the record for speed in shoeing horses. He has shod three horses in thirty-seven minutes—one in twenty, one in nine and one in eight. Half an hour is regarded as quick time to shoe one horse by most blacksmiths.

Jerome J. Hayes, a farmer of Sutter county, was in Marysville recently on business, and purchased a 10-cent plug of chewing tobacco. Hayes took a big bite off the plug and his teeth came in contact with a hard substance. He investigated and discovered a solitaire diamond in the center of the chew of tobacco. The diamond is said to be valued at $100. It is presumed that a southern maid working in the tobacco factory accidentally lost the diamond from her ring.

Dusty and travel-worn, but with his long strides retaining the vigor of all his eighteen years of backwoods life, Clarence Barton trudged into Clinton, Mo., after covering 130 miles from Turner, Mo. He came in the heat and dust over the miles of hills afoot to attend the Missouri conference of the Seventh Day Adventists. And this youth has lived a strange life in the very modern and up-to-date State of Missouri. In all his 18 years he never tasted a mouthful of meat. Never has a drink of tea or coffee passed his lips. His meager fare of daily food has never been seasoned with pepper. He never has tasted a drop of alcohol in any form and does not know the twang of tobacco smoke. And he is a perfect specimen — a young backwoods giant. Barton excelled in all the sports of the camp.

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Alhambra.

Ethel Clayton and Carlyle Blackwell are featured in Emmet Campbell Hall's story, "The Madness of Helen," to be shown at Miller's Alhambra Theater, beginning today. This is a big, vital story with an unexpected ending. It is said to be entirely different from any five-reel production ever conceived and so mysterious that to tell any part of it would be robbing the spectator of a surprise. The photography of this Brady-made masterpiece is said to be extraordinary.

Miss Clayton lends her splendid personality and beauty to happy advantage in her role, while Mr. Blackwell plays his part with strength and skill.

The added attraction this week will be two reels of pure joy called "Where Is My Wife?" Billie Richie is starred.

Miller's.

Theda Bara will appear at Miller's in her latest picture, "The Vixen," beginning today. This is the famous star's first vampire role in many months, and she is said to play the part with zest.

The story, it is asserted, is one of the best of its kind, portraying vividly the wiles of a fascinating woman who is determined to have the man she wants, regardless of the fact that he belongs to another.

The supporting cast of Fox players includes Hebert Heyes, who appeared in "Under Two Flags," Mary Martin and A. H. Van Buren.

The added features will be the News film and Hans and Fritz Katzenjammer animated drawings.

Woodley.

"The Yellow Pawn," with Wallace Reid and Cleo Ridgely in the stellar roles, will be the attraction at the Woodley Theater, beginning Monday. Miss Ridgely and Mr. Reid have appeared together in other productions with remarkable success, and it is said their work in this thrilling drama is better than anything they have done before.

Another surprise awaits those who may see this photoplay, it is asserted. Mr. Kuwa, a Japanese actor, who is a close rival of Sessue Hayakawa, has an important role in the production and is also said to give a fine portrayal.

There are any number of swift dramatic scenes and a tensity of action that grips and fascinates in this story. The ending is logical and pleasing.

Cleo Ridgely and Wallace Reid are too well known to theatergoers to need much mention other than that they are given exceptional opportunities in "The Yellow Pawn," of which they most splendidly avail themselves.

The stars are surrounded by a good company.

Garrick.

Starting with the matinee today at the Garrick Theater, "The Ordeal," the five-reel drama that caused a world of comment when it was shown in New York recently, will be given its first showing in Los Angeles. Anna Laughlin, one of the most popular photoplay stars of the East, plays the leading role. She is practically unknown hereabouts, but she will not be after this picture is seen, it is said.

Should love of sweetheart, family and life, be placed above duty to one's country? That is the question that is asked and answered in this thrilling twentieth century screen melodrama.

Everywhere this unusual drama has been shown it is said to have created intense interest. It advances a reason against war, and, while a number of the scenes are military in character, it cannot be termed a war picture in the ordinary sense of the word.

A brand new Charlie Chaplin comedy, "The Rink," will follow the engagement of "The Ordeal."

Tally's Broadway.

Mary Nash one of David Belasco's most prominent stars, who is now playing in New York in "The Man Who Came Back," will make her screen debut at Tally's Broadway tomorrow in a picturization of Ouida Bergere's great story, "Arms and the Woman."

The story deals with questions of international importance. The picture is said to be full of thrilling action, and the announcement of the heroine's name, it is believed, alone will be sufficient to assure its drawing power.

The Alaskan travelogue scenes will be the added feature.

Superba.

E. H. Sothern and Edith Storey, two names to conjure with, appear on the Superba bill for this week. They are featured in a picturization of that famous stage success, "An Enemy to the King." A notable cast supports them. All the thrills of the original vivid drama are retained, it is said. The filmization gives opportunity for many beautiful scenic settings, which add greatly to the effectiveness of the production.

Earle Williams in "The Scarlet Runner" serial is the added attraction.

Majestic.

Farewell presentation of the big travel picture, "A Trip Through China," which has been playing to crowded houses at the Majestic for the past three weeks, will be given tonight. The film shows the Forbidden City, the Great Wall of China and hundreds of other mysteries and curiosities of the oriental land.

A special matinee will be given this afternoon at 2:15.

Clune's Broadway.

Kolb and Dill, those popular comedians of the stage and screen, have put their musical comedy success "A Peck o' Pickles" into pictures, and this will be the attraction at Clune's Broadway, commencing today. The story tells of two Germans living in Walpole, Mass. One, a shoemaker, while ripping up an old shoe, finds a lottery ticket of the value of $1,300,313. The other buys a share in the ticket and together they begin to weave dreams around their fortune. They have many amazing ideas, resulting from drinking an oversupply of cider and medicine water, in which, after being transported back to Civil War times, they are blown by a cyclone forward into the year 1960.

In addition there will be a Keystone and a news film.

Palace.

"Children of the Feud," based on the thrilling attack of the Allen brothers on the Hillside Courthouse in Virginia, will be the dramatic feature at the Palace for the coming week. It has the Fine Arts favorite, Dorothy Gish, Fay Tincher, commedienne extraordinary, will furnish laughs galore in the comedy, "The Lady Drummer," the added attraction.

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The supporting cast includes Sam de Grasse, who lately appeared as leading man with Lillian Gish in "Diane of the Follies;" A. D. Sears, Charles Gorman, Alberta Lee, F. A. Turner, Elmo Lincoln and the Triangle Fine Arts kiddies, Violet Radcliffe, Beulah Burns, Thelma Burns, Tina Rossi and the inimitable Georgie Stone.

Symphony.

Harold Lockwood and May Allison will be the reigning dramatic stars of the week at the Symphony beginning today. They will appear in a story of love, money and politics entitled, "Big Tremaine," an adaptation from Marie Van Vorst's well known novel of the same name.

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Ince is very anxious to return to California. He has a mild passion for having things real. So he wants real California sunshine. He says the sunlight in the East, after September, has too much yellow, even in the middle of summer, is not as clear and strong as the sunshine of California.

It would seem that a man anxious to get California ought to be given a chance.

The Fox company is also about to release some very big stuff which seems to be encouraged in every possible way. Although he has never seen the Pacific Coast, Mr. Fox has ordered the building of a big picture which is to be produced a super-picture masterpiece. It is said among the studios that Mr. Fox has commissioned Raoul Walsh to do so far as he likes. There is no limit to the cost. If it costs $2, all right; if it costs $2,000,000, all right. The Lasky studios, they have their hands with the Morosco studios and are to begin the erection of immense new concrete administration building.

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YOUR around the big movie studios shows that the ladies of the Drama League and other highbrow organizations have set a dangerous time to brow-beat the film drama. Reforming movies is, without doubt, a lot easier for the reformers. But an inspection of the premises shows the worm has a lot of room to squirm.

Nearly every one of the big leading studios the conditions are serious. They have finished the big features upon which they have been working and are casting about for something new in the way of a big spectacle. Everything is virtually at a standstill. The studios are deserted. Most of the work now going on is the nature of cleaning up the party. Carpenters are tearing apart old scenery that has been used. Business managers and directors are hurrying East to attend the launching of pictures that have just been finished. Griffith is in Chicago looking after the first performance of "Intolerance" in that city. Cecil de Mille is about to leave for New York to direct the new Farrar drama, "Jeanne Dore," to be put on the screen for the Lasky. Ince has just returned from the East, where he has been closing contracts for the tour of "Civilization" in South America. The negotiations are also between big pictures. Mack Sennett has just finished the first photoplay done by Miss Normand as the head of her own company.

It is not without deliberate intent that the big guns of the producers would have turned into the studios to work together. They have been ordered to finish these big films at the same time, because of the coming holidays. Like the department stores the movies also have a rush open on the holiday trade.

There is a certain grimness in the situation, however, both for Los Angeles and the ladies of the Drama League.

Some of the big companies are about to go out on an entirely new leg of the quatta. If they were ever to change the scene of their activities it would be now. It is to be observed that the motion-picture people will probably not be producing many big spectacles during the coming year. The public is fed up with "big stuff." The drama of human and of psychology will be the keynote of the film in 1917. It should all take note of the fact that much of this psychological stuff will be shown with "interiors" instead of big outdoor stuff. And many interiors are produced in New York with Cooper Hewitt lights just as good as in the sunlight of California,

DOESN'T LIKE EM.

Universal Leading Man No Longer Speaks to Lions.

"Hereafter I want to limit my associates to the actors and actresses at Universal City and nothing doing on lions and leopards," yesterday declared Jack Mulhall, leading man for Raymond Wells's Universal company which recently produced "Constantinople by the Sixth," featuring Ruth Stonehouse.

In a number of the scenes of the five-reel production, several of the Universal lions were used and during one of the waits between scenes Mulhall was asked to guard one end of the enclosure containing the beasts. Something outside interested these denizens of the jungle, and they started. So did Mulhall in the same direction. By the time the keepers of the lions came, the young actor had sought safety in a tree. He declares it is the first time in his life he knew he had any simian attributes.

CAMERA CLICKS.

Stanhope Wheatcrof has rejoined the William Fox forces.

William V. Mong, of the Universal, has just finished "The Youth Market." Mong plays the leading role, with Gretchen Lederer opposite.

Gladys Brockwell has completed the photoplay in which she was appearing for Director Frank Lloyd. The Fox company is now busy on a new production for her, which Richard Stanton is to direct.

Bessie Love, the Triangle Fine Arts star, puts in a great deal of her spare time, while at the studio, between scenes, in making Mexican baskets. She is an adept in the art.

In doing a running jump of fifteen feet from the roof of one of the exposition buildings at San Diego, Douglas Fairbanks grabbed hold of a small-sized eucalyptus tree which bent almost double under his weight. His hands and legs were lacerated, but he retained possession of the famous Fairbanks smile until the camera stopped turning.

Lew Bartholomew, head cameraman for the Vogue studio, has invented a new color process for films. The principle by which American dyes can be manufactured as easily as those produced in Germany is said to be involved in this process.

Kathleen Kirkham, the popular Morosco leading lady, is a crack shot with both rifle and shotgun. In a contest with two men at Hollywood this week, Miss Kirkham broke 205 clay pigeons out of 250, beating her two male rivals.

Constance Crawley and Arthur Maude are writing J. Warren Kerrigan's first feature, which will be done by the J. Warren Kerrigan Film Company.

Wilfred Lucas, the well-known Fine Arts star, has consented to appear at the Mason, December 12, as interlocuter in the minstrel part of the "Movie Revue of 1916."

Eileen "Babe" Sedgwick, the clever little leading lady of the Universal, is learning to operate the motion-picture camera, and is spending her evenings studying photography and the technical part of camera work.

Only Seven Minutes from Broadway.



Cleo Madison,

Who is to be starred in her own company, and the historic homestead in Boyle Heights, where it is proposed to establish a studio.

Along Picture Row.

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forgot to bring the proper shoes from her Hollywood home. The dainty little actress was wearing the suit of clothes, so she jumped into her machine and started on a dash for the missing shoes. She was bowling down Hollywood boulevard at the rate of thirty-seven miles an hour when a motor policeman dashed up alongside, and she found herself enmeshed in the demands of the law. The officer asked her the name, and she replied, "Ruth Stonehouse," but she had a hard time convincing the policeman she was really a girl.

The following morning, while working at Universal City, she recalled she was due in the Police Court to answer the summons, and she started away to court wearing the boy's clothes, so at the Police Station the officer was waiting and escorted her to the women's court. There she created another sensation as the woman judge insisted she should go to the other court. After additional explanations by Art Flavia, her assistant director, "Her Honor" took the whole matter as a joke and dismissed the actress.

Hart's Hardest.

A leap through a window, glass and all, while seated a-horseback, is





Carmel Meyers,

Film beauty with Fine Arts company, and (above) Lucille Hutton, merry little Keystone lady.

the latest high-power stunt performed by William Hart in "Tulliver," a picture soon to be released. By patient training Hart got his horse to do the trick. First, the horse leaped through a window containing no glass. Next cheesecloth was placed in the window, and the horse leaped through that. Lastly, when the picture was to be taken, Hart drove his horse straight up to the window and then sent his spurs into the animal's sides. The horse gave a snort of rage and pain and took a clean jump through the window.

Balboa Gets Peacocke.

Capt. Leslie T. Peacocke has left the Universal and is now at the Balboa. He is writing a five-reel drama to feature Jackie Saunders.

Emancipated Doves.

"Harmless as a dove" was a simile invented before motion pictures came into being, take it from Lois Weber, Universal director. In one of the artistic scenes designed for Miss Weber's production of the big allegorical feature, "Even As You and I," doves play an important part. Outside the window of the sculptor's studio the beautiful birds fly about and alight on the eaves of the house. However, one day last week a dove flew through a broken window into the set. It knocked against a piece of statuary, which went crashing to the floor. It took two days to replace this bit of property, which played an important part in the making of the picture.

Power's Kind Heart.

Robbed by death of his mother and with his father missing, little Gerald Ward, grandson of the late Mother Benson, who was a well-known Universal actress, has been provided with a home by Tyrone Power, noted actor.

Gerald, who is but 11 years old, had been cared for since the death of Mother Benson by his uncle, but the latter was injured and the boy was thrown on his own resources. Gerald had played in a number of notable productions, but he was ambitious for an education and spent his savings for tuition in a private school, and when Mother Benson fell ill he went into his little bank account cheerfully to aid her. Power sees a great deal of promise in the boy and proposes to educate him so as to assure his future.

Myrtle Must Swim.

Director Lynn Reynolds of Universal City has written a five-reel photoplay, "The Cruise of the Alden Besse," in which he will direct Myrtle Gonzales and the others of his capable company. The Alden Besse, an old-time sailing vessel, was procured for this picture and taken to San Pedro harbor, where her rigging and general lines were changed to a period of some seventy years ago.

The photoplay requires Miss Gonzales to do some exceptionally difficult work on the open sea.

So Near Yet So Far.

A number of the Lasky company are now chortling gleefully over the fate which befell Tommy Meighan when he arrived in New York City. For several weeks prior to his departure from California, Mr. Meighan dwelt at great length on what a perfectly lovely time he was going to have when he reached the big city and the Lambs' Club—how he was going to see all the plays and just have a regular time.

When Mr. Meighan landed at the Grand Central station, a representative of the Famous Players-Lasky Corporation was there to meet him, whirled him into a taxicab and just succeeded in making a boat bound for Cuba, where Tommy is now hard at work. The only glimpse Mr. Meighan caught of New York, therefore, was the traffic cop on the corner of Forty-second street and Broadway, as the taxicab whirled down that thoroughfare in its dive to rthe dock.

Billie's Coming Joy Feast.

Billie Rhodes of the Christie Film Company is looking forward with a great deal of pleasure to the holidays. Her Christmas present from Mr. Christie is a leave of absence for three weeks, which she will spend in New York. With her sister, she will leave for the East in time to be there Christmas Day, after a short stop in Kansas City. This is the first time Miss Rhodes has found time to visit that other Broadway in four or five years. Wherefore she will take a refreshing peep at the Goddess of Liberty, learn the latest dance steps, and replenish her wardrobe. And if she has time, after performing the necessary rites, such as seeing the new plays, and partying with friends, she will take a peek at the Metropolitan Museum and entertain a few high-brows.

Neal is Charitable.

Neal Burns of the Christie Comedy Company will appear in the benefit to be given at the Mason Operahouse on December 12, and give his w. k. song-and-dance act as a "single." The proceeds of the benefit are to go toward a fund to build an armory in Hollywood for the Coast Artillery Reserve, recently organized, which contains many motion-picture players and studio employees.

Cold for May.

A number of the exterior scenes in the Metro version of James B. Hendryx's novel, "The Promise," take place during the snow season in the great Northwest, where lumbering is the chief occupation. These scenes will very likely be staged in Truckee, Cal., where, at present, the snow is four feet deep. Harold Lockwood and May Allison are starred in the production. Jay Hunt will direct.

Among the first actors engaged to support Harold Lockwood and May Allison in the feature is Paul Willis, well known as the result of his recent work in "The Fall of the Nation."

Lockwood will have the role of "Broadway Bill" Carmody, the millionaire's son, who leads a hectic life in the metropolis.

K. and D. Still Funny.

Kolb and Dill, the comedians with the American company, are playing in Aaron Hoffman's five-reel comedy, "Beloved Rogues." Al Santell is the director and Tom Chatterton and May Cloy are in support.

Realism Note.

Watch the checker players in Gladys Rockwell's next screen drama for William Fox. There is a real game in progress, and that accounts for the expressions on the actors' faces. The two men who figure in the game got so interested in the contest while the cameras were grinding that they moved the board to one corner of the studio and kept right on playing after the director had finished the scene.

All for Art.

A bit of additional business impulsively inserted by Director Walter Edwards into the script of the play he was engaged in filming, resulted in a comedy of errors recently at the Ince-Triangle studios in Culver City. The play in question is "A Gamble in Souls," the Triangle-Kay Bee drama by Lanier Bartlett, in which Thomas H. Ince presents Dorothy Dalton and William Desmond as stars.

In this subject Miss Dalton plays the part of a dance-hall girl from San Francisco's "Barbary Coast." During the production of some scenes on one of the studio stages, Director Edwards sudenly hit upon the idea of providing Miss Dalton with a stick of gum to chew, to add to the "atmosphere" of her part. A property man dispatched to the commissary returned with the information that the stock of gum was exhausted. Not one employee on the premises was able to furnish the "prop."

Edwards, intent, however, upon carrying his idea into effect, sent several aides scurrying about outside the studio in an effort to apprehend some one with a stick of gum in his pocket. As he was crossing the street in pursuit of a pedestrian, one of the aides stumbled and fell. The driver of an approaching automobile in evading the prostrate man, struck a dog. Frightened at the yelp of the canine, a woman dropped her handbag. The catch sprang open, and out fell—a whole package of gum!

Then Edwards picked up the lady's handbag, begged the gum, and proceeded with his scenes.

DOUGLAS DOES STUNTS.

Fairbanks Company Returns From Location Work at Fair.

Director John Emerson, Douglas Fairbanks, and other members of the Triangle Fine Arts Company, in "The Pet of Patagonia," have returned from San Diego, where a number of scenes of this production were staged. The exposition grounds furnished the location for a number of the scenes. Fairbanks raced over the roofs of the exposition buildings, and in one episode made a jump from one building to a tree and then to the ground.

Some of the scenes were also staged on the roof garden of the U. S. Grant Hotel. This garden was made into a Spanish type of cafe. A number of prominent society women of San Diego appeared in this scene.

Among those making the trip to San Diego were Spottiswoode Aitken, Tote du Crow, Charlie Stevens, Alma Reubens, Lillian Langdon, Douglas Fairbanks, and Director John Emerson.

INTERESTING SONG RECITAL.

An interesting song recital will be given at Symphony Hall Monday evening by the pupils of Alice Lohr McDaniel. Selections will range from a somewhat popular variety like the "Kiss Waltz" by Arditi to arias from operas such as "Lakme" and "Mme. Butterfly."

Pupils taking part in the programme will include Mildred Hughey, Virginia Kelsey, Reta Breem, Gertrude Du Paquette, and Adelaide Manlove. Miss Ludlow will play a flute obligato, and Miss Ruth McBride will be the pianiste for the recital.

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CLEO MADISON TO STAR IN HER OWN COMPANY.

Location of Interesting Film Project is Only Short Distance from Broadway—Deal is Closed for Property Involving Reported Consideration of $100,000.

That an ideal motion-picture site may be found within seven minutes' ride from Broadway is the interesting fact brought to light in the purchase of a studio location at Boyle and Stephenson avenues during the past week. This is to be the home of the new Cleo Madison Film Corporation, starring the popular actress of that name. The property comprises eight acres of remarkably varied scenic possibilities, and formerly was the residence of the late W. H. Perry, pioneer lumberman and capitalist. It is one of the historic mansions of the city.

The purchase is said to involve about $100,000. Isadore Bernstein, president and general manager of the Cleo Madison Film Corporation and the Bernstein Productions Corporation, selected the historic site as the location for the studio shortly after his arrival in this city a week ago. The title was held in trust by Mary Turner, and the purchase was made from her.

A wide variety of scenic locations can be obtained right on the property. The grounds were planted to rare trees of diversified type by the original owner. There is a heavy thicket of sugar cane in one part of the property. Groups of willows, pepper trees, cedars, pines, orange trees, magnolia, a thicket of bamboo, rare trees of Asia and Africa fill the grounds.

The general background is unusually accommodating. There is a factory district at the foot of the hill. Beyond is the skyline of the downtown district. The Los Angeles Orphanage, immediately adjoining the property, will probably become famous in a thousand scenes or more, as will Hollenbeck Park and its environs.

The first picture that will be staged is "The Maid of Niagara." To the rear of the house on the acreage there is a cliff nearly 200 feet in height. A huge flow of water will be released over this cliff in the staging of the projected film.

Mr. Bernstein has a big force of men at work clearing the grounds and preparing for the work which he plans to begin the first of the year. "We are here to stay," he said yesterday. "We have no leases of any kind. We own this place, and it is remarkably adapted for moving-picture purposes.

"I intend to feature Miss Madison in plays of the sort that people want. I intend to make pictures for the clean-minded millions, and will never lose sight of the fact."

Mr. Bernstein was one of the pioneers in the motion-picture business and for a number of years was connected with the Universal company. This is his first venture in the starring of a single actress, now a popular procedure in the film world.

Cleo Madison has starred in many notable productions with the Universal, the most recent having been "The Chalice of Courage," a film version of "Tosca." "Damon and Pythias" and "The Trey of Hearts" are other features in which she has had a leading part. She is a dramatic actress of the emotional type.

Dance.

DIAGHILEFF BALLET.

Famous Russian Terpsichorean Stars to Provide Rare Esthetic Enjoyment in Performances Here During the Holiday Week.

The Serge de Diaghileff Ballet Russe, which will appear in this city Christmas week, promises great delight to lovers of classic and esthetic dancing. There are a dozen ballets to be given, but each performance is limited to three or four.

Interest will naturally center on the ballets of a sensational nature which have helped to establish a reputation of the Diaghileff organization as unique in its line. Of these "Scheherazade," the great oriental melodrama, heads the list. For sheer barbaric splendor and magnificence, the costumes and decorations for this ballet have never been equaled, and are considered masterpieces of Leon Bakst. The story relates in vivid pantomime what happens when the Shah Zeman quits his harem. The inmates immediately demand the release of the Nubian slaves, and just as the eunuchs accede to the uproarious request, the Shah returns. The action ends rather unhappily for the amorous wives.

Other famous ballets are "L'Apres Midi d'un Faune," which Nijinsky himself conceived for Debussy's music; "Cleopatre," arranged from one of Gautier's exotic tales, and "Le Spectre de la Rose," founded on another of Gautier's poems. These are but a few of the exquisitely beautiful and sensational ballets which go to make up the artistic programmes of these artists.

Novelty.

JAPAN AS SETTING.

Unique Film Production to be Made in Far East by Nipponese Company, Starring Former Ince and Lasky Actor—Will Start Trip Soon.

The Fuji Yama Feature Films Company will shortly feature Matsu Matsumoto, formerly with Lasky and Ince, in a big ten-reel Japanese classic. This production will be made entirely in Japan, the name of same being "Nami-Ko." It is a realistic story of knighthood in Nippon.

The director will be Frank A. Thorne, who recently severed his connections with the American Film Company. The camera work will be under the supervision of Frank Takata.

Other members of the company who will go are W. E. Macarton, president; Mrs. E. L. Greer, secretary; George Y. Matsumoto, interpreting director. Mr. L. Herriing, vice-president, will remain in Los Angeles to look after the affairs of the company in this country.

The interiors of the photoplay will be made in the studio of the Tokio Cinema Company, at Tokio.

The company expects to sail December 22 on the steamer China.

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WANTED—HIGH-CLASS SALESMAN TO CALL ON local merchants; absolute necessity; excellent proposition. Monday, 211 Story bldg., CARSON SALES COMPANY.

WANTED—DELIVERY BOY WITH WHEEL, FIRE for boy over 18. Apply 9 o'clock Monday morning. Inquire at work. DOULTES DRY GOODS CO., 215 South Broadway.

WANTED—SPECIAL CHRISTMAS OFFER. COMplete set of Pitman's shorthand, typewriting, book-keeping; law; English branches, etc. $7.50 per month. Catalogue free. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, 3000 Main st. Main 6700.

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WANTED — EXPERIENCED CUTTING AND tailoring on overalls for folding; size of factory. Do not apply unless qualified. BENSHAW, JONES & SUTTON CO., 1231 South San Pedro.

WANTED—GO TO THE MINES AND EARN BIG salaries as assay and cyanide men. By studdents have averaged $125 monthly. See HEDGES before you go. (See "Learn Trades" advertisement.)

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WANTED—GROCERY CLERK, UNDER 25, FOR Arizona general merchandise store, $85; single man preferred. Must be able to locate immediately. Call 8 a.m. Monday, AGENCY, 615 Brockman Bldg.

WANTED—AUTOMOBILE SALESMAN, DON'T APply unless you have had local experience; commission basis or car selling for less than $1000. 1048 S. OLIVE ST.

WANTED—ELEVATOR OPERATORS, WE PREpare you for city license, give practical experience on elevator, help secure positions; see instruction advt. MONROE PANTAGES THEATER BLDG.

WANTED — WE TEACH SHORTHAND WRITING and penmanship (all styles). Personal instruction. Day and evening classes. Call or write COAST COLLEGE OF LETTERING, 224 S. spring st., room 616.

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WANTED—SHOE REPAIRER, FAST MAN, GOOD finisher, sure 3-4 over 25. Call Sunday, 11 and 1. Salary 14 day. MILLARD, 611 S. Hill.

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WANTED—SATURDAYS ONLY, SALESMEN solicitors experienced in dining room; have order with the owner of the work, so can come regularly on Saturdays only. 324 BROADWAY.

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WANTED—WILL GIVE SUBURBAN HOME free to couple for care of same. 70008.

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WANTED — INSTRUCTION GIVEN IN setting on slide and Corliss models; ladies' hangers and finishers. 1 to 5 p.m. HOME M. DIXON, 247 Douglas st.

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WANTED—AS FIRST-CLASS CHAUFFEUR, RELIable Japanese, experienced, 3 years with high-class machines. Repaired self, know all about car. HENRY, 649 S. Olive.

WANTED—POSITION AS YARDMAN OR GARDEner; am handy with tools, can give good references. Address G, box 280, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, wants place in family, fine references. SHIMIZ, A4071.

WANTED — SITUATION, CARPENTER WILL roof your building at 3 cents a square foot. Phone day or evening, Main 4410.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG MAN WANTS POSItion as motion picture actor, salary no object. Address box 25, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SCHOOL BOY WORK BY A POLITE, experienced, industrious and obedient young Filipino. PHONE A9752.

WANTED—BY RELIABLE MIDDLE-AGED MAN, position as gardener or houseman. Phone HOLLYWOOD 1209.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, wants situation, experienced. Phone 698 S. OLIVE, 84233, Main 8048.

WANTED—POSITION WANTED BY VERY CAPable manager; steward, head waiter. Address G, box 4, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, JAPANESE BOY, GENERAL house work, plain cook; in private family, where can learn; reference. HOME 72057.

WANTED—BY YOUNG JAPANESE, ELEVATOR operator, wants position, has good recommendations, 225 Boyd st. 49726. BEN NISHIKAWA.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WISHES ANY KIND OF work, evenings. Address G, box 267, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY MARRIED MAN ON ranch, good hand with horses, references given. Address C, box 72, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, PRIVATE PLACE, STABLEman, handy auto; do chores, city references. Address G, box 152, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A LUMBER YARD let article ad; selling like blazes in town with $1 carving set. FREE: Enormous premium. The ramulous hit! Eagle made $51 first week. Write quick. Hurry. 475 Prospect ave., Chicago.

WANTED—AGENTS, FAIR OF SILK HOSE FREE to Try our hosiery before selling it. Write for our handsome sample outfit and learn how you can get hose worn. H. MATHEWS, 116 Drew st., Dayton, O.

WANTED—AGENTS MEN AND WOMEN TO SELL attractive household specialties. Large commission. Sells on sight. exclusive territory for hustlers. Agents now coining money. 411 GRANT BUILDING, Fourth and Broadway.

WANTED—$60 A WEEK TO SPECIAL AGENTS to travel by automobile and introduce 300-candle power mantle lamp for gasoline; lights like gas; no wicks to trim; no dirt; no smoke; no odor; no pumping. Write for terms and sample case offer. BRAZILIAN DIAMOND CO., Albuquerque, N. M.

WANTED — SPECIALTY SALESMEN; HIGH grade, experienced in selling cash registers, computing scales, etc.; only those who are in the $100 a week class and can finance themselves are desired. State full experience. COMPUTING TABLE MEASURES CO., 20 N. Dearborn st., Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—AGENTS, $25 A WEEK FOR TWO hours' work a day. A brand new hosiery proposition that sells on sight. Write for terms and free samples if you mean business. GUARANTEED HOSIERY CO., 9315 White Bldg., Dayton, O.

WANTED—AGENTS, SELL FORD CAR OWNERS a standing gauge (Ford car has no gauge.) prices 50 cents per door to $1.50 for two gauges to agents. Districts to live agents. AUTO ACCESSORIES CORPORATION, 1102 Times Bldg., New York.

WANTED—MOTOR CAR MANUFACTURING COMpany can use the permanent services of high-grade experienced salesman; will be willing to pay to the exclusive 400, it is possible to earn $10000 to $20000 per month. Call Monday. Call at 1005 MAPLE AVE., Glendale.

WANTED—A PARTY TO HELP ME MEET PEOple that have some money and want to place it where they know it will be safe, secured by land and water with income, that will bring big returns continuously. Salary or commissions. Address G, box 80, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — SALESMAN; UNUSUAL OPENING with old concern for experienced specialty man; staple line, new features; commission contract; liberal weekly advance, Yearly contract. THE CONTINENTAL JEWELRY CO., 249 Continental Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED—AGENTS MAKE BIG PROFITS HANDling our fast selling holiday post cards, novelty signs, holiday decorations, pennants, etc. Write today for free catalogue. SULLIVAN, 1122 Van Buren, Chicago.

WANTED—FOUR FIRST-CLASS CANVASSERS; permanent proposition; work will last three months with promise of continuance if results warrant. Can show you can make good wire THE ARIZONA GAZETTE, Phoenix, Ariz.

WANTED—SIDE LINE SALESMAN; HIGH CLASS sales boards only; new fall and holiday line now ready. Largest concern in country. Commission $5 to $16 a order. CHICAGO NOVELTY MOND IMPORTING CO., 220 S. State st., Chicago.

WANTED—AGENTS, BIGGEST SELLER OF THE year; Needed in homes, office, factory, 100 per cent profit. A sure repeater. Send postal for particulars. THE MAIN SUPPLY CO., Dept. 4, 812 W. Main st., Louisville, Ky.

WANTED—SALESMAN WITH OLD HOUSE, PERmanent position; over California; staple line; sold on exceptional terms; big commissions; weekly advance. SALES MANAGER, Suite 4, 900 Woodward, Detroit.

WANTED—THE AMERICAN JEWISH CHRONIcle a National Weekly, 39 W. 42nd st., New York, wants live, hustling subscription agents; territories in every city. ADDRESS CIRCULATION MANAGER.

WANTED—AGENTS FOR COVERING ANY PORtion of southern half of California with waterproofing calling for old or leaky auto tops. Good proposition. Address COLUMBIA PAINT CO., 280 Bacon Bldg., Oakland, Cal.

WANTED — AGENTS, FREE CATALOGUE AND samples, new goods, quick sales, big profits, make $5 to $20 daily; no experience; world's greatest specialties. LECTOR CO., Jackson & Campbell, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED—$10 DAILY, REFINISHING CHANDEliers, brass beds, etc., by new method; introducing amazing results; no capital or experience necessary; write for information. GUNMETAL CO., 42nd ave. Decatur, Ill.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SEWING MACHINE canvassers, salary and commission. 828 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—LADY AGENTS FROM ALL PARTS of California. It will make money for you, write at once for your city or town agency. Address F, box 927, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIVE GOOD HOUSE-TO-HOUSE SOlicitors for crew either sex, can make good money, easy, congenial work. Call Monday, 524 JOHNSON BLDG.

WANTED — RAIN COATS, DIRECT FROM FACtory to wearer. Agent's price $2.65 delivered. Retail price $5. Agents average $10 daily. Sample coat on hand; now here. A. C. LEWIS RAINCOAT CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED—SALES MANAGER CAPABLE OF ENgaging sales force; high class business proposition to right party. RAINTITE MFG. CO., 502 Colonial Arcade, Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED—SALESMAN WITH TOURING CAR OR light truck; wages from the start. For interview PHONE 57117.

WANTED—IF YOU ARE A PRODUCER WILL PAY cash and good commission. The best house heating proposition on the market. City or county for Cal. 2204 S. VERMONT.

WANTED—TWO GOOD MEN AT SALESMAN AND repair 12 years experience. Address FRANK WARKENTIN, Fremont ave., L. A.

WANTED—YOUNG EXPERIENCED ALL-ROUND lunch man, 20 years old, don't drink or smoke; can give best of references, in or out of city. Call 1 to 2 p.m. or address R, box 508, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—BY BOOK-KEEPER, EXPERIENCED, reliable, wishes position; best of references; thoroughly familiar with all office details. Can take full charge; salary $75 per month. Address F, box 1, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — JAPANESE MECHANICAL CHAUFfeur wants position in private family; with 6 years' experience; willing to do any other work; and references; sober and reliable driver. OKA, 65718, Main 1947.

WANTED—BY MIDDLE AGED GARDENER, LONG experience, reliable, sober and steady, can also handle cylinder. Address G, box 207, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PRINTER, 20 YEARS' EXPERIENCE, wants situation in or out of city. SHERWOOD, 1021 West 42nd street, Vermont 3082.

WANTED—SITUATION BY MARRIED MAN ON ranch, good hand with horses, references given. Address C, box 72, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, PRIVATE PLACE, STABLEman, handy auto; do chores, city references. Address G, box 152, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—BUSINESS MAN WITH PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE IN BANKING AND COMMERCIAL LAW AND WITH ABILITY TO SUCCESSFULLY HANDLE LARGE ENTERPRISES, DESIRES CONNECTION WITH LOCAL MANUFACTURING INSTITUTION. INTERVIEW SOLICITED. ADDRESS D, BOX 500, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POULTRYMAN, THOROUGH KNOWledge artificial incubation, brooding, particularly hatching, desires connection with ranch owner. Can lay down equip modern, up-to-date plant, show 40 per cent, net every dollar invested after first year. Highest testimonials, largest plants Pacific Coast. Salary, commission. Address C. Y. JOHNSTON, 754 W. Seventh st., city.

WANTED — SITUATION BY A THOROUGHLY reliable man, strictly temperate, who has had the management and care of first-class places; would like only a new place; life experience; married, no family; can be highly recommended as to abilities, etc. R. VILE, 500 Woodland st., Pasadena.

WANTED—YOUNG MARRIED MAN WITH TEN years' experience at armature winding and motor assembling would like position in garage or automobile factory; willing to start with small wages with chance for advancement. Address C, box 198, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY RELIABLE, SOBER, industrious married chauffeur and mechanic, 6 years driving, 3 years shop experience, speaking Spanish and other languages, wishes to give part of week to repairing; best of references as to ability, etc. A. VILE, 500 Woodland st., Pasadena.

WANTED—YOUNG MARRIED MAN WITH TEN years' experience at armature winding and motor assembling would like position in garage or automobile factory; willing to start with small wages with chance for advancement. Address C, box 198, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION AS HOUSE MAN BY experienced, recommended man, able to help out in dining-room and kitchen, handy with tools; knows garden work and poultry. Address G, box 177, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, RESPECTABLE ELDERLY man want a position on a home place; experience gardener and primer and generally reliable; best of references. Address D, box 446, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—MARRIED MAN WANTS TO TAKE charge of dairy, stock or chicken farm; have had ten years' experience in farming in Southern California. Address G, box 250, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN 25, ONE YEAR LEDGER, Dept. store experience on Coast, 5 years Prima corporations, book-keeper and purchasing, also can travel and solicit; wishes to change; wants position. Address F, box 69, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HAVE HAD YEARS OF EXPERIENCE with horses, cattle and hogs. Would like place as manager, either salary or share, on good ranch. Address D, box 529, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—WORK OF ANY KIND BY A RELIable, handy, single man of 30, will work for small wages. Address G, box 62, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY RELIABLE JAPANESE cashier, over experience in driving any kind of car; own engine; with best references. YAMA. phone F4970.

WANTED—AT CAPITAL ENGINEER, GO ANYwhere. Address B, box 484, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, POSITION BY FIRST-class mechanic, experienced on all high-grade cars, sober, reliable and honest; not afraid of work around place. Address D, box 540, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—POSITION BY PROFESSIONAL GARdener, florist, eastern experience, undergrad, California

Classified Liners.

WANTED—
Work by the Day.

WANTED—LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED 20C A pair; also laundry work to take home, all work done by hand. Call MRS. O'SHAUGHNESSY, 1217 Essex st.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED LAUNDRESS WANTS work by the day, Mondays, Wednesdays, Saturdays; best quoted wages. Phone 21581 morning and evenings.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS WANTS work by the day. PHONE 28289.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED LAUNDRESS WANTS day work. Phone BIDWY. 5430. 2247½.

WANTED—DAY'S WORK. PHONE WILSHIRE 1186.

WANTED—CARPENTERING—
Painting, Paper Hanging, Tinting.

WANTED—PAINTER LOOKING FOR PAINTING and tinting job; will contract, remember price; good work. I will stand on the points. Phone 41051.

WANTED—WORK, PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERhanging, floor finishing, day contract, prices low in results, best material and workmanship guaranteed. BOYLE 3620. 41290. FACTOR.

WANTED—PAINTING, PAPERHANGING, TINTing, plastering, day or contract, prices as reasonable as good workmanship. A. SCHAEFER, Boyle 2024.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, DECORATING, by two brothers, 14 years city references; fair prices; work guaranteed to be satisfactory. Permanently established, WILSHIRE 3090.

WANTED—PAPERHANGING, TINTING, PLASTER ing, varnishing, floors polished, etc. Factory and day work, low prices, references. BELL, BDWY. 5740.

WANTED—ROOMS TINTED, $1.25 AND UP. House painting, graining, or salary $2.50 per day. SOUTH 7111.

WANTED — PAPERHANGING, PAINTING AND tinting, cheap, best quality. J. WARD, Main 8041.

WANTED—FOR MOST INEXPENSIVE SYSTEM for cleaning walls in paper roofing, painting done at low figures also. LOVETT CO., 522 Chamber of Commerce. Phone Broadway 7756.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, DECORATING. FIRST-CLASS, clean, workmanship guaranteed. $2.75 day. WALDVOGEL, 1107 W. 11th street. 10th.

WANTED—PAINTING, TINTING, PAPER, HANGing, father and son, neat work, prices reasonable, reference. Apartments, take notice. Phone 28189.

WANTED—WE ARE FIXING PLATE AND WINdow glass, mirrors and showcases, skylights and windshields. Call BOYLE 1287.

WANTED—PAPERHANGING, PAINTING AND tinting jobs wanted by all around mechanic. PHONE HAMILTON, A2180.

WANTED—HANGING PAINTING IN EXCHANGE for piano or piano player. Address D, box 61, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED — PAINTING, PAPERHANGING, $1.50 per room up. Good work. PHONE WIL 3545.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS HOUSE PAINTING, tinting, papering, prices cheapest. Best of references. 60282.

WANTED — PAPERHANGING AND TINTING, $2.50 per room and up; painting reasonable. Phone Home 10-1-1.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERHANGing, best materials, best workmanship, work guaranteed. GOODWIN, F6115. 7334½ S. Hill st.

WANTED — PAPERHANGING AND TINTING at $2.50 per room and up; painting reasonable, prices reasonable. WILSHIRE 3090.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, PAPERHANGing, best materials, best workmanship, work guaranteed. GOODWIN, F6115. 7334½ S. Hill st.

WANTED — 2 OR 3 ROOMS MODERN BUNGALOW, prefer furnished, Westlake or Wilshire district. Address D, box 1056 Times office.

WANTED—PAPERHANGING AND PAINTING and tinting; good work, prices moderate. Call MR. O'SHAUGHNESSY, 1217 Essex st.

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED—LADY WANTS PARTNER IN GOOD paying business. Will secure money by real estate, $250 required. Call at 308½ S. SPRING ST., Room 1.

WANTED—PRACTICAL SHEET METAL WORKER as partner in well established sheet metal and heating works. Address G, box 19, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WIDOW OWNING 10 ACRES WOULD like partner with sufficient cash to stock and fix up place. Address T7, box 402, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $300 UP TO EN large established mushroom plant, by expert grower, proofs half and half. Apply personal, this and North Catalina Blvd., HERMOSA BEACH.

WANTED—PARTNER, $250; FINEST PAYING manufacturing business, city references. Particulars 353 SOUTH BROADWAY, Room 201.

WANTED—LADY HAS HER OWN HOME, WANTS partner in raising rabbits for market. Address P, box 114, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH IN OFFICE BUSINESS, $250 required for ½. Experience not necessary. Room 24, 111½ S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—PARTNER IN FARMING, NEED from $500 to $1000. For information call at 402 HAAS BLDG.

WANTED—BUSINESS WOMAN WANTS PARTNER for rooming-house or picture show. No triflers. Address T7, box 402, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER, SILENT OR ACTIVE, FOR paying business. $300 to $500 investment. Address D, box 874, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—PARTNER; FURNITURE STORE; must be a good salesman, no others wanted. Address H, box 20, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—TO RENT—
LADY YOUR PROPERTY MUST FOR RENT IN OUR ENORMOUS WEEKLY RENTAL BULLETIN WE CAN RENT YOUR HOUSE FOR YOU. 37 BEACHES, EVERY RENTER. WRIGHT-CALLENDER-ANDREWS CO., 403 S. Hill st. Experience not necessary. Wright and Callender Bldg.

WANTED—TO RENT—
HOUSES $14 TO $75. BUNGALOWS AND APARTMENTS. Furnished and Unfurnished. Many additions for sale. In Wilshire, Westlake, Hollywood, Southwest. Absolutely No Charge for Listing. HARRY GRAHAM, 209 Haas Bldg., Seventh and Broadway. Phones: Home F4374, Main 1562.

WANTED—RENTAL LISTINGS.
Our ground floor location at Seventh and Alvarado is attracting many applicants for rentals. Have many unfurnished houses in this and Los Angeles. If yours is worth having, let it with us, we can rent it. Our service is exclusively.
DIETER & JOHNSON,
Phone 52906. 703 Alvarado, S.W. cor. Seventh.

WANTED—WE HAVE A DEMAND FOR 5, 6 and 7-room houses, furnished and unfurnished. Must have two baths, garage, furnace. If you have first-class property call and list it. Our location is the best of all cars for people.
R. FARRH & CO.,
60286. 253 South Hill street. Main 2880.

WANTED — TO LEASE,
or work on shares for term of years, an experienced vegetable gardener; wife to board hands; prefer Pasadena district. Address Y, box 551, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—$500 FOR ONE-THIRD INTEREST IN a good-paying business in good location; will pay 8 per cent; has large order to start; $40 to $60 per week to right party. Call 25448.

WANTED—AN ARCHITECT OF EXCEPTIONAL talent who has done some of best work in California, desires partner with social connections, of some ability; fine opportunity; good opportunity, investment desirable but not objected. Address T, box 218, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HAVE EXCLUSIVE AGENCY for Western Addition 2-ton 4-cylinder Ford truck unit, in Southern California and Arizona. Want partner, salesman or dealer who can finance and can use a car organizing territory. Also have exclusive agency for salesmen in this territory. Call 21606 Pico st.

WANTED—HAVE BETTER THAN TWO CARS OF hay and silage are averaging $30 to $40 ton. Want man with little money and strictly temperate. Will give interest in business. Must give phone number, and address T7, box 402, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—PARTNER, A GOOD PLAIN INDIAN goods salesman, with capital, to handle exclusive territory for rooming house and tourist trade; also working interest in rooming house and counter or restaurant. I have first-class property to offer; must be two weeks work for one. Call 806 W. 68th st.

WANTED—A MAN, GOOD CREDENTIALS, TO take interest or salary in date growing. Opportunity for right party. Call or address 1 Bradbury and some capital. I have the land. Write or call 1 BRADBURY BLOCK, 342½ North Spring bldg., Los Angeles. F6945.

WANTED — PARTNER FOR LIGHT MANUFACturing business, article nets nearly 1000 per cent; small capital required; will bear most rigid investigation; $2000 secured by property and unlimited field; about $2000 required; positively a bona fide proposition and real money maker. Address D, box 248, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A GOOD chance to make a reasonable amount of money, have a reasonable amount to invest, this proposition would like to correspond with party only. Address S, box 140, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $2500 TO JOIN ME in a new business enterprise; a cure without drugs; will bear most rigid investigation; man or gentleman as their service will be required. Address D, box 1, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—LADY WANTS LADY PARTNER WITH $100, and auto. Has money-making proposition; good profits; investigate. Address T, box 20, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $600, CAN GUARAN tee $200 per month; money secured. 511 MERCHANTS' TRUST BLDG.

WANTED—PARTNER, $250 AND SERVICES SEcure half interest in genuine office business; $1000 monthly; good salary and half monthly profit to ambitious party; experience not necessary. Terms, address F, box 245, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER, LADY OR GENTLEMAN, to go in territory; permanent; established; very fine cash business of lively, legal nature required. Address D, box 201, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—PARTNER STAGE RUN, WILL SELL half interest in car and allow partner wages for driving; entire route. Require $250, half of which I have. Address G, box 194, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER, LADY PREFERRED, IN established small candy business; good work, will start you; small salary to your hours daily. Apply or write owner, PARKER AGENCY, 230 Broadway, Los Angeles.

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH $2000, WONDERful proposition, can be independent in a short time. Will stand closest investigation and references furnished. Address 467, box 93, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER FOR A GOOD AND steady business, with services, only; not for large investment; must be honest; this ad. Address D, box 200, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $3000 TO TRADE ½ interest for a good paying private school for boys in Southern California; salaried position, $150 per month. Address D, box 56, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—A SOBER AND STRONG LADY, AS partner in rooming house, 25 rooms, a little money in; furniture. Call or address 825 SAN JULIAN ST.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $1500 TO INVEST in his real estate office; $250 to $500 per week. Address A, box 62, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH SOME MONEY IN it to go to Canada and locate timber limits. Must be willing to work. Chief will require an investment. Address G, box 42, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH SOM MONEY IN $1000 to $2000 to handle Dodge 5 p.m. and after 5 p.m. HOME 21270.

WANTED—A PARTNER TO HELP MANUFACture the Sherman Automatic Fire Escape; good chance for right party. Call 1 BRADBURY BLOCK, 342½ North Spring st., Los Angeles. F6945.

WANTED—PARTNER IN ESTABLISHED TIRE and vulcanizing business. Must have $800 to invest. Call at 709 SOUTH OLIVE ST.

WANTED—PARTNER, MUST HAVE $2000, ESTABlished business; real opportunity for right man; fixed income; quick action. Address B, box 371, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—PARTNER FOR MANUFACTURING OF auto and furniture polish, must have $2500 at once; will clear $250 to $500 per week on $1.00 cans. Address G, box 252, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER FOR NICE CLEAN BUSIness; no money required except to pay own board; will clear $100 monthly; 10 a.m. 218 WESLEY ROBERTS BLDG., 3rd and Main.

WANTED—PARTNER IN ESTABLISHED NURsery; experience not necessary but must be good salesman; permanent position for reliable man. Address T7, box 822 TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—CANDY MAKER FOR WHOLESALE and retail trade who can invest $200 for half interest. CALL 75586.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $600, CAN GUARAN tee $200 per month; money secured. 511 MERCHANTS' TRUST BLDG.

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED — CULTURED GENTLEMAN AND wife desire board and rooms in refined private family, would like second floor, 3 sleeping rooms with fireplace (if possible), 4 bedroom and bath, and THE VERY BEST OF TABLE BOARD. Prefer to use our own furniture. References exchanged. Address A, box 517, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH, or telephone 5570360, between 6 and 8 p.m.

WANTED—FURNISHED SOUTH ROOM AND TWO meals per day in private family, by single gentleman, three piece and particulars. Address P, box 23, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SINGLE WOMAN WANTS HEATED room and board, three meals. Address L, 1205 WRIGHT ST.

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, NICELY FURNISHED room and good board. State terms and particulars. Address F, box 127, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — MIDDLE-AGED WIDOWER WISHES room and board. Address D, box 37, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Houses.

WANTED—TO BUY 6-ROOM MODERN BUNGAlow, must be on car line, from Main to Vermont and Washington to Santa Barbara, pay for same some cash and clear suburban lots. I am no agent and will pay no commission. PHONE WEST 205.

WANTED — EQUITIES IN GOOD HOLLYWOOD bungalows for clear in city or country, state what you have, no agents. Address D, box 378, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—6-ROOM BUNGALOW TO $2500, S.W. Will give 4 lots in best residence district of Ontario and city or suburban property. Owner, 1590 W. H. HOWARD, 433 S. Hill.

WANTED—A GOOD HOUSE OR FLAT BUILDING for my rear orchard. Plenty of water. Will assume and give a good trade. Address E, box 96, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EQUITY IN GOOD BUNGALOW FOR Willys-Knight passenger. Address G, box 297, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—7-ROOM 2-STORY HOUSE ON HIGH ground, west or northwest. Must be real bargain. Address F, box 60, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—6-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW IN good location for five acres on 14th st., San Fernando. 402 NORTH HOOVER.

WANTED—$ OR 2-ROOM SECTIONAL HOUSE in good repair. Must be a bargain. Call SOUTH 2063J.

WANTED—
Real Estate for Cash.

Advertisements which involve an exchange proposition are not acceptable for publication in this column.

WANTED—HAVE CLIENT WITH $40,000 CASH to purchase large tract, modern flat or bank to valuation. If large proposition want to go in 100 acres clear kansas land, worth $20 per acre.

Also have client for good residence to $12,500 Wilshire or West Adams district, must be close in, private location, white preferred. Answer by letter giving particulars. Positively not a listing st.
STEWART & TINKLEPAUGH,
816 Trust & Savings Bldg.

WANTED—AM IN THE MARKET FOR A VENtura bean ranch or bean land. Will pay cash for 160 acres or more. Must be level and cultivated; must be good grower. Want to inspect quality next week. Might take larger piece if price right. Address D, box 1056, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—GOOD UNRESTRICTED FLAT LOT, for best bargain offered me. Am home for buyer and know values. Address G, box 276, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WILL PAY CASH FOR APARTMENT lot. Westlake-Wilshire section; also want lot for sale. CHARLES F. EDGERS, 629-30 Security Bldg. BDwy. 7515. A3290

WANTED—1 OR 2-ROOM HOUSE, VICINITY Normal School; give price and number must be cheap or cash will not buy. Address D, box 477, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—HOLLYWOOD BUNGALOW WELL LOcated; must be cheap for cash. 824 INVESTMENT BLDG. 62194.

WANTED—TO BUY HOUSE, FOR CASH, OF 7 rooms, between Figueroa and Vermont, between Washington and Jefferson. Address D, box 314, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—INCOME PROPERTY; MUST BE ABsolute sacrifice for cash; also 2 corner, West side. Address D, box 590, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—INCOME PROPERTY, HAVE ALL cash for real estate in flats or other income property. Address F, box 502, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—WILL PAY CASH FOR UNRESTRICTed lot, Third to Eighth, Vermont to Western; give full price first letter. TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—FOUR OR FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW bargain. Give street address or letter. Ignored. No agents. Address D, box 226, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
To buy a bargain in a Wilshire residence to $20,000 or lot to $6000. Have cash. Address LC, box 586, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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McDONALD,
502 Story Bldg. Home 64161.

WANTED—EAST SIDE FLATS OR SMALL APARTment-houses up to $16,000. Offer good Pasadena houses and lots at Lankershim. Can make you a fine deal. See MR. JORDAN, with
W. J. PEARSON & CO.,
310 Haas Bldg. BDwy. 144.

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WANTED—IN PASADENA OR LOS ANGELES, 1 to 10 vacant lots, 5 or 6 rooms, modern room residence, completely furnished, only small mortgage. Fine location. Value of house $7500. Please write owner. Address F, box 130, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—7-ROOM RESIDENCE, CITY OR HOLlywood, have 40 acres good land, close to car, near Van Nuys, with equipment wages; clear, will pay $1200 per acre. Main 9278. P. H. LONGLEY, 337 S. Hill st. F1-72.

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Also have client for good residence to $12,500 Wilshire or West Adams district, must be close in, private location, white preferred. Answer by letter giving particulars. Positively not a listing st.
STEWART & TINKLEPAUGH,
816 Trust & Savings Bldg.

WANTED—AM IN THE MARKET FOR A VENtura bean ranch or bean land. Will pay cash. for 160 acres or more. Must be level and cultivated; must be good grower. Want to inspect quality next week. Might take larger piece if price right. Address D, box 1056, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

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WANTED—ONE OF THE MOST SUCCESSFUL sales agencies of subdivisions property, with a good sales force, desires a tract to sell, prefer property with 5-cent car fare, fully improved, one which you have been unable to sell. Want low prices and reasonable restrictions. Would consider good acre subdivision. We would build houses to aid sales, but your prices must be right. MR. JONES. Main 2201, 75925.

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WANTED—TO EXCHANGE—FOR RANCH IN Southern California, clear Los Angeles realty, consisting of 160x120 feet industrial corner near Ninth st., value $75,000. Lot suitable for rooming house between Fifth and Sixth street, below Main, value $15,000. Will trade either or both pieces and assume or pay cash difference for ranch property. Give full particulars as to size, location, improvements, price, etc., by letter. Address R. C. MARTIN, 645 South Olive st.

WANTED—COUNTRY PROPERTY NEAR LOS Angeles up to $12,000 and assume. Have fourfamily flat property West Adams section. Two flats of six rooms, two flats of five rooms, all leased. Price $16,000. Mortgage $7,500.
See H. M. GALE CO., Exclusive Agents,
610 Security Bldg.

WANTED—CLEAR UNIMPROVED LAND, AN orange grove or improved ranch, slightly mortgaged for two brick apartment houses, and vacant apartment site. These three properties are within 10 minutes' walk from Broadway. Total equity $167,000. Call for drive. EARLE W. MAGEE, 423-29 Security Bldg., Broadway 7578. A8295.

WANTED—
We have an all cash buyer for an up-to-date Wilshire bungalow on paved street, 6 rooms and garage. Price must be right. See CUNNINGHAM or HALL, 911 Hass Bldg. 10020. Bdwy. 805.

WANTED—ALHAMBRA BUNGALOW OR GOOD VAcant or make cash offer for beautiful 6-room bungalow, close in, 129 South Serrano street. ALSO, same basis, for 8-room modern 2-story house, close in. Owner, 1-2-3 Security Bldg., A3786, Broadway 2264.

WANTED—TO BUY 5 TO 5 ACRES OF LAND near Los Angeles, not over $1000. Will trade for place with good modern 7 or 8-room house; must be a good home site and where I can put in 2000 or 3000 chickens. Will pay cash and give $——— more. Address F, box 67, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HOLLYWOOD AND LOW ANGELES INcome properties. Cash buyers and clear exchanges. Want good citrus grove. Have six-room bungalow, Wilshire, $20,000, clear, to exchange for clear properties. Have income for exchange. FRANK L. FRARY, 621 Van Nuys Bldg.

WANTED — IMPROVED FULL-BEARING ORchard, up to about $12,000 or $14,000, in exchange for some of the equity in 6-room modern bungalow, $7000. Price doubled from cost. Located in WILSHIRE DISTRICT. STATE FULL PARTICULARS and price. Owner only. Address D, box 382, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—40,000 TO 50,000 ACRES GRAZING land in California; must be cheap; all cash; owners only need apply. Address Y, box 551, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

WANTED—COUNTRY PROPERTY NEAR LOS ANgeles, Pasadena or Long Beach, for clear, fine condition. Address G, box 203, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
If about to lose your real estate under foreclosure or otherwise, write me. Money available immediately. All replies received in confidence. Address B, box 342, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—GENERAL RANCH OR FARM WITH or without building; must have some water; California. Must have good soil and good water conditions. Exchange for $45,000, CLEAR, IMPERIAL and Imperial Valley property. Address C. A. CAMPBELL CO., 218 Security Bldg. 65421.

WANTED—2 TO 5-ACRE IMPROVED RANCH FOR equity in improved property on Manle ave., at 16th st.; price $8500; mortgage $3500. Show us something clear. Equity must be worth at least three dollars valuation for every two that you can show. WATKINS & BELTON, 402 P. E. Bldg. Phones Broadway 4536, Home 10822.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE FLAT BUILDING Jefferson to Slauson, Normandie to Central; have 150 acres improved, Murrieta Hot Springs; $10,000; will assume, $2000. CHARLES GLOVER, 604 Wright & Callender Bldg. F2700—Main 2700.

WANTED—OWNERS, THAT WANT TO TRADE LAND near HEMET, SAN JACINTO or PERRIS for LOS ANGELES INCOME property, SEND ME FULL DESCRIPTION and PRICE. I will come up there to examine lands soon. Address D, box 1056, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$9 TO 160-ACRE VINEYARD IN Fresno county; will give fine Pasadena city property or Altadena orange grove; will assume. GILBERT & BENNER, 605 Union Oil Bldg. A3540.

WANTED—IMPROVED TULARE COUNTY RANCH. $20,000 to $40,000, for highly improved home of 160 acres, in one of the finest locations about Los Angeles. Can put in several bungalows for factory dept. ANDERSON & CANNADAY, 700 Grant Bldg. Main 2400, A1562.

WANTED—$10,500 CLEAR PROPERTY. Give fine large income business corner, south Figueroa. ACT, 601 Story Bldg. F2715.

WANTED—HAVE BUSINESS PROPERTY AND Vacant lots will located to exchange for acreage to about $15,000. Vacant land considered. Address B, box 269, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—$50,000 CLEAR LOCAL OR EASTERN realty in even exchange for 70 ft. frontage commercial in center of Pasadena. Will trade for improved with "taxpayers." CHAS. H. PRICE, 1010 Van Nuys Bldg. 61234.

WANTED—CLEAR PROPERTY, $70 $4000 FOR 2 large lots in Los Angeles. Give full particulars as to use for them. Price $4000; cost $6000. Address A1455, Broadway 7408.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE APARTMENT-HOUSE or other income. Have 16 acres, full-bearing grove, 6 miles from Los Angeles. Address B, box 253, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—A BUNGALOW IN OR NEAR LOS Angeles in exchange for my $9000 equity in a beautiful new modern home, twenty minutes from Plaza. Bungalow to have two large living rooms, two baths, every modern convenience. Address P. O. BOX 1765, Los Angeles.

WANTED—UNRESTRICTED LOT, WILSHIRE, Hollywood or Pasadena; will pay $30,000 cash on cash basis, balance good farming land, unimproved, clear. Would consider Westlake. Address Z, 272 South Vermont.

WANTED—FINE HOME WILSHIRE, HOLLYwood, or good income, new flats showing income $1500 to $2,000 rent value. Will trade clear lot, cash, farming land and unimproved clear. No inflated prices. Resident party know values. OWNER, 272 South Vermont.

WANTED—A GOOD FARMING PROPOSITION any kind, where finances will be furnished. Have 10 head A-1 farm horses, implements, wagons, etc., and understand the business. Address F, box 27, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—COTTAGE OR BUNGALOW TO $4500. Offer cash and 80 acres clear Coachella Valley, $4000. Broadway 4536. 600 LANKERSHIM BLDG.

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Classified Liners.

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Discarded Clothes.

WANTED—CORRIN PAYS TOP DOLLAR for, wearing clothing. 62 col. 15 [illegible]

WANTED—

Furniture.

WANTED—WE PAY HIGHEST CASH PRICE for all kinds of furniture, household goods, etc., for spot cash. Be sure to call on us before you sell. We pay more. [illegible]

WANTED—FURNITURE, RUGS, ETC. [illegible]

WANTED—SECOND-HAND FURNITURE, general rooms. F8624—BROADWAY.

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TO LET—WESTLAKE DISTRICT, NICELY furnished room, private home, 2 blocks car; breakfast if desired. WILSHIRE 6[illegible]

TO LET—WHOEVER NEEDS A HOME, WILL rent nicely furnished sunny room, walking distance. [illegible]

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM IN PRIVATE home, walking distance, close to West Lake Park. Call WILSHIRE [illegible]

TO LET—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED ROOM, [illegible] private home, reference. PHONE [illegible]

TO LET—MAHOGANY DAVENPORT BED, [illegible] bed; both with springs; $5 each. 1[illegible] ORANGE.

TO LET — AM FURNISHING APARTMENT. Will put entire house or single rooms. [illegible]

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, WILL BE [illegible] change it to suit two or three gentlemen. [illegible]

TO LET—SECOND-HAND FURNITURE FOR [illegible] sale; will trade. [illegible]

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TO LET—FLOWER-[illegible] furnished rooms; everything new; [illegible] water in every room, baths, $2.50 [illegible] SOUTH FLOWER. 5 minutes [illegible]

TO LET—EXTRA LARGE, WELL FURNISHED room; suit 2 men; $9 per month. 659 [illegible]

TO LET—FRONT ROOM, TWO BEDS, PRIVATE family, phone and bath; two gentlemen; $7 each; references. 1[illegible] CALIFORNIA.

TO LET—BEAUTIFUL FRONT ROOM IN [illegible] private home; garage. Home comforts; [illegible] close-in. 724 South Main street.

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TO LET—SINGLE AND DOUBLE ROOMS, [illegible] $2 and $3 per week. 852 E. 42D ST. [illegible] GRAND.

TO LET—SUNNY FURNISHED LARGE FRONT [illegible] heat, bath and cooking service if desired; $15 per month. 418 S. PARK VIEW. [illegible] from Westlake Park.

TO LET—SUNNY ROOM, OPEN FIREPLACE, [illegible] conveniences, housekeeping if desired. $ [illegible] 629 S. WESTMORELAND. [illegible]

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TO LET—LARGE BEAUTIFUL FRONT ROOM [illegible] private home, walking [illegible] 223 S. BEAUDRY AVE.

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TO LET—WELL FURNISHED SUNNY BEDroom [illegible] private family; $10 per month. [illegible] VIRGIL AVE. PHONE [illegible]

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED FRONT room, [illegible] home, no other roomers. Garage if [illegible] LITTLE SOUTH FLOWER ST. Phone [illegible]

TO LET—FOR COLORED PERSON, FURNISHED [illegible] home. PHONE [illegible]

TO LET—LARGE, SUNNY ROOM, [illegible] for gentleman; $6 per month. 1[illegible] SHERIDAN AVE., near Temple.

TO LET—FURNISHED, LARGE SUNNY ROOM, [illegible] private family; $5. 1[illegible] PARK, near Hollywood [illegible]

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TO LET—HOTEL SAVOY, 137 S. BROADWAY. [illegible] furnished rooms, $1.50 week. [illegible]

TO LET—ROOM WITH USE OF GARAGE IF [illegible] 1[illegible] WILSHIRE BLVD.

TO LET—THE STANLEY, 724½ S. HOPE ST. [illegible] furnished rooms, $2 week; transients [illegible]

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TO LET—IN MODERN HOLLYWOOD HOME near car line, 20 minutes from city. Nicely furnished well heated room; private bath; evening dinner for one of two gentlemen. Every modern convenience, no other boarders. Rates very reasonable. Call 57150 CARLTON WAY or Phone 3603G7.

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Eight-room modern, with furnace and within walking distance, $40 per month.
1030 ARAPAHOE ST.
Eight-room modern, sleeping porches, nicely kept; hardwood, furnace, etc., $35 per month.
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1231 NAOMI ST. Modern 6-room house with large yard, barn and place for chickens, also 3 rooms, 1417 EAST 16TH ST., 3 rooms, 1417 EAST 16TH ST., 3 rooms, 1417 EAST 16TH ST., 3 rooms, 1417 EAST 16TH ST., water cold. Call H. H. WILLIAMS CO., 1215 E. 12th st. Main 6036 and 649 for MISS HYKES' houses.

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TO LET—ELEGANT COURT WITH EVERY MODern convenience, 5-room bungalow, walk west to 6700 of boulevard, sleeping porch, tile bath and range, ivory and mahogany finish, some furnished; prices very reasonable for quick rent. See owner, 6708 HILLCREST AVE. Exmil Bors, Hollywood 2906; 597165.

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Elegant 9-room house, large corner lot, with flowers and shrubbery; will rent very reasonable to desirable tenants. Apply WILLEBRANDT & BIL Hibernian Bldg.

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TO LET—ATTRACTIVE SWISS CHALET, 5 ROOMS and all up-to-date improvements, including garage, centrally located, in South Pasadena, street paved, large corner lot. Rent $40. Call F2256, Colorado 4801.

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WILL SELL MY ELECTRIC LIGHTED OAKLAND roadster, new batteries, for the best offer. 1343 S. MAPLE. Main 2512.

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THE PLACE TO GO FOR GOOD USED CARS.

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Cartercar touring car $300
Pathfinder, touring, 1915 .....$300
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Marathon roadster, repainted $225
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Stearns 15-30, 4-passenger $275
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Saxon Four, 1916, electric starter $375
Kissel Kar, 1912 touring car $250
Rambler tour, car, 1914, elec. lights & start..$250
Oakland 1913 .....$270
Studebaker, 1914, 5-pass., elec. lights & Start..$375
Case touring car $250
Regal 20 underslung roadster $175
Perfex special roadster $300
Oakland roadster, 1914 .....$400
Pathfinder 1914, electric lights and starter..$435
Reo touring car $200
Overland touring car $195
Velie roadster, 1913 .....$300
Saxon Touring, Model 30 .....$225

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FOR SALE—$100 DOWN AND BALANCE ON reasonable terms, all purchase any one of six automobiles, consisting of roadsters and touring cars from this company. A little larger payment will give you a choice of the very latest models, all of which will be found in excellent condition and real values at the prices asked. There is a large stock to choose from and as these cars belong to an automobile company that received them as part payment on new cars you will find not only that they are underpriced but that you will receive real service after as well as before you purchase. Every car is guaranteed to be as represented.

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1915 Mitchell light six .....Touring....$650
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1913 Reo .....Touring....$375
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1912 Cadillac .....Touring....$350
1913 Studebaker Six .....Touring....$225

WITHOUT STARTER OR LIGHTS.
1912 Jackson, Olympic model.....Touring....$300
1912 Velie .....Roadster....$300
1912 Mitchell .....Touring....$250
1912 Regal .....Touring....$250
1912 Ford .....Touring....$200

These are over thirty other types and models to select from at prices ranging from $150 to $1000 and since buying them you are going to find one to suit you and if you purchase you will have behind you a company that will make good on their best days, for if these cars were not in condition to sell, they could well afford to sell them to the junk man and would do so before they would ruin their reputation by forcing them on the public.

CARL C. GILDNER,
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1914—Stearns Knight 6, 5-pass.
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1912—Studebaker "25," 5-pass.
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All in perfect condition, nearly all equipped with electric lights and starters. This is our yearly clean-up and you can get more for your dollar than at any other place in town. Cash or terms.

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McFARLAN SIX.

Here's the best buy in town. Roomy seven-passenger six-cylinder McFarlan. Exceptionally good condition, lights, starter, clock, Master carburetor, over $250 worth of tires on this car. Don't let this slip. Here's the best buy. Liberal terms. Free service. Open Sundays 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

IRVING MOTOR CAR COMPANY,
842 South Olive street.
Main 2191. F4936.

DON LEE SPECIAL SALE—

USED CARS.

SEE AD PAGE 3, PINK SECTION.

WANTED — HIGH-GRADE CAR AND SOME cash for my equity in business corner, 300x140 to 20-foot alley; mortgage $40000. Owner, Phone 57778Y1. FRANKLIN HARPER, 1002 Van Nuys Bldg. A1904. Main 287.

A GENUINE BARGAIN—
1911 six-cylinder 7-passenger car. This car has been recently overhauled, has new Miller carburetor, 10 miles guaranteed to gallon; new Goodyear cords tires. This car has never been rebuilt, has been owned by one family and the record and condition will insure its future satisfactory use. Only 100,000 miles. Can be seen at HINMAN HOTEL, 620 South Figueroa, between 11 and 12 today. Ask for MR. AUSTIN.

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THE BEST AUTOMOBILE THAT I CAN GET FOR MY $900 EQUITY IN A $1250 LOT. JUST NORTH OF GLENDALE. MUST BE CLEAR THE PROPERTY IF DEAL WARRANTED.
MR. PRICE,
Bdwy. 7378. 428-29 Security Bldg. A3290.

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FORDS—FORDS—FORDS
Touring car, good order, $150; touring car, all steels exterior, $265; roadster, classy, Bosch magneto, $225; 1916 touring, like new, Atwater-Kent, $365; Ford chassis, fine order, $175; 6-cylinder Mitchell, starter, $275; 1914 Detroiter touring, terms, $275. We buy Fords. 707 W. THIRD ST.

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TIRES—HUNDREDS OF SLIGHTLY USED TIRES and tubes, 25 to 50 per cent. GUARANTEED VULCANIZING AUTO TIRE STORE, 711 South Los Angeles street. Main 5314.

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WILL GIVE $100 CASH AND SERVICEABLE light truck for a good Ford. Phone EAST 5454.

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THAN A CHEAP NEW ONE.

For Sale—1916 model touring cars below their actual market value. I have four of them of different popular models and, were I a speculator in used cars I would be asking from a hundred to a hundred and fifty dollars more for each one of them. But as they were taken in trade on the new Chandler and as we have made our profit in the new car sale and as I want to move these cars at once so as to make room for future trades on new cars, I am selling them at prices that are right and adding a guarantee and service to, continue you that I know them to be in good condition and can, therefore, afford to guarantee them.

THIS WEEK'S OFFERINGS.

Hupmobile, 1914 Touring $450
Kissel Kar, 1915 Touring $500
Pullman, 1916 Touring $1000
Chandler Touring, 1916 model .....$900 to $950
Chandler Roadster, 1916 model $900
Chandler Touring, 1915 model .....$750 to $800
Packard Twin Six Touring $2400
Studebaker Touring, 1917 model $750
Mitchell Light Six Touring, 1916 .....$800
Mitchell Light six Touring, 1915 .....$650
Willys Knight Limousine, 1916 .....$1250
Cadillac Touring, 1913 model $450
Studebaker Six Touring $425
Buick Roadster, Model 24 .....$250
Jackson Touring, 1914 .....$450
Chalmers Touring, Model 36 .....$350
Chalmers Touring, 1911 model $250
Overland Touring, 1914 .....$350
Velie Roadster, 1913 .....$300
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Twenty Other Popular Makes and Models.

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Used Car Department,
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2-cyl. engines, $20 to $40.
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New tire covers, all sizes, 50c to $1.50.
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Cash for autos wrecked or running.

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We build trailers! We have trailers! Trailers for lumber, fruit, pipe, cattle, camping or any other purpose. Some samples in stock. Our trailers are hand made by first class carriage mechanics, well balanced, light, strong and roomy and the

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7-passenger.
Fully equipped.
Well conditioned.
The real thing for
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TIRES—

Cheap!
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Cheap!

We are overstocked with tires taken off wrecked cars. Some are nearly new. Hundreds to choose from. Ford sizes by the dozen, $3 to $5; other sizes, $7 to $8, while they last. This is your chance if you need now or will need one soon. Get in now while getting is good. Tubes, $1 each.

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FOR SALE—

We have 80 Bosch magnetos; DU 4 straight and dual, clockwise or anti-clockwise. Also DU 4, double headed 4 and 6 cylinders. If in need of magnetos, call and see us. We will save you money.

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We wreck autos for parts. Can furnish parts for most all makes of cars, prices the lowest, goods guaranteed as represented or money refunded.

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FOR SALE—

1915 MAXWELL TOURING.

Electric starter and lights, repainted, tires new, all overhauled, $775, $100 down, $45 month.

SEE MR. BARROWS.
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FOR SALE—STUDEBAKER TOURING CAR 4, in perfect condition. Never been touched and as good as new. Has been used one year as family car in Los Angeles only. Will sacrifice this car for $550; $200 cash, $25 per month. For particulars call at 295 FERGUSON BLDG., or phone 572266.

1916 SCRIPPS-BOOTH, RUN BUT 4000 MILES, thoroughly overhauled; will sacrifice for $575. GANNON, 3000 Pasadena ave., Pasadena. Phone day times, Colorado 431, evenings, Colorado 3625.

FOR SALE—1916 OVERLAND, 5-PASS., NEWLY painted, run only by private owner, good tires, Absolutely perfect. $550. Call MR. ALEXANDER, Hotel Norwood, Broadway 2888. Office phone, Main 6000.

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Fords overhauled $8.00
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STUDEBAKER 1916 14-passenger bus. Overhauled and repainted. All good tires. Runs like new and a snap at $795.00

VIM 12-cam. bus. Has plate glass windows, new tires on rear. Motor overhauled, and is some buy for a level run, only.....$585.00

JOHNSON One-ton Truck—NEW Stake body and cab. Has lots of power to haul a trailer. This is a real bargain at.....$475.00

METZ Light Delivery car, 1916 model. Absolutely good as new in every way. Don't fail to see this if you want an economical light car. Only.....$285.00

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1915 Stutz Building $1250
1915 Chandler Touring Car.....$800
1913 Hudson Touring Car.....$300
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1912 Simplex Limousine $1200
1912 Simplex Four-Passenger $400
1912 KisselKar Touring $225

All these can be sold at rock bottom prices. It will pay you to investigate. All cars guaranteed.

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Buick Little Six touring $875
Buick Little Six Touring $850
Buick Little Six roadster $850
Buick C-37, 1913 Touring $700
Buick C-36, 1913 roadster $700
Buick B-37, 1914 touring $575
Buick B-55, 1914 Six, touring $725
Buick B1, 1913 Touring $325
Buick 25, 1913 Touring $325
Buick 22, 1913, Red Bird Roadster $225
Buick 24, 1912 Touring $265
Buick 10, 1910, White Streak, electric lights and generator, ...$150
Pierce-Arrow, with roadster and touring bodies, ...$1950

And several other standard makes of cars rounded in price from $175 and including Fords and several light delivery trucks, and a 1½-ton Gramm, ...$750

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FOR SALE—

SIX-CYLINDER COLE.

Perfect mechanically, with new paint, good top, good tires and power to spare. This car is a splendid buy. The greatest running motor you ever heard. Built for hard service; this car will be good for years. Liberal terms. Free service. Open Sundays from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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We have in stock, a complete line of parts for the following cars:

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AUTO EXHIBIT AND SUPPLY CO.,
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USED CARS.

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6-CYLINDER EISEMAN MAGNETO, $15; SPLIT magneto and coil, $7.50; 12-inch mud-lights, $6; 80-ampere new battery, $10; speedometer heads, $1; tool boxes, $1; generator, $10; three ton jacks, $1; wind shield mirrors, $1; tires, 26c; spark plugs, 25c; 12-inch truck searlight, $3; small Presto tanks, $4; large Presto, $6; electric headlights, $1.50; rear lights, $1; rubber; rainshields, $1.50—electric horns, hame blankets, chains, electric tail lights, magnetos, tires, tubes, dirt shields, $1 each; Standard, $1; 10 lbs. grease, 90c; Overland, 1912, body, $10; White Steamer streamline rear body, $25; chassis for trailer, $10. PETERSON'S, 1422 S. Main.

FOR SALE—

1913 OVERLAND TOURING.

Electric lights and side lights, tires all new, top and paint good, car is fine shape, all overhauled and guaranteed. $800. $100 down, $20 monthly.

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11th and Hope Sts. 10845.
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WANTED—A GOOD AUTO FOR WHICH I WILL give a fine tract of 5 acres of deciduous land (clear,) located 15 minutes' walk from Auburn, Cal., a city of 8000, 25 miles from Sacramento, on two main lines S.P.R.R. It is a beautiful piece; cost me $600 2½ years ago; many live oaks, but no other improvements; perpetual water right. Phone VERMONT 2400.

WANTED—
We pay the highest cash prices for your old cars. Call, phone or write.

AUTO EXHIBIT AND SUPPLY CO.,
1130 S. Main St.

CADILLAC BARGAIN—
MY PRIVATE SEDAN (FIVE PASSENGER) ONE-THIRD ITS COST. TELEPHONE FOR DEMONSTRATION, MR. SMITH, FORENOONS, MAIN 1481, F3700. EVENINGS WEST 2472.

I WILL SELL MY 1916 5-PASSENGER OVERland, at a sacrifice. This car has had nothing but private use, and is in excellent condition. Make me an offer. MR. ANDREWS, Phone 10969, Main 671.

FOR SALE—HUDSON 33, FIVE-PASSENGER, IN perfect running order, looks almost like new, good as can be bought in its class. Telephone 54213, WILSHIRE 143.

FOR SALE—25 H. P., 4-CYLINDER, 1915 high roadster as good as new, will sell or trade for real estate. Address or phone C. H. COULTER, at Van Nuys, Cal., Sunset 48.

FOR SALE—MY 1916 MODEL 83 OVERLAND touring car, only 3000 miles, new extra tire, two bumpers, skid chains and in perfect condition throughout, no trades, cash or terms. Call HOLLYWOOD 3025.

WILL EXCHANGE POPE-HARTFORD 50, MODEL of 1913, four-cylinder, self-starter, roomy, five-passenger car, in good order, recently thoroughly overhauled, for clear real estate. Can be seen by addressing G. box 287, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—WHEELS, AXLES, GEARS, BEARings, springs, rear ends, gas tanks, windshields, speedometers, radiators, engines, transmissions, electric head lights, any part you want for your auto. 811 NORTH BROADWAY. Main 7504.

FOR SALE—FORD, LATE 1916 TOURING CAR in best possible condition. Will demonstrate to your entire satisfaction. Am anxious to sell at once and will sacrifice. Phone 23350 or WEST 1729.

FOR SALE—1917 FORD TOURING CAR FOR cash. Phone Broadway 6532. Ask for MR. NORRIS, or call 1004 West Eleventh st.

CARBON BURNED OUT—
Done, also 2 lots at Lindsay, Cal., opposite high school, perfect title. Want automobile. 2260 UNION OIL BLDG.

FOR SALE—1915 MOON 6-40, REBUILT AND painted like new. Will sacrifice for cash or terms to first comer. Any re

Classified Liners.

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FOR SALE—
1915 BUICK C-37.

This car is absolutely in perfect condition, original paint, without a scratch on it. Has the extra compression with any other car of its model. Liberal terms.

LEACH MOTOR CAR CO.,
Used Car Dept.,
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FOR SALE—

STUDEBAKER.

$700 down, balance at $37 per month, at 8% interest. This is $100 under market for this almost new 5-passenger automobile in PERFECT SHAPE INSIDE AND OUT, never abused, with steel body. ANY KIND of inspection. Phone: Home F1067. Wilshire 807, for appointment.

FOR SALE—

1917 MAXWELL—5-PASS.

Electric starter and lights, used about time it was demonstrated. Like new. $575. Easy terms.

Geo. Gray,
943 South Grand ave.
Used Car Department.
LOEB MOTOR CAR CO.,
Main 2444. F2222.

FOR SALE—Studebaker four, $900.
Hupmobile four, $425.
Buick roadster, $225.
Ford roadster, $90.
Ford touring, $125.
WRIGHT MOTOR CAR CO.,
1255 S. Main st. A3772.

AMERICAN ROADSTER—

In excellent condition. Paint as good as new. Used by one person and cared for properly. Will take for $250. BROADWAY 309 or call at garage.

FOR SALE—FORD ROADSTER. THIS IS NOT a used car, but one that has been driven only a few miles, and could never be designated for a Ford, as it looks too much like a Winton Six. Will sell it, if it will come out even. Call at 1234 S. HOPE ST. Ask for Mr. SHRADER'S, 1254 south Grand ave.

BUY A 1916 FORD TOURING THAT LOOKS like a brand new car. Has original tires and new very little wear. Equipped with speedometer, cut out and electric lights. This car is something out of the ordinary. Price $345; $150 down, $25 per month. Broadway 8051.

ARE LOOKING FOR A SNAPPY LIGHT CAR, that has been used but little and is practically like new? Look at this 1916 King Eight in A-1 condition, examined and ridden by us. Also this car next in a car.

1802 SOUTH MAIN STREET,
Broadway 8051.

1916 Touring Car in perfect mechanical condition, with new tires; price $375. Terms of $25 down, $10 weekly.

MORAN & M'MENAMY,
1900 South Main.

MAXWELL TOURING. This car has not been overhauled in our shops and was recently purchased by us in A-1 condition throughout. The extremely liberal terms of $150 cash, and $25.00 per month would be entertained. LOCOMOBILE CO., 1254 S. Main. Open Sunday.

FOR SALE— $250.
1916 Roadster,
Location inviting.
ELECTRIC LIGHTED AND FULL EQUIPMENT.
H. F. GERHARD, 1202 Merch-Strong Bldg.
Phone A2856.

STEARNS-KNIGHT 4-CYLINDER 4-PASSENGER, guaranteed absolutely perfect condition, new throughout, Continental motor, electric lights, starter, lights, Kissel demountable rims, extra tire and tube, $1500 cash. Will consider trade for small car. Address F, box 204, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
A 5-passenger late model 7-passenger car in guaranteed condition; this car is worth $2500 and will take clear cash-class property to this amount, in exchange for it.

1060 SOUTH MAIN STREET,
Broadway 8051.

1916 STUDEBAKER SIX, EXCELLENT CONDITION; a bargain at $725; terms if wanted. BROADWAY 6000. COMPANY,
1242 South Flower.

GIVING THEM AWAY: 1913 PAIGE TOURING, $145; 1912 Studebaker 20 touring, $195; 1912 roadster, $190; 1912 Studebaker 20 touring, $190; 1914 Hupp, with starter, $290; 1912 Studebaker, $275; 1911 studebaker 20, touring car, $150; 1913 studebaker 20, perfect, roadster, $260; Studebaker 4-cylinder, 1911 red racer; $200. PETERSON'S, 1422 S. Main.

ATTENTION! DON'T EXPERIMENT. Take your broken parts to the KEYSTONE MACHINE & WELDING CO., 1442 S. Main st. Phone Home 24894, South 2579. THE ONLY THAT HELPS. Expert aluminum welding.

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A dispatch from Falmouth to Lloyd's says that the British steamer Briardene was sunk on Friday. The crew was landed at Falmouth by the steamer Luna.

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Advices from Berlin report today that the Danube army already is menacing fortresses around Bucharest, having reached the Argeschu River, five miles from the forts. The Germans and Bulgarians also have gained ground northwest of the capital by working through the passes southeast of Campulung. Still another enemy force is reported to have broken through and defeated the First Rumanian Army southwest of Pitesthi, enabling it to capture General Staff officers.

The Rumanian and Russian communiques are silent regarding this last claim, although both admit that the Rumanians under pressure were compelled to retire slightly in this sector. Further west, in Wallachia, the Rumanians assert that adverse weather conditions hampered their operations.

It is generally believed here that Russian pressure on Von Falkenhayn's army through Transylvania has come too late to offset the rapid gains of the Germans, or affect materially the German plan of encircling Bucharest. The Russians' latest success in capturing a series of heights south of Kirilibaba gives them an entering wedge into Transylvania, and proves a most encouraging counter-move on the part of the allies.

That the Russian forces, in conjunction with Rumanians, are making progress in Dobrudja, is indicated by the latest communications, which report that the allies have regained part of the Tchernavoda bridge, compelling the opposing forces to retire southward from several heights.

ARTILLERY BATTLE ON BELGIAN FRONT.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 2 (via Sayville.)—Only artillery engagements on the Franco-Belgian front are reported in today's official statement, which reads:

"Western front: On both banks of the Ancre and near St. Pierre Vaast wood (north of the Somme) and south of the Somme, near Chaulnes, heavy artillery duels prevailed for a time."

Ontario.

BOY KILLED.

Fatal Automobile Accident Ends in Crushing Skull of Eleven-year-old Marion Moss When Uncle's Auto Skids and Turns Turtle.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ONTARIO, Dec. 2.—"Two hurt and one killed" was the laconic message which whisked over the wires this afternoon at 3 o'clock from Fuente, followed by the details of an automobile accident, which took place upon the Valley boulevard.

It seems that W. J. Trueblood, manager of the Ontario sewer farm, was driving with his sister, Mrs. Will Kendrick, and their 11-year-old nephew, Marion Moss, from Whittier, where they had been spending their Thanksgiving season, to Ontario. When two miles out from Fuente it began raining. The Ford machine in which they were riding began to skid and in putting down the clamps, Trueblood, it is believed, used too much force.

The effect, whatever the cause, was to make the machine turn turtle. The nephew was seated on the hind seat and was found with his head crushed between the top of the seat and the hard ground. Trueblood is suffering from a concussion of the brain, while Mrs. Kendrick was painfully jolted.

The body was taken to Ontario and the injured were brought to their home. Trueblood, while dangerously hurt, will recover, according to the attending physician.

ASK CITY TO PROHIBIT THE CUTTING OF KELP

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 2.—Following the announcement of the plan of the government to establish an experimental kelp cutting and treating station on the coast of this county and the announcement of two private concerns that they would place plants here if allowed, the Chamber of Commerce passed a resolution urging the Supervisors to prohibit cutting in front of the city.

The resolution mentions all that part of the coast between Goleta point and the Ventura county line. One of the private companies plans to cut outside the limit, but it is understood that one of the private plants and the government will ask permission to cut inside these points.

DEATHS OF VETERANS AT SOLDIERS' HOME.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOLDIERS' HOME, Dec. 2.—Capt. F. T. Hagne, adjutant, and N. C. Clark, druggist at the Home, have just returned from a week's "absence with leave," which they enjoyed together, in an auto trip to San Francisco. Condition of roads throughout the trip and fine weather combined, they say, to make their vacation agreeable.

DEATHS OF VETERANS.

Alfred Boothman, formerly of Co. F, Seventh Missouri Cavalry, a native of England, admitted from Los Angeles in 1913, died November 29, aged 78.

Eleazer Robbins, formerly of Co. G, Unattached Maine Infantry, a native of Maine, admitted from Los Angeles in 1904, died November 29, aged 71.

Henry S. Grant, formerly of Co. F, Seventh Missouri Cavalry, a native of Vermont, admitted from San Diego, Cal., in 1909, died November 30, aged 81.

William Lack, formerly of Co. B, Fourth Illinois Cavalry, a native of Ohio, admitted from Nevada City, Cal., in 1915, died December 1, aged 76.

SANE SPEED LAW ENFORCEMENT ASKED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 2.—The Chamber of Commerce of this city has entered a vigorous protest against what is termed a "legal hold-up" in the rigid enforcement of the speed laws in this county. Officers are urged to be sane and sensible in their work of holding autoists in check and asked to make a division line between the reckless speeder and the safe driver whose car may be going a fraction over the speed limit, which has a low minimum in this county, and is as low as fifteen miles an hour in the city. The protest follows several arrests recently, which the chamber directors say were uncalled for. Motorists were held whose driving was considered very safe by the automobilists generally.

SANTA ANA LOTS CHANGE OWNERSHIP.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 2.—Today L. D. Mercereau bought additional frontage on Sycamore street, between Fourth and Fifth. Three years ago he bought 100 feet at the southwest corner. Last week he paid $24,000 to the estates of Dina and H. A. Czarske for 100x125 feet on the east side of the street, and today he paid about the same amount to W. B. Hervery of Los Angeles for the corner, 100x125, just north of the Czarske purchase. Mercereau will wreck and carry away three pioneer buildings, one a blacksmith shop, another what was once a winery, and the other what was once a saloon. Mercereau will put up a brick block. The property is in the central part of the city.

DEATH CALLS ON A WALNUT GROWER.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Dec. 2.—The funeral of W. G. Reichling, a well-known walnut grower of the West Whittier district, was held today under Masonic auspices from Masonic Hall. The ceremonies were in charge of Whittier Lodge, F.&A.M., and the Royal Arch and Commandery acted as escorts. The floral decorations of the hall were in charge of the Eastern Star. Reichling was a member of all of these orders. He had been a Whittier resident for the past eighteen years, and leaves a widow, two sons and two daughters.

OPPONENTS WIN OUT IN ELECTION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ORANGE, Dec. 2.—The opponents of the Santiago storm water district effectively headed off the activities of that district by electing three of their number, H. A. Graber, Edward Moore and H. C. Moberly, as Trustees. The district was organized to do protective work on the edge of the Santiago Creek. Those who wanted their lands excluded, won by a vote of 105 to 70.

DEBATERS VICTORIOUS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Dec. 2.—The first interscholastic debate of Whittier High for this year occurred at Alhambra last evening, Alhambra High being the opponents. The Whittier debaters defeated the Alhambra talkers, upholding the affirmative of the question, "Resolved, that England's present policy toward the United States commerce is unjustifiable." Whittier was represented by Eugene Warner and Lulu Purser, and Alhambra by James Abby and Katherine Wessler.

MEXICANS FIGHT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VAN NUYS, Dec. 2.—About 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Lenon Corare and Pallilo Pluiz adjourned to the new City Hall, now building, and engaged in an altercation. During the melee Pluiz pulled a gun and tried three times to fire the same at his antagonist. The only thing that saved Corare's life was the fact that the gun was loaded with 32 caliber automatic cartridges, and built for 32 caliber rim fire shells.

Officer Girard promptly appeared on the scene, disarmed Pluiz, separated the combatants and arrested the aggressor on the charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

Pomona.

ORANGE PICKING MONTH AHEAD OF FORMER YEARS

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 2.—Forty-five days in advance of former years, three out of seven of the co-operative growing and marketing associations had the citrus growers of the valley scatter their boxes in the orchards Friday afternoon and begin picking navel oranges today. The move establishes a precedent here. The harvest is fully a month ahead of any former record in recent years, and a month and a half ahead of last year, because the San Antonio Fruit Exchange did not advise picking in 1915 until January 15th, although a little fruit was gathered about five days earlier.

Today the two orange houses and the lemon house of the Pomona Fruit Growers' Association, the orange house of the Mutual Growers' Association, the orange house of the Pomona Packing Company of this city, the orange and lemon house of the LaVerne Orange Growers' Association, and the orange house of the Claremont Citrus Association were at work.

ACTIVITY CONTAGIOUS.

Both of the independent fruit houses in this city have already begun shipping navels, and H. E. Walcott, manager of the Pomona Fruit Growers' Association, figures that he will have a car on the way east by the middle of next week, and that his association will ship at least ten cars of oranges before Christmas. The lemon house is unusually active and the citrus harvest from one side of the valley to the other appears to be gathering considerable momentum.

Fruit which is being gathered now is absolutely ripe. Along the foothills the navels are much riper than on the flats, but nearly every tree has a certain per cent. of mature fruit upon it, and the growers figure that by removing such fruit as is marketable at this time they will give the green fruit an opportunity to develop and ripen more rapidly.

MILKING THEIR TREES.

Packers are quite generally agreed that more tonnage will develop upon a tree if it is "milked" of its ripe fruit as early as possible, and that is the main point for which the growers are striving—more fruit—heavier tonnage. The struggle of the growers in recent years has been to make two orange grow where only one used to grow, or to get the big ones off the tree and give the little ones an opportunity to become big ones.

It is claimed that the activity of the independent shippers this winter has hastened the gathering of oranges to a considerable degree. The independents in this city have been picking fruit for two weeks, and today they were offering $1.75 per hundred weight for unculled fruit delivered at the packing-house. The prospect of spot cash in hand for Christmas money appealed strongly to the growers, and the co-operative growers caught the fever from the independents, so they prevailed upon the association packing-house managers to begin gathering and packing in order to drop a few cars into the eastern market for the Christmas trade. As a matter of fact the exchange managers do not advise early picking because, while a few early carloads sell at fancy prices in the East, too many carloads are said to meet a slumped price about holiday time. However, the harvest is on, and there will be only a slight lull in activities from now on.

TAKING NO CHANCES.

The cold up in the Porterville district recently is supposed to have hastened the harvest in the Southern California citrus belt. Many of the growers assert that they had rather have a bird in the hand than two in the tree on a cold night. No one disputes the fact that fruit which is packed and shipped ahead of a cold wave gives the grower a mighty secure and comfortable feeling. The fact that there was no rain in November made it appear that cold weather would likely come, but the fog and rain of the past few days changes the outlook. If a few good showers should come and soak up the ground the likelihood of extreme cold would be slight.

TO AVOID CAR SHORTAGE.

One reason why the growers are hastening the harvest this year is the likelihood of refrigerator car shortage. The managers are grabbing the cars while they can get them and loading them to the limit. In recent years, under the icing system, some of the shippers have only been putting six rows of orange and lemon boxes in each car, making a load of 256 boxes, but this year the big exchange has agreed to load every car seven rows wide with a total of 462 boxes. Practically all of the shippers have agreed to this arrangement and the result is that each car will carry an additional sixty-six boxes of fruit. The cold-air alleys between the rows of boxes will be eliminated, at least until further orders. This measure has been adopted as a means of co-operating with the railroads and perhaps staving off a car famine.

The fruit harvest here is estimated at about 8 per cent. above normal production this year. Oranges were never better, both as to quality and size. The cold nights of November caused them to color beautifully, and if the entire crop is moved to market at reasonably good prices the returns to this valley alone will probably be little less than $6,000,000.

Fatal.

SKIDDING AUTOS KILL ONE AND HURT THREE.

ONE man was killed, one other and two were painfully hurt, and dtwo were painfully hurt, all within an hour early last night as the result of three automobile accidents, all due to the wet pavements and skidding automobiles.

The dead man, believed by the police to have been William Harrison Taylor, address unknown, was struck by an automobile owned and driven by J. R. Taylor of No. 1227 Tamarind street, Hollywood. The accident occurred in front of the residence of Dr. E. M. Wardon of No. 2138 Sunset boulevard. The injured man was carried into the surgeon's home, but died before he could be treated.

Investigation made by police detectives showed that Mr. Taylor stepped from the curb in front of J. R. Tayler's automobile, and although the latter put on all his brakes, the wheels failed to hold on account of the wet pavement. The pedestrian was run down and his skull fractured. The body was taken to the Heath, Gamash and Edwards morgue.

Efforts made by the police to established the dead man's identity failed. From papers in his clothing they learned that his mother, Mrs. E. A. Wheelton, lives at No. 525 North Washington avenue, New Yory City. She will be notified. No address for the dead manwas found by the police, and no indications as to his business. The investigation will be continued today.

Shortly following the first accident an automobile driven by William H. Prince of No. 6127 Edmund street, and occupied by Charles W. Leonard of No. 971½ West Sixth street, skidded at Sunset boulevard and New High street and overturned. Mr. Leonard was thrown through the glass windshield and painfully cut and bruised about the head and face. His nose was fractured. Mr. Prince was only painfully bruised. The automobile was wrecked.

The last accident to be reported to the police station occurred at Sunset boulevard and Beaudry avenue, where an automobile driven by S. P. Griswold of Tropico, skidded and hurled Lewis Horowitz 17 years of age, a messenger boy, from his motorcycle. The boy was taken to the Receiving Hospital and treated for a fracture of the skull. According to Police Surgeon Hiller he may not live. The accident, according to the police, was unavoidable.

TRANSMISSION LINE TO IMPERIAL COUNTY

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 2.—The South-Sierras Power Company has contracted to build a high-tension transmission line from either Niland or El Centro, Imperial county, to Hanlon Heading, according to a statement made by A. B. West, vice-president of the company, here tonight. This is part of the power system being built to irrigate half-million acres in Imperial Valley by water taken from the Colorado River.

Mr. West said he expected service will be in operation April 1. The cost is estimated at $200,000.

San Diego.

RAINMAKER SUES.

Demands Ten Thousand Dollars For Filling Reservoir Which He Contracted to Do—Now Officials Say It Was Filled by Natural Causes.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 2.—Charles M. Hatfield, rainmaker, brought suit in the Superior Court in San Diego, today, to recover from the city $10,000 what he claims he earned by filling the Morena reservoir to overflowing, under a contract with the City Council.

Hatfield asserts that he agreed to fill the Morena reservoir between December 9, 1915 and December 20, 1916. He claims the proposition was formally accepted December 13 by the Council and that he installed a rain-precipitating plant the 1st of January and continued his operations until January 13, when the reservoir was filled.

The number thirteen plays an important part in the transaction. The contract was made December 13. It took thirteen days for Hatfield to fill the reservoir as he claims and the dam became full on January 13.

The officials refuse to pay the $10,000 for the reason, they assert, the reservoir was filled by natural causes and that the rainmaker had nothing to do with the matter.

In case Hatfield should be borne out by the courts in his contention, the question of his liability for the damage done by the floods last January may come up, say some of the officials.

COUNTERFEIT SILVER DOLLARS NUMEROUS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 2.—Counterfeit silver dollars have been freely circulated in Calexico and Mexicali recently, and the discovery is causing no end of worry to local officials.

In the last two days a large number of the bogus coins have made their appearance along the border.

Calexico bankers declare the counterfeits to be the best imitations of the genuine coin that they have seen.

A noticeable percentage of silver is contained in the counterfeits, which fact has enabled their extensive circulation, especially among the Mexicans. The counterfeits bear the date 1879 and the mark of the San Francisco mint.

TOLL OF AUTO KEEPS ON WITHOUT END.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 2.—While riding his motorcycle last night between Villa Park and Orange, Fred Heitschusen collided with the rear end of a wagon driven by a Japanese rancher. The motorcyclist was taken to the Anaheim Sanatorium. He has a broken jaw and possibly a fracture at the base of the skull. He may die.

At about the same hour last night, Martin Danner, aged 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Danner of Orange, was badly injured when he was run over by a machine driven by W. D. Foster of Orange. The boy was at the edge of the road fixing a motor wheel when he was hit. No bones were broken, but he may have internal injuries.

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Ontario.

WOMAN LOST ON DESERT IS DYING

Party Leaves El Centro, Overtaken by Storm.

Exhausted Through Exposure and Lack of Food.

Searching Crew at Last Comes Upon Sufferers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ONTARIO, Dec. 2.—Lost for four days in the desert stretches of the Imperial Valley without food or water, after they could not find their way in a terrific sandstorm Wednesday, while en route to this city to spend Thanksgiving, Mrs. Frank J. Manning of Brawley is believed dying; Mrs. W. H. Parmon, No. 317 North Palm avenue, Ontario, is in a serious condition as a result of the exposure and Melvin Schults, Mrs. Manning's son, is in a state of collapse following their rescue late this afternoon, according to word received by relatives here.

The party left El Centro by automobile early Wednesday morning, planning to join Mrs. Schults, who is a guest at the home of her father, W. H. Parmon, here, for Thanksgiving, and Mrs. Manning intending to go on to Pasadena to visit a daughter, Miss May Manning.

When the party failed to arrive Thursday relatives here became uneasy and telephoned relatives at El Centro. Searching parties have been out ever since and only found the motor party this afternoon.

SHOVE UP PRICE OF SANTA ANA MILK.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 2.—Santa Ana dairymen today shoved up the price of milk to 6 cents a pint and 11 cents a quarter, each quantity being raised one cent.

CAPITALIST TAKEN.

William Stratton Porter, 65 years old, a capitalist residing at No. 823 North Brand boulevard, Glendale, died last evening at 8 o'clock, after a short illness. He was prominent in the coffee trade, having represented large interests in Brazil for many years. He came to California fourteen years ago and lived at Hanford, where he had heavy investments in vineyards. He leaves a widow, Mrs. Eloise Baldwin Porter, three daughters, the Misses Rebecca, Elizabeth and Martha, and one son, W. S. Porter of Santa Barbara. The funeral services will be conducted at his late residence, tomorrow afternoon, and the body will be shipped to Hanford for burial.

FUNERAL OF MRS. DAY.

Funeral service for Mrs. Cordelia Harriet Day were held at her late residence, No. 12 St. James Park yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Rev. George Davidson, pastor of St. John's Episcopal Church officiated. The interment took place at Inglewood Cemetery.

Korea's Sacred Mountain.

[Indianapolis News:] Korea's sacred mountain, Kongo-San, or Diamond Mountain, as it is more commonly called, includes, it is asserted, 12,000 granite peaks, rugged and grotesque in form and almost impossible of being scaled.

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FACT AND COMMENT.

The Second-street tunnel project, many times agitated by property owners and taxpayers on both sides of Bunker Hill and as many times delayed, is once more about to be presented for official adoption by the City Council of Los Angeles. Representative citizens, including prominent business men, members of civic and commercial organizations, property holders and individuals whose interest is merely that of seeing Los Angeles provided with traffic and travel arteries in keeping with a city of its size and importance, will be at the City Hall on Tuesday morning to urge upon the Council the necessity for immediate and definite action on the tunnel enterprise.

On hand, also, will be the kickers, chronic and otherwise, who have fought and are seeking to block the Hill outlet, foolishly persisting in combatting an improvement that cannot but benefit them in a measure all out of proportion to the amount they will be asked to pay toward the project and which in the case of many is the only thing that can possibly prevent a disastrous depreciation in the value of their properties. With them in spirit, if not in person, will be their friends, the real estate speculators, who fear that even the belated creation of an outlet by which West and Northwest Los Angeles and its vast outlying territory can get directly into the principal downtown business streets will interfere with carefully-laid plans for building up new business centers elsewhere.

It will be for the City Council to decide whether the ordinance of intention for the tunnel project shall at last, after a decade or more of unexcusable delay, be passed and allowed to go to legal protest. The legal requirements in such improvement proceedings have all been fully complied with by the proponents of the plan and, with an overwhelming sentiment for the tunnel clearly revealed by those who will be actually called upon to pay for it, there would seem to be nothing else for the City Council to do but adopt the ordinance. All the indications are that this will be done, several of the members having frankly expressed themselves as in favor of choosing once and for all of the undesirable situation forced upon downtown Los Angeles and a fourth of the residence area of the city by the traffic-blocking barrier of Bunker Hill, and Mayor Woodman having repeatedly called attention to the necessity for action in the same connection.

Fair to All.

The second-street tunnel proposals have shown a degree of fairness in their proceedings that of itself commends their proposition to the favorable consideration of the City Council. Profiting by the experience of the advocates of various tunnel and open-cut projects in past years, the Second-street people themselves asked that their assessment district should not overlap in any that might reasonably be outlined for similar bores at First, Fourth and Fifth streets. They have recognized the fact that outlets through the hill at other points are necessary and in carrying out their own plan are avoiding proceedings calculated to interfere with any other project.

Time after time in years gone by the conflict of interests between those wanting a bore at Second street and those seeking an outlet at First has resulted in both projects being held up. One of the favorite methods employed by those interested in keeping Bunker Hill a barrier to business to and egress from the established business district has been the stirring up of controversy between the First and Second-street tunnel crowds. Whenever either the First-street or Second-street-tunnel advocates have appeared to have the ascendency and to have a chance of getting their plans adopted by the Council, "sympathetic" persons with outside interests have always been ready to lend a helping hand to the other side or to lead in the fight against "iniquitous special assessments." There have been instances in which attorneys retained by such outsiders have actually thrust themselves into the proceedings.

There is evidence that under-cover opposition is now being brought to bear in an effort to halt the Second-street-tunnel project still longer. An attempt will undoubtedly be made to mix up the whole proceedings by further "discussion." Selfish interests will seek to have the thing dragged through an endless series of hearings to a final resting-place in one of the numerous municipal pigeonholes. This effort, of course, is hardly likely to be made in the open, but it will undeniably be made.

No Argument Needed.

There is no possible argument against the Second-street tunnel as now proposed. It is not a question as to whether it would be as serviceable as some other tunnel or open cut that might be built. Its proponents want it and are willing to pay for it. It will in itself be a tremendous factor in the upbuilding of the enormous residential area west of Bunker Hill and will give new stability to property values on Hill street, Broadway, Spring and Main streets. It will relieve the almost hopeless traffic congestion at Seventh and Broadway by letting much of the travel that is now forced into the former thoroughfare into the business district at a point far to the north of the present maelstrom.

It is unthinkable that the City Council as an intelligent body of thinking beings should put any obstacle in the way of a project that will shorten the traveling distance to the downtown shopping district for practically every resident of Los Angeles west of Figueroa and north of Sixth street. The Second-street tunnel will be worth untold millions to the city of Los Angeles. Were the barrier between the business district and the west and northwest residence districts a river instead of a hill, the city would long ago have bridged it on every cross-street. There is just as much reason why the city as a whole should build tunnels through the hill that cuts its streets in two. The city, however, is not being asked to pay for the Second-street tunnel. This $800,000 project is to be paid for by those who will most directly benefit by it and if they want it bad enough to pay for it, they are certainly entitled to have it.

Some of the Improvements Now Going Ahead in Different Parts of Los Angeles.



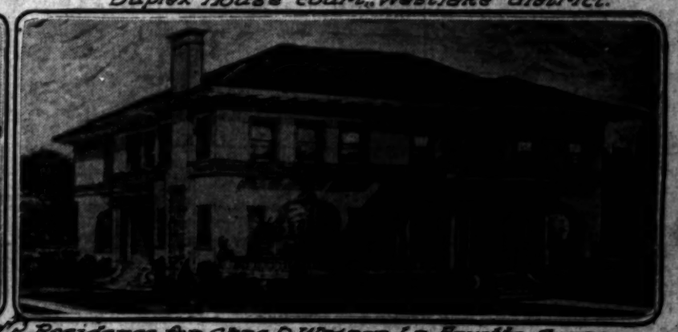
Flat court, Normandie near Ninth.



Duplex house court, Westlake district.



Residence for C.B. McCoy, La Fayette Square.



Residence for Chas. D. Wagner, La Fayette Square.



Stores and apartments, Hollywood.

Figuring in present building activities.

The large house court (upper right) is being built by the J. A. Schwarz Construction Company for E. C. Jessurun at Alvarado and Maryland streets. The flats are for Frank W. Murphy and were planned by Edward Cray Taylor. Dodd & Richards are the architects for the Hollywood structure, which is being erected by H. C. Hollins on Santa Monica boulevard and Gower street. The two residences were planned and are being built by Charles D. Wagner.

SITE ROUNDED OUT.

Olive-street Lot Leased by Projectors of New Dry Goods Store.

The final step in the negotiations for the erection of the new home of the Coulter Dry Goods store at the southwest corner of Seventh and Olive streets, was taken during the past week, when the West Seventh Street Development Company closed a ninety-nine-year ground lease on a lot of forty-five feet front by 165 feet in depth on the west side of Olive, 111 feet south of Seventh. The property is at Nos. 711 and 713 South Olive and is owned by William Stewart Young and Adele Nichols Young. It is understood that a total rental consideration of $1,500,000 will be paid for its use during the century term.

The deal was handled by Shirley C. Ward and W. P. Jeffries, president and secretary, respectively, of the West Seventh Street Development Company, and leaders in the new West Seventh-street business movement. The ground secured will constitute a part of the large site to be covered by the new dry goods establishment.

BIG HOTEL LEASED.

H. Jerome Toy & Co., hotel brokers of this city, report having closed a deal whereby the St. James Hotel in San Diego will come under the management of E. A. Cole, former lessee and proprietor of the Alhambra Hotel, Los Angeles. The lease calls for a seven-year term at a given total rental of $130,200, the furniture and furnishings being also transferred. The St. James Hotel is a twelve-story concrete structure of 150 rooms.

Investment.

MANY BUILDING FOR AN INCOME.

FLATS SPRINGING UP ALL OVER THE CITY.

Big Duplex House Court Begun in Westlake District — Novel Project for Normandie Avenue. Hollywood Apartments to Have Illuminated Front.

Perspective drawings of three attractive new rental properties now rising in different parts of the city are reproduced on this page.

The largest of the three, a house court at the southeast corner of Alvarado and Maryland streets, will represent a given total investment, with its site, of $80,000, and will stand in the heart of the Westlake district, being within a block of Westlake Park. The project calls for the erection of eight plaster-finished buildings of the "duplex" type, each containing two five-room flats. The living and dining-rooms will be on the ground floor and the bedrooms and baths on the second story in each building. The J. A. Schwarz Construction Company designed and is building the group. The site, which has a frontage of 150 feet on Alvarado by 155 feet on Maryland, was recently purchased by E. C. Jessurun, the owner and projector, through the agency of H. R. Kells, with the Wright-Callender-Andrews Company.

A novel improvement is that being erected by Frank W. Murphy on the west side of Normandie avenue between Eighth and Ninth streets, consisting of a group of three flats of the English cottage type of architecture. The court was planned by Edward Cray Taylor, while the firm of Goodman, Phillips & Joseph acted as agents in the purchase of the site and the financing of the project. The buildings are to be of brick and plaster exterior. Each apartment will have its own outside entrance opening into a formal garden.

The store and apartment building pictured in the layout will cost approximately $30,000 and is one of a number of improvements contemplated by the owner, H. C. Hollins, in the same block at Santa Monica boulevard and Gower street. The plans of Dodd & Richards, the architects, call for six stores on the first story and nineteen apartments on the second. The owner plans to illuminate the street in front of the building with ornamental lights.

Among other income improvements for which contracts have just been let in Los Angeles may be mentioned the following: House court of eight buildings for Arthur W. Smith at No. 1800 North Wilcox avenue; twenty-room flat for A. L. Prouse, No. 901 West Forty-first drive; eighteen-room flat for George P. Overdon, Bronson avenue north of Hollywood boulevard; sixteen-room flat for Frank C. Bowman, No. 1206 West Santa Barbara avenue; sixteen-room flat for C. F. Working, No. 855 West Forty-first street; fourteen-room flat for D. H. Mauerhan, Edgemont avenue near Hollywood boulevard; twelve-room flat for Mrs. Thekla Meierhoff, Kays street near Fountain avenue; ten-room flat for Mrs. A. J. Lechler, Western avenue and Harold way.

GROUND IS LEASED.

An important realty transaction of the past week was the closing of a ninety-nine-year ground lease covering 100 feet of frontage by 165 feet in depth on the west side of Olive street, 115 feet north of Ninth street. Annie M. Forthman was the lessor and Edwin J. Bowes, Jr., the lessee. The total amount of rental involved is given by Mr. Bowes at $1,125,000. The lease, it is understood, provides that a structure to cost not less than $25,000 shall be erected on the site within five years.

FORM PARTNERSHIP.

E. C. Dieter and S. F. Johnson have formed a partnership under the firm name of Dieter & Johnson, and are located in an office at No. 703 South Alvarado street. The firm will conduct a rental, loan, insurance and general real estate business.

Activity.

HOTEL PROJECTED.

Culver City to Have Sixty-room Hostelry of Fireproof Construction—Builder Plans Twenty-five Bungalows at Same Place.

Culver City is to have a new fireproof hotel added to the long list of important buildings started within its confines during the present year. The hostelry, a sixty-room structure of modern appointment, is to stand on a lot of irregular shape fronting on Washington boulevard, Putnam boulevard and Main street, and will cost $30,000. W. C. Pennell of this city is the architect and W. S. and H. S. Heineman have the contract. The building will be started at once and is to be completed and ready for occupancy next February. Mrs. Ella DeWitte, lessee for the past five years of the Comstock Apartments, this city, has secured a five-year lease on the property.

Another notable enterprise now shaping in the "Short Line" town is that of Harry Standley, a builder and contractor, who contemplates the immediate erection of twenty-five bungalows. Ground will be broken this week for three of these dwellings which will be eighty and modern. Work is now progressing on new buildings for the New York Motion Picture Corporation, which is declared to have spent approximately $500,000 to date on its great Culver City plant.

The handsome new $55,000 grammar school now under way at Culver City is already a landmark for [illegible]



This Beautiful $15,000 Home Sacrificed for Immediate Sale

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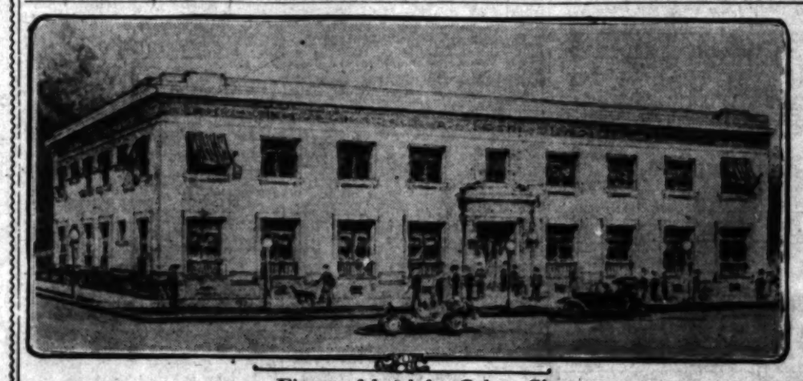
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The elegant reception hall, living-room and library are finished in genuine tabasco mahogany, dining-room in genuine quarter sawed oak. Pass pantry connects the dining-room to the perfect kitchen which has tile drain board, hood for stove and every known built-in effect. Daintily decorated breakfast-room. A massive stairway leads from the hall to the second floor where are located four beautiful bedrooms and sleeping porch. Three perfectly appointed baths, two of which are tile. Also maid's quarters connected with the kitchen by rear stairway. Dry cement basement with furnace and automatic water heater. Real artistic taste was displayed in selecting the fixtures, decorations, etc. Genuine quarter sawed oak floors in every room. Double garage, beautiful lawn both front and rear. This is no so-called bargain, but the real thing. A $6000 mortgage can remain.

Undoubtedly the Best Buy in the City at $10,500

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Fireproof hotel for Culver City.

Sixty-room structure to be started at once in lively "Short Line" town. W. C. Pennell is the architect.

POINTS AND POINTERS—

For Sale Or Exchange.

Magnificent Residence in LA FAYETTE SQUARE. 1734 Buckingham Road.

Lot 68x142.

Cement plastered, white concrete painted exterior, with red tile tile roof. It is one of the most perfectly planned homes in this section, and has, in addition to large entrance hall, living room, dining room, library, sun parlor, kitchen, breakfast room, five bedrooms and two baths. The wood finish, decorations and lighting fixtures are the best money can buy. Hardwood floors throughout. Garage, attached; has room for two cars, maid's room and bath; large storage with ample room and light for trunks, and double and fixtures installed. Owner has purchased this property. Price $30,000; $15,000 cash, 7 per cent. Will take city or suburban lots in exchange.

FOR SALE.

Charming colonial bungalow, 7 rooms, sleeping porch; 50-foot east front lot, located on 75th st. Harvard ave. Hollywood. Owner on premises. Price $6,250. Easy terms. See Mr. Reed.

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IN LA FAYETTE SQUARE.

Local Builder Completing Two Fine Homes in West Side Tract.

Two handsome new homes, built by Charles D. Wagner, contractor and designer, are now nearing completion in La Fayette Square. One, a residence for himself at No. 1685 Victoria drive, is situated on a lot 110x150 feet in size. The house has a plaster exterior and tile roof and contains fourteen rooms with five baths. The interior decorating is in oil on canvas, the wood finish being in mahogany and old ivory.

The other place is at No. 1703 Virginia road and is being built for C. B. McCoy, a local oil man. The residence contains fifteen rooms and four baths. A feature of the home is a large conservatory on the first floor. The grounds, which are 178x150 feet in size, are being attractively planted.

BUSINESS LEASES.

R.T. Merchant, of the business leasing department of the Wright-Callender-Andrews Company, reports the following recent leases in the downtown business section: For E. E. Crandall to Frank Love, three-story and basement loft building at Nos. 528-530 South Los Angeles street, five years, at $438 a month; for H. J. Kramer to Leslie R. Saunders, premises at No. 932 South Grand avenue, formerly occupied by Kramer Dancing Academy, three years, at $300 a month, room to be used by lessee as dancing school; for R. H. Raphael Company to Samuel Pawder, store at No. 648 South Main street, five years, at $250 a month, as site for meat market.

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Nothing in the entire Wilshire district compares with this magnificent residence. An elegant new mansion superbly situated on a hight sightly corner lot in the choicest part of this exclusive residential section.



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OPEN FOR INSPECTION TODAY BETWEEN 2 AND 5 P.M.

A mere description could hardly convey the beauty and desirability of this magnificent new residence. A personal inspection is convincing. Call at

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Realty Liners.

FOR SALE—Houses.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE — FINELY FURNISHED cottage, Bartlett Beach. Tib. st. to ocean. Cottage has five blocks from pier, built as a home. Not an ordinary beach cottage. Owner, 1000 Kewen Bldg. Main 8177. Private exchange connecting all departments. Particular attention paid to out-of-town calls. Sunset Main 8177.

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Must sell my nine-room house, has been occupied less than one year, will sell furnished or unfurnished, has hardwood finish, and is in select location, on high ground, just off Washington street, No. 1,365 West Vine Street. If you want to arrange my address to an East end an offering real bargain price, $9500; easy terms. G. F. GLOSS, owner, phone A4562.

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Let us show you this beautiful home at ready to move into. Close in, fine location, bungalow and furniture in first-class condition. Call at once. A4758, MAIN 3978, Residence, West 2002.

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FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, VERY DESIRABLE corner lot, 100x150, Wednesday, Dec. 13th, 1340 WEST 9TH STREET, Thursday, December 14th, 2 p.m. Positive sale, satisfactory terms. CECILE A. HULL, Auctioneer, Main 8074, 62706.

FOR SALE—GREAT SACRIFICE, $2250 EQUITY for $1650; mortgage $1150, 2 houses income, 4 rooms and bath each, 2 blocks to school and car lines, all improvements. Must sell this week. Owner, 1501 E. 4TH, box 550, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

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6-room modern bungalow, $100 down and $20 per month.
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FOR SALE—CONDITIONS FORCE ME TO SACRIFICE my new 7-room modern bungalow and garage on 60-foot lot, cost $5500. Will take $4500 cash or $1500 for $500, 1280 WEST 21ST STREET.

FOR SALE—SNAP, BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM SWISS chalet, modern and up-to-date; high and sightly location, 1 block from Hollywood car line. Must sell; will handle to suit. Call OWNER, Wilshire 2538, or at 1501 Locretia ave.

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FOR SALE—MY BEAUTIFUL WHITE PLASTER Italian residence of 11 rooms, all finished in mahogany of latest design, and selected hardwood floors throughout, all other conveniences complete, must be sold in 9 months, cost me $30,000, will sell for $20,000 cash, or part cash, balance easy monthly payments or will exchange for income property. Phone WILSHIRE 5170, or HOME 5007705. Open for inspection all times.

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FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 5-ROOM HOUSE ON large corner lot, in best residence section, street all in and paid for. Large garage. Worth $4000, will sacrifice for $3500, $500 cash, balance terms. Address D, box 570, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—7-ROOM HOUSE, HIGH GROUND, walking distance to City Hall, near three car lines, 2 bedrooms downstairs, 2 upstairs, all wood finish, very warm in the winter, cool in the summer, must be sold before Christmas. Terms. Price $3500. Owner 1240 E. 2d ST. Phone BALDWIN, Hollywood 1981 or Bdwy. 7145.

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, VERY DESIRABLE corner lot, 100x150, Wednesday, Dec. 13th, 1340 WEST 9TH STREET, Thursday, December 14th, 2 p.m. Positive sale, satisfactory terms. CECILE A. HULL, Auctioneers, Main 8074, 62706.

FOR SALE—GREAT SACRIFICE, $2250 EQUITY for $1650; mortgage $1150, 2 houses income, 4 rooms and bath each, 2 blocks to school and car lines, all improvements. Must sell this week. Owner, 1501 E. 4TH, box 550, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

FOR SALE—
6-room modern bungalow, $100 down and $20 per month.
FINLEY REALTY CO.,
306 Van Nuys Bldg. A2159.

FOR SALE—CONDITIONS FORCE ME TO SACRIFICE my new 7-room modern bungalow and garage on 60-foot lot, cost $5500. Will take $4500 cash or $1500 for $500, 1280 WEST 21ST STREET.

FOR SALE—SNAP, BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM SWISS chalet, modern and up-to-date; high and sightly location, 1 block from Hollywood car line. Must sell; will handle to suit. Call OWNER, Wilshire 2538, or at 1501 Locretia ave.

FOR SALE—SACRIFICES, BROOKLYN HEIGHTS, new 5-room bungalow, in the Lincoln Heights district, on the W. 36th street car line, close to Vermont ave. Price $2500, $500 down, $25 per month. Address D, box 944, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

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FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 7-ROOM COLONIAL bungalow, finished in old ivory and white enamel, beautifully decorated throughout, fumed oak floors, 50-foot lot, 2 blocks from Wilshire. Price $5250, terms. H. C. O'HARE, 1501 E. 4TH ST., between Central and Mateo.

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$6200 will buy owner's Dupp-Knight modern six-room Kingsley drive home, hardwood floors, fireplace, garage, must sell. MAIN 8039. 604-26.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL MODERN SEVEN-ROOM house with furnace, sun parlor, all conveniences, adjacent Lafayette square. Owner has taken in deal. Price $7450. Phone 12450.

FOR SALE—WESTLAKE DISTRICT, 50-FOOT corner with elegant 7-room bungalow, must go in every detail; ideal surroundings. Will consider vacant lot. Price $5500. Terms to suit. 307807.

FOR SALE—FINE 7-ROOM COLONIAL BUNGALOW with built-in features, fireplace, hardwood floors throughout, garage, lot 50x150, close to car line, cement walks and curbs, street work done and paid for, lawn, flowers and shrubbery. Price $4250. Terms to suit. 1501 E. 4TH ST., between Central and Mateo.

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NEW AND ELEGANT 7-STORY RESIDENCE, in select neighborhood, and two-story residence, 5 rooms and bath, and chicken house and yard. Will sell for small cash in all, or will take lemon lot, unincumbered, in part. Address owner, 1501 E. 4TH ST., between Central and Mateo.

FOR SALE—BUNGALOW BUYERS ATTENTION! Approx. $1200 less than actual cost. South Broadway, corner 37th, 5 rooms, tiled bathroom, tiled sunroom, fruit trees, garage, near car; 6 rooms, artistically arranged, stair heater, fine hardwood floors throughout. Will take for $4,250 equity; $2150 assumed. Actual cost of property $6400. No trades or exchanges. Call 2262 E. 37TH. MR. WOOD.

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Four modern bungalow in Santa Monica for sale, corner lot, in best residence section, close to beach; beautiful quiet place and absolutely modern. It is now rented and will pay a good rate on $6250. We can sell it today for less, balance to suit.
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FOR SALE—ONE 2-ROOM HOUSE AND ONE 4-room furnished and newly painted and in good condition, 1127-1129 N. COMMONWEALTH. Must be sold, and near the movie studios. Will sell for $25; $2500; $150 cash, balance $20 per month.
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Fine 12-room home near 4th avenue and Adams, large lot, garage for two cars; $9,000. Mortgage $10,000. Owner will make assignment equity in Vancouver, B. C.
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FOR SALE—5-ROOM BUNGALOW AT HUNTINGton Park, $1250, cash $250, balance $20 per month. Lot 50x150, with 5-room modern

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INDUSTRIAL SITES.

See me for factory sites, large or small. I have a map to one save, trackage.
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FOR SALE—78,000 SQUARE FEET SUBBASE switch property, 5 P. tracks; flight; terms; assistance to manufacturer. Also 2 room house, with partial facilities, very cheap. IRVING REALTY CO., 420 Van Nuys Bldg. Main 11807, 11808.

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Make money, ride your hobby with a city home in the country; 54 minutes from Hill street Pacific Electric boulevard; equipped with city water, electric light, city schools, modern facilities; dry climate, perfect soil, either individual or co-operative ownership; vegetables, poultry, chickens. Perfect in fruits, vegetables, poultry, alfalfa, etc. Call office equipment; ideal location for 5 acres. $250 per acre. Call or write 521 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG., 6th and Hill. 9 sharp any morning will take you to property, evening, by appointment. W. W. WHITTSETT. Phone—Bdwy. 7289.

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For cash, 4 acres, improved, close in, house, several fruits, part bearing; fruit trees, chickens, horse, harness, cart; all for $1000. Also 5 acres, close in, one and one-half miles from car line and near public school; good house, barn, chicken houses, fruit trees, etc.; $1500 cash $2000; balance time. Call on OWNER, Vermont 187.

FOR SALE—A FRUIT FARM OF 5 ACRES, 3 miles from Pomona; 3 acres in bearing fruit trees; 2 acres in alfalfa; 1000 feet of well and pipeline; water 1 inches; 6-room house, barn, chicken house, etc. Price for quick sale, $5000; $2000 cash, balance time. Call on OWNER, Vermont 187.

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TWO ten-acre ranches San Gabriel Valley, one is all in alfalfa, the other has 5 acres in alfalfa, the balance in young bearing trees. Five rooms, chard both have good houses, large barns, chickens, etc. Garage, chicken houses, silo, windmill, etc. Both these ranches are priced splendidly for quick sale. MR. BLUE, 313 G. T. Johnson Bldg.

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We have listed with us for quick sale 4 bungalows located in the center of Alhambra, only 200 feet from Main car, and within two blocks of library and high school. Each has 5 rooms, bath, tiled sinks, and shades. All rooms are papered and have hardwood floors throughout. OWNER MUST DISPOSE OF THIS PROPERTY AT ONCE AND WILL GIVE YOU A BIG BARGAIN. SEE OR PHONE OWNER NOW.
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DANDY CHICKEN RANCH.
Big lot, 50x150, right in the
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Ten sections of rich level farming land in Fresno county, $272.50 per acre. Easy terms. Address to M. W. MULLER, 315 Forsyth Bldg., Fresno, Cal.

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I have an exclusive option on a double corner on Main st., California. Imperial Valley, 50 feet on Main st., 150 feet on Imperial ave., foundation for building already in; this lot must be sold at once; I have cut the price in half to make a quick sale. Will double your money in a short time because California is the newest and fastest growing town in Imperial Valley. Other activities here now because trainloads of ties and steel rails are already on the ground for the building of the new Southern Pacific railroad. Will make it a retail the center of the largest farming area in the Imperial Valley, over 100,000 acres. 3 any new industries and buildings going up. Act at once if time to buy. For particulars, prices, etc., write T. A. JOHNSON, Calipatria, California.

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If you want to buy, lease, exchange or loan money on Imperial Valley property see us first. We are farming there ourselves and we know the country. Let us help you. Send for list of piece of property and give you the real facts in regard to soil, water, improvements, roads, etc.

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FOR SALE—320 ACRES FINE SANDY LOAM soil, 9 miles northwest of Modesto, 1½ miles directly south of Riverbank in Oakdale irrigation District, average yearly water cost less than $1 per acre. Land suitable for alfalfa, grapes, deciduous fruits or farm tracking. Will sell as a whole or in 20-acre tracts. Average price $125 per acre. Will make suitable terms or exchange for improvement. R. F. KIRKPATRICK, 227 S. Los Angeles st. Main 3750.

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Clear Springfield, Missouri, consisting of two residences and one business property. Cash value $15,000. Will sacrifice values for clear Los Angeles property, and ads bungalows preferred, or modern residence properties in good location in San Diego.

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100-room apartment-house adjoining the Hershey Arms Hotel, Bryson and Rampart Apartments, one-half block from Wilshire blvd. This proposition is one of the very high grade and the apartments furnished will rent for $520 to $1250 per month; 10-year lease at reasonable rental. Also have 40 rooms to rent, completely furnished, suitable for rooming, walking distance.

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Furnishings of 65-room modern three-story brick apartment; handsomely furnished, price reduced from $3,000 to $2000. Take bungalow in exchange. Rental $5 room. Close-in.

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This beautiful residence is located in the section of Hollywood close to the Hollywood Hotel; consisting of 7 rooms and sleeping porch; recently improved with the very choicest kind of floors and finish. The grounds alone will be worth the price asked. Large chicken run, garage, etc. Price $11,000 cash. Will take city bungalow or income property, which is for investment only. Exclusive agents. James A. Pattison & Co., 1st floor Douglas Building. SELL & CO., Washington bldg. Phone Exbey. 8191.

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Eight-room residence, all modern and well built; beautifully located, west of Pasadena; Highland Park; must clear for cash or part cash. Want clear lot or acres in Los Angeles.

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TO LOAN— $300 TO $50,000.
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W. J. HELLMAN BLDG. 11918.

TO LOAN — $7000, PRIVATE FUNDS, 6 per cent. Will accept 5½ per cent. interest. Must be first class security. Address owner, box 1, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

TO LOAN—$1000, $2000, $3000, $4000, $5000, $6000, $7000, $8000, $9000, $10,000, $15,000, $20,000, $25,000, $30,000, $40,000, $50,000, $60,000, $70,000, $80,000, $90,000, $100,000, $125,000, $150,000, $175,000, $200,000, $250,000, $300,000, $350,000, $400,000, $450,000, $500,000, $600,000, $700,000, $800,000, $900,000, $1,000,000, $1,250,000, $1,500,000, $1,750,000, $2,000,000, $2,500,000, $3,000,000, $3,500,000, $4,000,000, $4,500,000, $5,000,000, $6,000,000, $7,000,000, $8,000,000, $9,000,000, $10,000,000, $12,500,000, $15,000,000, $17,500,000, $20,000,000, $25,000,000, $30,000,000, $35,000,000, $40,000,000, $45,000,000, $50,000,000, $60,000,000, $70,000,000, $80,000,000, $90,000,000, $100,000,000, $125,000,000, $150,000,000, $175,000,000, $200,000,000, $250,000,000, $300,000,000, $350,000,000, $400,000,000, $450,000,000, $500,000,000, $600,000,000, $700,000,000, $800,000,000, $900,000,000, $1,000,000,000, $1,250,000,000, $1,500,000,000, $1,750,000,000, $2,000,000,000, $2,500,000,000, 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Realty Liners.

STOCKS AND BONDS—

J. J. DORAN COMPANY,
306-8 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.
Main 8124. A3624.
Members Los Angeles Stock Exchange.

We have orders to buy:

American Oilfield bonds, .75¼.
Arizona Oil, offer.
Buick Oil, .01 1-4.
Christmas Coal, .25.
Consolidated Rubber, .41.
Dome Mining, sale.
Ora Amador, offer.
Eagle Maicomber Motors, .34.
Owl Drug Pref., $108.00.
Shell Copper, .81.
Stewart, offer.
San Francisco Life, .27½.
Sprague Tools, sale.
Tonopah Belmont, $1.25.
L. A. Athletic Club membership, $80.00.
L. J. Broussard 6 per cent. notes, .97.
Ventura Hill.
Tri State Oil.
Yellow Pine.

We have orders to sell:

American Oilfield bonds, .76.
Broadway Central Bldg. bonds.
Bullion Mining.
Goodrich Flagstaff, bid.
Home Mining.
Imperial Arizona, $1.50.
Christmas Coal, .27½.
Goodsprings Mining, .20.
Ora Amador, offer.
Stewart Mining, .42.
Maicomber Motors, .42.
Nevada Oil, .44.
London Arizona Cons., $1.10.
L. A. Dock & Terminal bond, .83.
Ora Amador, .44.
Yellow Pine, sale.
Owl Drug Pref., $105.00.
Portland Home Tel. bond, .27.
Ventura Hill, .16.
Yellow Pine Ext., .80.

J. J. DORAN CO.
FOR SALE—SUBJECT:

BY JNO. O. KNIGHT & CO.,

Calif. Packing Corp. Com. $25.00
Calif. Packing Corp. Pfd. $100.50
Christmas Consol ..... $ 22
Copperfield Porphyry Copper 1.00
Coral Shipbuilding ..... .07
Dundee Arizona Copper 1.50
Fairview Oil & Gas ..... .27½
Lakeview Oil Co. ..... .80
Olig Crude Oil 1.40
Ora Amador ..... Min.
Pollards (Ostrom) ..... .15
Seven Pool, Pfd. $6.00
Verde Consolidated Copper 1.40

WANTED:

American Oilfields bonds.
Arizona Hercules Copper.
Arizona and Arizona.
Continental National Bank.
Continental Securities.
General Petroleum.
Globe Grain and Milling.
International Indemnity.
Owl Drug Pref.
Nacozari Consol. Copper.
Pacific Light and Power, 1st and 2nd Pfd.
Pacific Mutual Life, 5 per cent. bonds.
Riverside Portland Cement.
State Consolidated Oil.

JNO. O. KNIGHT & COMPANY,
Members Los Angeles Stock Exchange.
10054 438-34 H. W. Hellman Bldg., Betsy, 1597.

FOR SALE—CALIFORNIA REALTY; EAST BLACK Range, 10c; share Arizona, $1.50; Great Republic, $1.25; Lucky Boy, 15c; Master Mohawk, 41½c.
Wanted: Yuma, Tuc.; shinning United Northern and Gold Road Bonanza; buy it at The while you can secure at this price.
Oil: Shamrock, Products, 22c; Standard Metals, 2c; Vellardis, bargain; United Gold-fields, 2½c; Whale Crack Coalings, 15c; Yellow Pine Extension, 30c.
Western-Mesic Building Bonds, 20¢; Calumet & Canada, Consolidated Rubber, Consolidated Motor; Federal Finance, 37½c; General Petroleum; Gold Road; Golden State; Home Builders (M. O. Pfl. 5 per cent), Hydraulic Power, Independent Coal, Inland Empire, Lake Shore Gas and Coke, Pacific Motor, Pacific Mutual Life, Pacific Power, Pacific Public Service, Pacific Telephone, Pacific Western Oil, Republic Oil, Rovella Packard; Salmon Gold; Standard Oil; Stewart Mining; Tidal Basin; Tonopah Belmont; Tonopah Extension; Tonopah Mining; Tonopah Simon Con.; Tonopah Western; Union Oil; United Eastern; United Verde; Western Pipe & Steel; Yellow Pine.
Stocks 25 per cent margin and on installments. Loans on stocks and bonds.
TRUFFLES, 334 S. Hellman Bldg. F1225.

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INSURANCE—

FOR SALE—

CUT RATE FIRE INSURANCE.

If you have any expiring see me.
Main 1580. W. M. MORRIS,
A9410. 310 American Bank Bldg.

STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS.

FOR SALE — CHOICE 7 PER CENT. STREET improvement bonds; payments half, half at par and accrued interest. For full information address P. O. box 587, TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—STREET BONDS SECURED by valuable property. Address D, box 555 TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

WILL PAY PREMIUM FOR HIGHEST-CLASS Los Angeles street improvement bonds. Address F, box 19, TIMES OFFICE.

MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS, Etc.
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—

If you are in the market for a good first mortgage, kindly let me know the amount you have to invest and I will submit the description and you can look up the security for yourself. These loans were made on the most careful bank appraisement. Answers from agents not wanted. Address A, box 606, TIMES HILL ST. BRANCH.

WANTED—WE BUY MORTGAGES, TRUST DEEDS AND CONTRACTS OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
Money always ready. No delays.
FRIENDLY & TYDEMAN,
929 The Rose Bldg. Phone F6397.

FOR SALE—HAVE $850 FIRST TRUST DEED, note 10%, our equity, absolutely all-edge security, $6500. Secured by improved city property, easily worth $8500. 8 per cent, interest. No discount. Main 2028.

I OFFER FOR SALE FIRST TRUST DEED FOR $6500, secured by improved city property, easily worth $8500, 8 per cent. interest. No discount. E. T. JONES, 533 Citizens Bank Bldg. A2247.

I WILL SELL MY FIRST TRUST DEED OF $1000 due about one year. Five-room bungalow, northeast, street work in. Will give good discount. OWNER, 1284, Times Office.

FOR SALE—$1500 SHARES FINAL DEVELOPment stock. Inquire 1805 GIRARD ST., or phone 956746 Home.

FOR SALE—1500 SHARES FINAL DEVELOPment at 7½c. Address E, box 130, TIMES OFFICE.

I WILL BUY OR ANY PART OF 10,000 shares stock March Oil Co. Give number of certificate and lowest cash price. Address D, box 8888 TIMES SPRING ST. BRANCH.

FOR SALE—$1000 BLACK BUILDING BOND, will have interest discounted. 341 CONSOLIDATED REALTY BLDG.

FOR SALE—PERSONAL STOCK IN HORSE BAZAAR Co.; a few thousand shares. GEO. H. YEAKEL, Address D, box 507, TIMES SPRING STREET BRANCH.

LOOK OVER THESE LISTS, BUT BEFORE BUYing or selling, see MACDERMOTT & CO., 312 6, Spring, or send for sample copy of Southwest Mining News for full list.

WANTED—STOCK IN IMPERIAL BROKERAGE Company of Los Angeles. Address G, box 270, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—

FOR SALE — SEVERAL SANITARY ROLL-TOP desks at special reduced prices; large box, lot of good refrigerators; National cash registers, unsurpassed counter showcase and good Kingery peanut and popcorn outfits. See us for low prices in house furniture. 819 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—ROOFING PAPER, BEST GRADE, 2-ply, $1.25; 3-ply, $1.50; 5 gallons asphalt paint, $2. Contreras yourself. 2900 GRIFFITH AVENUE.

FOR SALE—MOTION PICTURE PROJECTION screen, 12x15 feet, good condition. STRAND THEATER, 54th and Vermont ave. Must be moved 31 since, rebuilding theater.

FOR SALE—OIL RENT—LARGEST ASSORTMENT invalid wheel chairs, physicians' hospital nurses' supplies. PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY CO., 327 Pine.

FOR SALE—

TAKE TIME BY THE FORELOCK."
Telephone your Sunday ads to The Times Friday or Saturday.
Call Main 8200.

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FOR SALE—WE BUY AND SELL EVERYTHING electrical; we are electrical bargains. ELECTRICAL WRECKING CO., 419 S. Los Angeles st. Main 6627.

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Distinguished Christians in all parts of the United States will actively participate in this celebration which is to be brought to their very doors from a national center.

The first world's Christian citizenship conference, held in Philadelphia in 1910 was the first affair of the kind in history. The second world's Christian citizenship conference held at Portland, Or., 1913, was the largest affair of the kind in the history of Christianity and the third world's conference will, doubtless, mark a new and greater epoch in the development of a militant Christian citizenship throughout the world.

In every great American city, in the towns and villages of the nation clergymen will, December 3, assemble the Christian citizenship of their communities to participate in special services with direct bearing upon the thought that Christianity must be made practical by aggressive, modernised methods tending to make the general theory of Christianity applicable to the temporal lives of all nations.

The central services about which the national ceremonies will be built will be held in Pittsburgh, beginning December 3 and some of the most eminent speakers in America will be heard, including: Frank J. Cannon, Denver; Mrs. Lulu Loveland Shepard, Salt Lake City; Vernon J. Danielson, Independence, Mo.; Miss Frances B. Patterson, Chicago; Mrs. Alice B. Colman, Boston, president Massachusetts International Council for Patriotic Service; St. John F. Carson, Brooklyn, pastor Central Presbyterian Church; St. John Royal Harris, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Frances R. Richards, Columbus, president Ohio State W.C.T.U., and Dr. Ira G. Landrith, Boston; who was the candidate for vice-president on the Prohibition ticket.

By Request.

TALE OF PIGS' TAILS.

Miss Edith Brubaker, The California Story-Telling Girl, Explains Why She Wrote her New Book for Children. 'Twas to Keep Promise.

Miss Edith Brubaker, known all over the United States as the "California Story-telling Girl," is back in Los Angeles, after a tour of the States, in which she told stories to little folks, members of old people's homes, etc., and everywhere boosted for the San Diego exposition, inviting all the people to come to California.

As one direct result of this trip, Miss Brubaker has written a new story book for children, which she calls "A Tale of Pigs' Tails." Miss Brubaker already has mailed at her own expense more than 1000 copies of this book to children in the East, mostly to "shut-ins." Yesterday she told the story of how she came to write the "Tale of Pigs' Tails."

"It was in one of our largest eastern cities, and in one of the most congested tenement districts, that I had the pleasure of telling stories to children who were starving for mental food as well as for physical sustenance. There were more than 300 of them, with ragged clothing of coarse materials.

"I told them Indian stories, nature stories, fairy stories and animal stories. At the close one little girl asked: 'Do you made out of stories? Say some more.' I laughed and told them I must be going, and they chorused, 'You'll come back.' 'No, I cannot come back,' I explained. Then one small boy on the back of the room shouted: 'Put one on paper for us; I ken read.'

"After a moment's thought I asked: 'What shall I put on paper? Shall I tell you about a dog, a cat, a rabbit or a pig?' for they liked the animal stories best. In one voice they shouted: 'A pig, a pig!' 'Why?' I asked. A very little boy explained: 'I ain't never seen a pig.' 'I ain't neither,' came the responses from all over the room.

"A little girl, better dressed than most of the children, timidly arose and tip-toed to me and whispered: 'My pa's got a shop full of cut-up pigs. We have pig-tail soup sometimes. Tell 'em how good it is; they ain't had some.' She proudly walked to her seat.

"They laughed when they heard her request and the boys shouted: 'Pig's tails! Pig's tails! But no soup —we're full of it.'

"'Children,' I promised, 'when I get home to California I shall write you a story about pigs' tails and you will call it 'A Tail of Pigs' Tails.' I have kept my promise."

Miss Brubaker, will visit the exposition next Saturday, December 9, and will have San Diego children as her guests at 1 o'clock on the lawn back of the Montezuma gardens. Miss Brubaker is well-known in San Diego, where she was a feature of the 1915 exposition.

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New York City 4½s	107¾
New York City 4½s	108¼
New York City 4s	100¾
American Ice 6s	87½
Amer. T. & T. conv. 4½s	104¾
Amer. T. & T. conv. 4s	96¾
Armour 4½s	94¼
American Tobacco 6s	122
American Tobacco 4s	82½
Atchison General 4s	94½
Atchison conv. 4s	100½
Atchison adj. (stamped)	90
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	92½
Braden Copper 6s	98
Baltimore & Ohio 3½s	74
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	91¾
Baltimore & Ohio conv. 4½s	93¾
Baltimore & Ohio conv. 5½s	91½
Bethlehem Steel 7s	104
Bethlehem Steel ref. 8s	104½
California Gas 6s	100¾
Central Leather 5s	102½
Central Pacific 4s	91
Central Pacific 4½s	93¾
Chesapeake & Ohio conv. 5s	92¾
Chesapeake & Ohio conv. 4½s	92¾
Chicago, R. I. & P. 4s	69¾
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Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry. 4s	69¾
Chicago, R. I. & P. Ry. 5s	74¾
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Chicago & E. Ill. 6s	104½
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Chicago, Mil. & St. P. 4s	74
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C., M. & St. P. conv. 4½s	100¼
C., M. & St. P. conv. 5s	99¾
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Colorado Midland 4s	10
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Consolidated Gas 6s	132
Cuba 5s	101
Del. & Hudson 4s	91
D. & R. G. 4s	74
Distilled Sec. 5s	74
Erie 1st ext. 4s	74
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Granby Mining 6s	111
Hudson Manhattan 5s	70¾
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Interboro Met. 4½s	77¾
Interboro Met. 4½s	77¾
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Iowa Central 5s	90
Interborough Met. 4s	104¾
Lackawanna Steel 5s	104¾
Lackawanna Steel 5s	104¾
Lackawanna Gas 1st 5s	104¾
Lehigh Valley 4s	104¾
Lorillard 5s	104¾
Louisville & Nash. 4s	104¾
Manhattan Con. 4s	104¾
Mexican 4s	104¾
Minn., St. P. & S. S. M. 4s	104¾
Missouri Pac. 4s	104¾
Missouri Pac. 5s	104¾
Missouri Pac. conv. 5s	104¾
National Enamel 4s	104¾
New York Central 4s	104¾
New York Central 4½s	104¾
New York Central conv. 6s	104¾
New York Central conv. 4½s	104¾
New York Central conv. 4s	104¾
New York Central ref. 4s	104¾
New York Air Brake 6s	104¾
New York Dock 5s	104¾
New York Dock conv. 5s	104¾
New York Gas 5s	104¾
New York Ry. ref. 4s	104¾
New York Ry. adj. 5s	104¾
Northern Pacific 3s	104¾
Northern Pacific 4s	104¾
Oregon Short Line 4s	104¾
Oregon Short Line 6s	104¾
Oregon Short Line 5s	104¾
Pennsylvania 4½s	104¾
Pennsylvania 4s	104¾
Pennsylvania 3½s	104¾
Pennsylvania 6s	104¾
Pennsylvania

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Stocks and Bonds

INQUIRY FOR RAILS IS A NOTEWORTHY FEATURE.

Advances Ranging from One to Three Points Registered by Rock Island, Wabash and Other Issues. Bank Statement Shows Actual Loss of About $30,000,000 in Cash.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Extension of the recent inquiry for minor or low-priced rails was the noteworthy feature of today's short but active session. Advances ranging from 1 to 3 points were registered by Rock Island, Missouri Pacific, Wabash, Missouri, Kansas and Texas and Western Maryland issues, with further improvement in Erie and Southern Railway.

Other conspicuous features included Ohio Gas, which made an extreme gain of 6½ points, to 124, an advance of more than 25 points for the week and a new high record.

Total sales of stocks, 790,000 shares.

The bank statement fulfilled popular expectation by disclosing another actual loss of cash—about $30,000,000—and another contraction of reserves, reducing that item to $41,000,000, the smallest total since the present system of returns came into vogue.

The bond market was stronger today in consequence of the improvement shown by international issues. Total sales, par value, $3,870,000. United States coupon 4s were ½ per cent. lower on call during the week.

MERCANTILE PAPER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Mercantile paper, 3½. Sterling, sixty-day bills, 4.71½. Commercial, sixty-day bills on banks, 4.71; commercial sixty-day bills, 4.70¾; demand, 4.75½; cables, 4.76¾. Bar silver, 75¼; Mexican dollars, 58. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds strong.

COMPARISON OF SALES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, December 2, 1916	$ 2,812,000
Same day of week last year	2,004,000
From January 2 to date	1,287,865,000
Same period in 1915	770,815,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, December 2, 1916	702,326 shares
Same day of week last year	220,310 shares
From January 2 to date	197,831,385 shares
Same period in 1915	161,458,170 shares

CHICAGO MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—Chicago Stock Market:

	Close
American Radiator	420
Booth Fisheries pfd.	62
American Shipbuilding	66¼
C. C. & C. Rys. pfd.	30
Chicago Pneu. Tool	72½
Commonw. Edison	141
Hartman	90
Illinois Brick	97
Kan. City Light	200
N. A. Pulp	15½
N. A. Carbon	200
N. A. Carbon pfd.	103
Pacific Gas	67
Pneumatic	141½
Public Service	118½
Quaker Oats	240
Sears Roebuck	140
Stewart Warner	104½
Swift & Co.	106½
Union Carbide	106¾
Paper Board	87½
Paper Board pfd.	70½

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Following are the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Sales—	High.	Low.	Bid.
2,100 Alaska	14¾	14	14¾
Do. pfd.			120½
3,100 Allis Chalmers	35¾	35	35¾
Do. pfd.			90
100 Amer. Agr. Chem.	66¾	66¾	66¾
300 Do. pfd.	108	108	108
3,600 Amer. Car & Fdy.	76¾	75	75¾
Do. pfd.			114½
1,400 Amer. Can. Co.	58½	57¾	57¾
Do. pfd.			118
200 Amer. Ice Sec.	54	53¾	54
Do. pfd.			103
1,500 Amer. Int. Corp.	49¾	49¼	49¾
Do. pfd.			109
100 Amer. Linseed	37	37	37
Do. pfd.			90
100 Amer. Cotton Oil	53¾	53¾	53¾
Do. pfd.			97
200 Amer. Ice Sec.	21¾	21¾	21¾
4,400 Amer. H. & L.	18¾	17¾	18
1,000 Amer. Locomo.	70¾	70¾	70¾
Do. pfd.			103
400 Amer. Smelters	117	116¾	116¾
Do. pfd.			110
400 Amer. T. & T. Co.	127¾	127¾	127¾
1,000 Amer. Woolen	54	53¾	53¾
Do. pfd.			104
3,100 Anaconda	30¾	30¾	30¾
2,800 A. T. & Santa Fe	100¾	100¾	100¾
Do. pfd.	104¾	104¾	104¾
2,100 Baldwin Loco.	77¾	76	76¾
Do. pfd.			107
1,600 Balt. & Ohio	87¾	86¾	86¾
Do. pfd.	74¾	74¾	74¾
Do. pfd.			90
400 Amer. Woolen	54	53¾	53¾
Do. pfd.			104
3,100 Anaconda	30¾	30¾	30¾
2,800 A. T. & Santa Fe	100¾	100¾	100¾
Do. pfd.	104¾	104¾	104¾
2,100 Baldwin Loco.	77¾	76	76¾
Do. pfd.			107
1,600 Balt. & Ohio	87¾	86¾	86¾
Do. pfd.	74¾	74¾	74¾
Do. pfd.			90
2,500 B. R. T.	68¾	68¾	68¾
Do. pfd.			104
1,400 Can. Pac.	156	155	155
1,000 Cal. Pet.	20¾	20¾	20¾
4,000 Cent. Leather	111¾	110¾	111
Do. pfd.			112
200 C. & O.	58	58	58
300 C. & N. W.	135	135	135
Do. pfd.			140
100 C. M. & St. P.	91	91	91
100 C. R. I. & P.	125¾	125¾	125¾
100 C. C. C. & St. L.	57¾	57¾	58
Do. pfd.			104
4,700 Colo. Fuel & Iron	53¾	52	53¾
200 Colo. Southern	38	38	38
Do. 1st pfd.			90
Do. 2nd pfd.			80
7,900 Consol. Gas	124¾	123¾	124¾
Do. pfd.			115½
2,000 Corn Prod.	27¾	26¾	27
800 Del. & Hud.	119¾	119¾	119¾
6,100 Distillers Sec.	43¾	42¾	43¾
Do. pfd.			124
Del. & Hudson			151½
600 D. L. & W.	155	155	155
Do. pfd.			155
1,000 Erie	40¾	40¾	40¾
Do. 1st pfd.	38¾	38¾	38¾
2,400 Gen. Electric	159¾	158¾	159¾
General Motors			139
Do. pfd.			113
1,600 Goodrich, Rubber Co.	70¾	69¾	70¾
Do. pfd.			113
400 G. N. Northern pfd.	116	116	116
Green Cananea			44½
1,100 Gt. No. Ctf. Ctfs.	44¾	44¾	44¾
2,600 Gt. Western	111	109¾	110
200 Illinois Central	106¾	106¾	106¾
10,200 Inspr. Copper Co.	71¾	70¾	71¾
1,600 Int. Harvester	127¾	125¾	126¾
Do. pfd.			120
100 Int. Harvester	134	134	134
Do. pfd.			120
4,400 Inter. Nickel	46¾	46¾	46¾
Do. pfd.			106
10,100 Inter. Paper	47¾	45¾	47¾
Do. pfd.	105¾	105	105¾
Int. Mer. Mar. Co.	9¾	9¾	9¾
Do. pfd.	44¾	44¾	44¾
1,700 Int. Marine	18¾	18¾	18¾
Do. pfd.	91¾	91¾	91¾
2,400 K. C. Southern	27¾	26¾	27¾
Do. pfd.			58½
4,600 Lackawanna Steel	100¾	100¾	100¾
L. & N.			134
Laclede Gas com.			111½
4,100 Lehigh Valley	83¾	82¾	83
Lorrett & Myers			200
Do. pfd.			123½
Mackay			68
400 Do. pfd.	69¾	69¾	69
200 Maxwell Motors	74¾	73¾	74
Do. 1st pfd.			91¾
Do. 2nd pfd.			83
9,100 Mex. Pet. Co.	107¾	106¾	107¾
Do. pfd.			100
3,100 Miami Cop. Co.	47	46¾	46¾
1,200 Minn. St. P.	92	91¾	92
100 M. St. P. & S. S. M.	130	130	130
Do. pfd.			129
10,700 Mo. Kan. & Texas	15¾	8	15¾
4,400 Do. pfd.	21	19	20¾
2,100 Montana Power	110	111	111
Do. pfd.			111
1,100 Missouri Pacific	17¾	17¾	17¾
National Lead	69	68	68
Do. pfd.			111½
National Biscuit			122
Do. pfd.			121
1,000 National Lead	35¾	35¾	35¾
Do. pfd.			97½
1,400 Nevada Con.	24¾	23¾	24
N. Y. Air Brake			175
4,400 N. Y. Central	100	100¾	100¾
100 N. Y. C. & H. R.	62	62	62
Do. pfd.			90
N. Y. N. H. & H.			69
4,000 N. Y. Out.	34¾	33¾	33¾
1,800 Norfolk & Western	141¾	141	141¾
Do. pfd.			93¾
5,600 North American	74	72¾	73¾
100 Northern Pacific	111¾	111¾	111¾
Pacific Mail			28
Do. Tel. & Tel.			34½
Do. pfd.			100
4,000 Penn. R.R. Co.	57¾	57	57
People's Gas			108
10,700 Press. Steel Car.	57¾	57	57¾
Do. pfd.	115	115¾	116
1,200 Pressed Steel Car	85	83¾	84
Do. pfd.			101
Pullman			169
1,400 Ry. Steel	83¾	82¾	83¾
1,200 Ry. Steel Springs Co.	59½	59	59
Do. pfd.			102
10,700 Reading	112¾	112¾	112¾
Do. 1st pfd.			84
Do. 2nd pfd.			91
7,900 Republic I. & S.	89¾	88¾	89¾
Do. pfd.			115½
2,100 Rock Island	26	25¾	25¾
400 Rubber	39	38¾	38¾
Do. pfd.	87	87	87
500 Sc. Boat Air Line	16¾	16¾	16¾
300 Do. pfd.	28¾	28¾	28¾
Sears Roebuck			139½
Do. pfd.			119½
1,100 Shattuck S. & L.	85¾	85	85¾
Do. pfd.			100
2,900 Southern Pacific	100¾	100	100¾
21,800 Southern Railway	29	28¾	28¾
Do. pfd.	80	80	80
3,100 Studebaker	120¾	120	120
Do. pfd.			107½
Third Ave. Ry.			40¾
200 Tenn. Copper	24¾	24	24¾
1,100 Texas Oil	207	207	207
200 Texas Pacific	18¾	18	18¾
Do. 1st pfd.			91¾
Twin City R. T.			94½
1,600 Union R. & F. Co.	14¾	13¾	14¾
Do. pfd.			82
6,100 Union Pacific	148	147¾	147¾
Do. pfd.			92
20,100 Utah Copper	127¾	125	126¾
Utd. Cigar Stores			48¾
Utd. Fruit			118¾
Utd. Rlty. & L. P.			27
500 U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	25¾	25	25
300 Do. pfd.	80	80	80
U. S. Express			50
U. S. Realty & Imp.			20
2,100 U. S. Rubber	67	65¾	66¾
400 Do. 1st pfd.	108	108	108
51,600 U. S. Steel Corp.	126¾	125¾	126
2,100 Do. pfd.	121¾	121¾	121¾
1,100 Va.-Car. Chem. Co.	49	48¾	48¾
Do. pfd.			113
Wabash	13¾	13¾	13¾
7,400 Do. "A"	40¾	40¾	40¾
900 Do. "B"	32¾	31¾	32¾
700 Web.-Penn. Ex.	130½	130½	130½
300 Western Union	101¾	101¾	102
1,500 Westinghouse	63¾	62	62¾
Do. 1st pfd.			87
100 Western Maryland	31	29	29¾
1,300 Do. pfd.	49¾	49¾	49¾
1,900 W. Pac.	41¾	41	41¾
12,400 Wilys Overland	26¾	25¾	26¼
Do. pfd.			86
Woolworth Central			120
Woolworth com.			120
Asso. Oil			68
700 Shattuck	23¾	23	23¾
200 Alaska Juneau	8¾	8¾	8¾
Dome Mining			21
20,200 Kennecott	30	27¾	28
2,400 Chile Copper	24¾	23	24¾
200 Am. Zinc	58¾	57¾	58
Do. pfd.			97
6,400 Cuban Cane Sugar	69¾	68¾	69¾
Do. pfd.	104	104	104
200 U. S. Smelt. & Ref.	70¾	70	70¾
Do. pfd.			51¾
Chandler Motors			115
200 Lee Tire	37¾	37	37
400 United Profit	160	158¾	160
1,400 Am. Writing Paper	6¾	6¾	6¾
100 Int. Silver	37¾	37¾	37¾
12,100 Utah Sec.	27¾	25¾	26¾

METAL MARKET, SILVER AND COPPER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The copper market has shown continued firmness during the past week. Very little electrolytic is now offered for delivery during the first quarter, and the quotation for that position was practically nominal at 34.00 today. Leading agencies are quoting from 32.50 to 33.50 for deliveries during the second and third quarters.

AT DENVER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DENVER, Dec. 2.—Colorado concentrates, 60 per cent., 16.00 to 17.00 per unit; crude ores, 60 per cent., 15.00; 25 per cent., 9.40 to 12.00; 10 per cent., 8.70 to 10.00 per unit.

NEW YORK MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—Bar silver in London, 36d, up 1d; in New York, 75¼, up ¼. Mexican dollars, 57, asked 61. Money, 4% per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Mexican dollars, 57 35-100.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF TIMES, Dec. 2.—Crude magnesite, 8.00 per ton. Manganese, 50 per cent., 16.00 per ton. Less than 35 per cent. metal not desirable. Tungsten, 60 per cent. WO3, 13.00 per unit.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK REPORT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The Federal Reserve Board's statement of combined resources and liabilities for the twelve Federal reserve banks at the close of business December 1 follows:

RESOURCES.

Gold coin and certificates in vault, $261,917,000. Gold settlement fund, $175,781,000. Gold redemption fund with United States treasurer, $1,476,000. Total gold reserve, $439,174,000. Legal tender notes, silver, etc., $10,826,000. Total reserve, $450,010,000. Five per cent. redemption fund against Federal reserve bank notes, $420,000.

BILLS DISCOUNTED AND BOUGHT.

Maturities within ten days, $19,724,000. From eleven to thirty days, $28,526,000. From thirty-one to sixty days, $50,346,000. From sixty-one to ninety days, $28,342,000. Over ninety days, $1,173,000. Total, $128,111,000.

INVESTMENTS.

United States bonds, $40,215,000. One-year United States treasury notes, $11,167,000. Municipal warrants, $21,254,000. Total earning assets, $200,747,000. Federal notes, net, $18,301,000. Due from Federal reserve banks, net, $38,188,000. All other resources, $2,493,000. Total resources, $710,161,000.

LIABILITIES.

Capital paid in, $55,737,000. Government deposits, $26,777,000. Member bank deposits, net, $613,530,000. Federal reserve notes, net, $13,383,000. Federal reserve notes in circulation, $28,008. All other liabilities, $706,000. Total liabilities, $710,161,000. Gold reserve against net deposit and note liabilities, 71.4 per cent. Cash reserve against net deposit liabilities after setting aside 40 per cent. gold reserve against aggregate net liabilities on Federal reserve notes in circulation, 73.1 per cent.

Branch Offices.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Dec. 2, 1916.

Bank clearings yesterday were $5,883,490.82, an increase of $1,291,083.20, compared with the corresponding day last year.

	1916.	1915.	1914.
Monday	$5,115,060.50	$3,560,385.21	$3,174,194.87
Tuesday	5,801,561.07	3,909,695.31	3,174,194.87
Wed'day	5,460,032.47	3,735,645.01	3,717,196.96
Thursday	—Holiday.		
Friday	5,863,486.10	4,549,186.36	3,330,336.92
Saturday	5,883,490.82	4,592,457.45	4,528,979.17

Quiet.

LITTLE ACTIVITY ON LOCAL EXCHANGE.

HIGHER BIDS FOR HOME TELEPHONE PREFERRED.

Union Oil Shows Tendency to Advance—Mining List Dull. Arizona Ray Climbs—Ivanhoe and Lucky Boy Firm—Greater Demand for Investment.

The local security market was slow and inactive yesterday on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, although prices did not suffer thereby. Home Telephone preferred was stronger when bids were heard for the issue at 79.00 as compared to 77.50 the day before. Union Oil was steady and had a tendency to advance towards the final hours, closing sales being recorded at 110.75. The mining list was exceptionally dull. Arizona Ray was in better shape and sold at 27, with final bids of 25. Big Jim brought 1.37 and Tom Reed sold as high as 1.82. Lucky Boy and Ivanhoe were practically unchanged and the Goodsprings stocks were not traded in. As is always the case when the more popular securities are quiet, Los Angeles Investment was dealt in freely, a total of 2250 shares being sold at the firm figure of 70.

During the month of November trading on the Los Angeles Exchange aggregated 7,962,688 shares of a total value of $1,758,407.12. Oil and mining stocks divided the greater portion of this activity with valuations of $890,982.90 and $551,751.66 respectively. Industrials followed with $262,852.06 and bonds and bank stocks brought up the rear with $36,702.50 and $7,118.

The sharp advance of Arizona Ray from 20 to 27 in the final two days of last week has occasioned considerable comment in financial circles of the city. As a usual thing mining stocks start off with a bang, rise to a high point and then sink almost to oblivion, until ore is discovered in paying quantities when the quotations rise to a healthy level. Although Arizona Ray has not discovered ore as yet, the stock has held around 27 for much the greater part of the time since the issue was listed on the local board. It is felt that if the company does bring in an ore strike of consequence, Arizona Ray will become one of the most active traders ever seen in the mining group.

LOCAL CLOSING.
STOCK QUOTATIONS.

[As posted at the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, I. W. Hellman Building.]

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Savings Bank	$115.00	
Citizens' National	180.00	
Commercial National	180.00	
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.	450.00	$520.00
First National	250.00	
German-American Tr. & Sav.	350.00	
Hellman Com. Tr. & Sav.		720.00
Home Sav. Bank of L. A.	140.00	150.00
Hibernian Sav. Bank	125.00	
Merchants' National	180.00	
National Bank of Cal.	200.00	225.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	250.00	285.00
U. S. National Bank	155.00	

BOND LIST.
(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co.		
Associated Oil Co.	102¾	
Corona Power & W. Co.	100	
Cosmopolitan Water Co.	97	
Home Telephone Co.	97	100
Los Angeles Gas & E. Co. Ref.	87¾	87¾
Lake Tel. & Tel. of L. A.		
L. A. Pac. 1st Con. Mtge.		89
L. A. Pac. Co. 1st Ref.	87¾	
L. A. & R. Co.	91	
L. A. R.R. Corp. 1st	99¾	
Mission Gas & E. Co.	90	101
Mt. Lowe Railway	81	82
Pac. Elec. Ry. Co.	99¾	
Pac. Light & Power Co.	99¾	
Pac. Tel. & Tel.	99¾	
Pasadena Home T. & T. Co.		
Prod. Transportation Co.	100	100¾
San Monica Bay R. R. Co.	100	104
Tehachapi Water Co.	100	104
Traders' Oil Co.	97	100
Union Oil Co.	110.50	
Union Transportation Co.	97	100
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	81¾	
Visalia Water Co.	99¾	

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Hospital		$ 70.00
Consolidated Realty Co.	$ 99.12½	
Emergency Hospital	99.00	
Home Telephone	79.00	80.00
Home Telephone com.	47.37½	48.25
L. A. Athletic Club	8.50	
L. A. Investment Co.	70	70½
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	125.00	
Pac. Mutual Life Ins. Co.	495.00	500.00
San Diego Home T. & T. Co.	8.00	
S. Monica R. R. Co.	8.00	12.00
So. Cal. Edison pfd.	100.00	
So. Cal. Edison com.	92.00	100.00
Title Ins. & Trust	154.50	160.00
Title Guar. & Tr. Co.	50.00	55.00

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Ontman District—		
Adams Mining Co.	$ .13½	$ .19
Arizona Tom Reed	.05	.13
Big Jim	.13	
Big Jim Gold Mining Co.	1.35	
Boundary Cone	.10	.24
Carter Gold	09½	
Club Entry	.12½	
Esperanza	.11	
Francisco Gold	.09	.11
Gilt Edge	.01½	.01½
Gold Range	.02½	.02½
Hi Henry	*9.00	.01½
Iowa Gold	.03	.04½
Ivanhoe Con. Mines Co.	.10½	.11
Jerome Oatman	.03	.04
Lucky Boy	.13	.15
Oatman Combination	.15	.17
Oatman Queen		.17
Oatman United	.07½	
Pictured Rock	.07	.07
San Francisco Gold	.02½	.03
Sun Dial Gold	.01	
Tom Reed	1.81	1.85
Tom Reed, Jr.	*1.00	
United Eastern	4.25	
United Northern	.12	.25
United Western	.04½	
Other Districts—		
Arizona Ray Copper	.25	.27
Bess Gold Mining	1.30	1.50
Cons. Mines Co.	.02½	.02½
Jerome Portland	.10	.10
Searchlight Parallel	*7.00	*7.00
Yellow Pine	1.45	1.60

*—Per 1000 shares.

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 77.50	
Associated Oil	70.25	$ 70.87½
Brookshire Oil		.75
Columbia	1.04½	
Enos Oil Co.	.07½	.08½
Globe	.01½	.01½
Jade Oil Co.	.02¼	
Midway Northern	.13	.17
National Pacific Oil Co.	.02½	.03
New Pennsyl. Pet. Co.	.16	.20
Olinda Land Co. (Oil)		.29
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	1.50	1.75
Traders' Oil Co.	45.00	50.00
Union	110.50	110.87½
United Petroleum	100.00	110.50
United Oil Co.	.18	.20
West Coast Oil pfd.	117.00	135.00
Western Union	72.50	80.00

SALES.

Morning session: 1000 Arizona Ray at 27; 100 Big Jim at 1.37; 5000 Carter at .09½; 2500 as .09¾; 2000 at .09; 10 Home Telephone com. at 47.25; 5000 Ivanhoe at .11¼; 1000, buyer 30 days, at .11; 2000 Lucky Boy at .13½; 2250 L. A. Investment at .70; 4000 Oatman United at .08; 10,000 Searchlight Parallel at 7.00 per 1000; 500 Tom Reed at 1.80; 100, seller 5 days, at 1.81; 100 at 1.82; 50 Union Oil at 110.50; 10 at 110.75; 200 United Western at .05; 500 United Eastern at 4.45.

Informal: 1000 Midway Mining at .34½; 2000 Oatman United at .08½; 85 Union Oil at 110.50.

STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Following are today's quotations on the San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange:

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. Bonds—		
4s Quarterly coupon (new)	109¾	
State Bonds—		
San Francisco Sea Wall 4s	4.09	
Highway 4s	3.87½	3.89
S. F. Harbor Imp. 4s	3.87½	3.89
Municipal Bonds—		
San Francisco Municipal 4½s	4.35	
San Francisco Municipal 4½s	4.35	
San Francisco Municipal 5s	4.30	
Miscellaneous Bonds—		
Associated Oil Co. 5s	103½	
Bay Counties Power Co. 5s	99	
Cal. Cent. Gas & Elec. 5s	100¾	
Cal. Elec. Gen. Co. 5s	88	
C. G. & E. Gen. M. & C. T. 5s		103½
C. G. & E. unifying 5s	99¼	
Cal. Ptd. & Light Co. 6s	98	
Cal. Wine Assn. 5s	94½	98
Cent. Cal. Traction Co. 5s	40	
City Electric Co. 5s	89¾	
City Investment Co. 5s	97	
Coast Counties G. & E. 5s	92½	92¾
Edison Light & Power 5s	105¾	
First Federal Trust Co. 5s	100	
General Petroleum 6s	100¾	
Great Western Pow. Co. 5s	90½	91¼
Home T. & T. of Spokane 5s	86¾	
Honolulu R. T. & L. Co. 6s	101¼	102
Lake Tahoe Ry. & T. Co. 5s		82¼
Los Angeles Elec. Co. 5s	100¼	
Los Angeles Gas & E. Co. 5s		103¼
Los Angeles G. & E. Corp. 5s	99¾	100
Los Angeles Railway 5s	97	99
Los Angeles Ry. Corp. 5s	87¾	
Los Angeles Lighting Gld. 5s	102¾	
L. A.-Pac. R.R. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	88	87
L. A.-Pac. R.R. of Cal.		
Marin Water & Power Co. 5s	100	87
Market St. Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s		90
Natomas Co. Cal. 6s	65½	
Northern Ry. Co. of Cal. 5s	110	111½
Northern California Railway 5s	104½	
Nor. Cal. Power Co. 5s	89¾	
Northern Cal. Power Con. 5s	81¼	88
Oakland Transit Co. 6s	99¾	
Oakland Transit 5s	75	
Oakland Transit Con. 5s	74	
Oakland Traction Con. 5s	90	
Oakland Traction Co. 5s	93	45
Omnibus Cable Railway 6s	80	
Orpheum Co. 6s		102¾
Pacific Gas Imp. 4s	91½	92
Pac. Gas & Elec. Co. 5s		90¾
Pacific Electric Ry. Co. 5s		99
Pacific Light & Power Co. 5s	98½	
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	100¾	101
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 6s	100¾	
San Joaquin Light & Power 5s	100¾	101
San Jos. L. & I. Cor. (Ser. A) 6s	102¾	
S. F., Oak. & S. R. Con. 5s	82½	
S. F., Oak. & S. Imp. 2nd Mtg. 5s	90	91
S. F., Oak. & S. J. Com. Ry. 5s	41½	47
S. J. & Santa Clara Co. Ry. 4½s		70
Sierra Ry. of Cal. 6s		87½
S. P. R.R. 1st C. Gtd. 5s	110	
S. P. Branch Ry. of Cal. 6s	127½	
S. P. R.R. Ref. 4s	90	92¾
United R.R. of S. F. 4s	97½	97¾
United R.R. of S. F. 6s	36½	37
United R.R. of S. F. 4s	102½	103½
Valley Counties Power Co. 5s	105	
Water Stocks—		
Spring Valley Water Co.	62¼	
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
N. Cal. Power Corp. pfd.	14½	
Northwestern Elec. pfd.		97½
Northwestern Elec. com.	22½	23½
Pacific Gas & Elec. 1st pfd.	91¾	
Pacific Gas & Elec. 1st pfd.	91¾	
Pac. Lighting Corp. pfd.	97	
Insurance Stocks—		
Fireman's Fund	225	
Bank Stocks—		
Anglo Cal. Trust Co.		120
Anglo & L. P. Nat. Bank	140	141¾
Bank of California, N. A.	330½	350
First National Bank of S. F.	295¾	
Mercantile National Bank		
San Union Bank & Tr. Co.	147½	
Union Tr. Co.	245¾	
Savings Banks—		
Humboldt Savings Bank	100	
Mutual Savings Bank	70	80
Security Savings Bank	325	
Street Railroad Stocks—		
California	79	
Powder Stocks—		
E. I. du P. de Nem. & Co. Com.		202½
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Com. & Sugar Co.	51	51¾
Hawaiian Sugar Co.	43¼	44¾
Honolua Sugar Co.	20¾	21¼
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	20	21
Olaa Sugar Co.	16	17
Onomea Sugar Co.	29¾	30¼
Paauhau S. P. Co.	25¾	26¼
Pepeekeo Sugar Co.	26½	27
Pioneer	43¼	
Oil Stocks—		
Associated Oil Co.	70	70¼
Sterling Oil & Dev. Co.	115	
West Coast Oil Co. pfd.	117½	
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Alaska Packers' Assn.	59	
Alaska Co. of N. Y. pfd.	112¾	115
California Wine Association pfd.		79
California Wine Association com.		31
Natomas Co. of Cal. pfd.	14	107
North Alaska Salmon		
Pacific Auxiliary Fire Alarm	9	
Pac. Coast Pipe Line	87½	90
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Com.	33¾	
Philippine Tel. & Tel. Corp.	20¼	21¼
Judson Manufacturing Co.	45	50

SALES.

Morning session: 12,000 Pac. L. & Power 5s, 88¾; 13,000 C. G. & E. Unif. 5s, 99½; 3000 Pac. Tel. & Tel. 5s, 100¼; 3000 Natomas Co. 6s, 65¾; 2000 Southern Pacific Ref. 4s, 92½; 25 Pac. Gas, 1st pfd., 91¾; 155 Pac. Gas com., 87¼; 20 North Cal. Power, 15; 25 Associated Oil, 70; 10 Haw

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BUTTER AND EGG QUOTATIONS.

Fresh ranch, case count,
47@49; northern, fresh
San Francisco, 44½.
Creamery extras, 36 per
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PRICES CURRENT.

California fresh, 21;
, 27; eastern twins,
cheddars, 27; Oregon trip-
Tillamooks, 25; Oregon
; domestic Swiss block,
@40; Edelweiss lim-
; Canada cream, 95;
breakfast, 1.00; cream brick,
twins, 27; Martia daisies,

FRUIT—Oranges, navels,
tangerines, 2.25 half box;
packed, 3.25; juice,
fruit, extra fancy, 2.75@
box basket.
FRUITS—Apples: Belle-
1.33@1.30; 4½-tier, 1.15;
, Spitzenbergs, 1.45@
, 1.50@2.00; Green-
, Delicious, 1.50@2.00;
, White Winter Pear-
1.60; Yellow Newtown
1.40; Langford seed-
, black, 1.00 1-layer
, 4½@4¾ per lb.; casa-
; grapes, Malagas, 1.65
sons, 1.65 crate; Red
Keg; Bartlett pears, 2.75
lug; 6 per lb.; Sickle
50 lug; Winter Nellis,
Simmons, 7@8 lb.; pine-
pomegranates, 2.00 half
1.25 lug.
Strawberries, 12@15
berries, 15; cranberries,
2.00 bbl. Above quota-
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VEGETABLES—These
s for first-class shipping
er pears, 1.50@4.00 box.
@1.25 doz.; Jerusalem
.25 lug; beans, Ken-
13@14; wax, 10@11;
beets, 30 doz.; Brussels
.; cabbage, 1.65 sack
cabbage, 4 lb.; car-
.65 sack; cauliflower, .60
erate; new celery, 75
per crate; green corn,
cucumbers, 1.50 lug;
.19 per lb.; egg-
per lb.; horseradish
; onions, 17½@20
plant, 40 dozen; leeks,
; lettuce, common, 25
crate; chicory, 40 doz.;
; escarole, 35@40 doz.;
doz., 1.00 sack; peas,
@13; bell peppers, 7@9
lb.; spinach, 20 doz.;
toes, 17½@20; rhubarb,
.00; crimson winter, 75
doz.; cream small squash,
; summer squash, 1.25 a
squash, 1¼ lb.; chay-
@60 lug; pumpkins, 2
tomatoes, 60 crate, 1.00@
Bean, 30, 3.25 sack.
— Northern, 2.65@2.75;
2.65@2.70 cwt.; Lon-
beans, 2.25@2.40; Ore-
, 2.65@2.70; sweets, 2.25

(Per 100 lbs.) Pink, No. 1,
Washington, 11.50; small
beans, No. 1 7.75; Gar-
; Manchurian reds, 7.25;
, 4.00; tepary, 6.50;
, 4.00; Idaho pinto, 5.00;

AND CHILE—Strings, 15;
, 10; Jap chile, 36 lb.;
e tepins, 75 lb.; bolling
bag; white onions, 4.00;
2.75 cwt.; Yellow Dan-
; garlic, 10.
, white, 12½; water
, light amber, 12½@14;
amber, 8; white, 6½@7;
, 7; beeswax, 32 lb.
FRUITS—(25-lb. boxes,
ot less.) Apples, evapo-
ice, 9; extra choice, 9½;
, 25@50; apricots, choice,
choice, 16½; fancy, 17;
, 10; extra choice, 9½;
prunes, 20-30s, 16; 30-40s,
; 40-50s, 10; 50-60s, 10;
7; 80-90s, 8½; 90-100s,
20 lb.; lemon peel, 20;
, 20; evaporated pears,

FIGS AND DATES—Rai-
.50 10-oz., fancy, 9;
, 6½; Not-a-seed, 4@
L., 3-crown, 1.90; 4-
-crown, 3.16; 24 1-lb.
12 2-lb. clusters, 2.60; 4
2.85; 25-lb. extra choice
48 1-lb Sun Maid, 4.85
bleached, 50s, 13½;
50s, 2-crown, 4.00; 3-
crown, 4.50. Figs, 6-oz.
-layer, 1.75 box. Dates,
.50 case.
Raw almonds, fancy, IXL,
; Plus Ultra, 18½@19;
per doz., 1.15@1.25; fil-
18½; pecans, large, 19;
ters, 6½; Japan, 6½;
walnuts, Asso. No. 1, 19@
, 20@20½; budded, 22;
, 14; chestnuts, 16½@17
peppered, 5@5½ lb.; pine,
ery, 10 lb.
(Per 100 lbs.) Extra fancy,
5.25@6.50; Patna, 6.50;
, 6.75; Blue Rose, 5.00; Red
beans, 4.00@4.25; Cali-
Lima, 5.00; China, No. 1,
4.00; brewers', 2.75@3.50;
@4.25; rice bran, 30.00
middlings, 40.00 ton; rice
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Provision List.
PRICE—Following are prices
ery point: No. 1 fed steers,
; 7½; seconds, 6½
6½; No. 1 fed cows
and heifers, 6@6½; seconds, 5½@5¾; thin, 4½@5; good bulls and stags, 5; common bulls, 4½@4¾; calves, 9@9½; light calves, 9; sheep, western, shorn, per head, 6.50@7.00; ewes, 6.50@6.75; suckling lambs, 8.50. Following quotations are based on delivered prices weighed off cars f.o.b. Los Angeles: Hogs, choice grain-fed, 150 to 250 lbs., 9@9½; 250 to 300 lbs., 8½@9; 300 lbs and over, 8.

POULTRY—Prices to producers: Broilers, 22@25; fryers, 20; roasters, 20; old cocks, 9; hens, 14@19; turkeys, hens, 18@22; toms, 20@24; ducklings, 18; young geese, 18. Selling price to trade is 3 cents higher than above quotations.

MUTTON—Yearlings, 17; wethers, 15; ewes, 14; No. 2 yearlings, 16; No. 2 mutton, wethers, 15; No. 2 mutton, ewes, 13.

LAMBS—Plain milk, 40 lbs. and under, 18; over 40 lbs., 17.

BEEF—No. 1 steers, 12; medium steers, 11½; No. 1 cows, 11½; No. 2 cows, 10½; steer hindquarters, No. 1, 18; cows, 12½; forequarters, 10½; short loins, 18@19; loins, No. 1, 16; medium loins, 15; No. 1 6-rib cut, 13; No. 2 6-rib cut, 11; loin butts, 15; short chux, 10½; full chux, 10; triangles, 9½; plates, 9; cow rounds and rumps, 12; steer rounds and rumps, 12½.

VEAL—120 lbs. and under, 17; 121 to 150 lbs., 16½; 150 lbs. and up, 15; sides, 60 lbs. and under, 17; 61 to 80 lbs., 16½; 81 lbs. and up, 16; hinds, 45 lbs. and under, 19; do., 46 lbs. and up, 18; forequarters, 45 lbs. and under, 13; do., 46 lbs. and up, 12.

PORK—Dressed hogs, heads on, 13; do., heads off, 14; trimmed hogs, 16; loins, fresh, 18; do., legs, fresh, 18; picnics, fresh, 13; bellies, 17; leaf lard, 15.

HAMS—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 26; fancy, 24; medium, 22@23; skinned, extra fancy, 26; fancy, 24; boiled, fancy, 35; medium, boiled, 33.

BACON—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 30@31; fancy, 26½@27; narrow, 24; bacon backs, 18½; boneless butts, 18; picnics, 14; bonay picnics, 17.

LARD—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 18½; fancy, 18; medium, 16@17; shortening, 15; lard compound, 14½.

SALT AND SMOKED MEATS—D.S. bellies, 17½; D.S. clear backs, 16½; D.S. fat backs, 16½; smoked butts, 19; beef tongues, 32; do., boiled, 34; insides, 30; dried beef knuckles, 36.

FRESH FISH—Wholesale price per pound: Barracuda, 10; halibut, 9@10; rock cod, 6@7; rock bass, 7@10; sand dabs, 8@10; salmon, 16@17; mackerel, 5@6; smelt, 8@10; tuna, 6; carp, 6; cockles, 7; bonita, 6; blue perch, 7; sole, 8; mussels, 5; smoked albacore, 12½; smoked salmon, 18; striped bass, 18.20; clams, 7@8; bulk oysters, 1.60 a hundred; quart oysters, 6.50 dozen; California oysters, 50 a hundred; lobsters, 20@22; scallops, 5.00 a gallon; crabs, 4.00 dozen; whitebait, 15@20; salmon trout, 25@27; yellowtail, 8; picked shrimps, 60.

SUGAR—(Per 100 pounds.) Prices quoted below are for the city of Los Angeles, and are based on sacks: Barrels, add 10 cents; ½ barrels, 25 cents; boxes, 50 cents; bales, 25s, 10 cents; 10s, 15 cents; 5s, 20 cents; 2s, 30 cents. All prices are net cash, less 15 cents a hundredweight if invoiced dated from the first to the fifteenth of the month, inclusive, are paid not later than the twenty-fifth of the same month, or if dated from the sixteenth to the last day of the month, are paid not later than the tenth of the following month: Beet granulated, 7.50; standard cane, 8.00; standard berry, 8.00.

WHEAT FLOUR—Quoted by bbls.: Capitol Milling Co.: Capitol, 9.60; Aurora, 8.80; Trophy, 7.90; No. 1 hard bakers, 9.70; bakers' extra blend and California wheat blend, 9.20; Our Giant, 9.10; Eclipse, 8.30; Los Angeles Milling Co.: Forex, 9.60 per bbl.; Purity, 8.80; Morning Glory, 7.90; Forex bakers' extra, 9.20; bakers' pastry, 8.30.

GRAIN AND FEED—Per 100 lbs.: Alfalfa meal, 1.35; alfalfa molasses, 1.55; barley, rolled, 2.50; ground barley meal, 2.80; recleaned barley, 2.55; corn, whole yellow, 2.80; whole white corn, 2.90; corn, cracked, 2.85; Egyptian corn, 2.60; red feed oats, 2.90; white feed oats, 2.45; bran, 2.00; shorts, 2.40; No. 1 wheat, 100-lb sacks, 3.10; 133-lb. sacks, 3.05 cracked wheat, 3.20; Milo maize, 2.40; oilcake meals, 2.50; rye seed, 3.25; rolled oats, 2.50; scratch feed, 2.90; sugar beet, 2.30; cottonseed meal, 2.30; feed meal, 2.90; chicken feed, 3.30; oats, chop, 1.70; buckwheat, 3.50; copra, 50.30 ton.

HAY—Alfalfa, 14.00@16.50 ton; barley hay, 14.00@16.00; tame oat hay, 17.00@26.00; wheat hay, 15.00@17.00; stock hay, 10.00@12.00. The above are jobbing prices per ton. Producers receive 1.00 to 2.00 less.

Oil List.

Pearl oil or Union water white, iron bbls. and wagons	.09
Pearl oil, in cases	.17
Union and Ventura gas machine gasoline, drums	.46
Union and Ventura gas machine gasoline, cases, 2 5s	.54
Eocene oil, in cases, 2 5s	.30
Headlight, in cases, 2 5s	.18
Union Headlight, in cases, 2 5s	.20
V. M. & P. naphtha, drums	.19
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2 5s	.27
Union benzine, bulk	.19
Union benzine, in cases	.27
Red Crown, Union and Ventura gasoline, iron bbls and tank wagons	.20
Red Crown, Union and Ventura gasoline, cased, 2 5s	.28
Distillate, iron bbls. and tank wagons	.09½
Distillate, cases, 2 5s	.17½
Linseed oil, raw, in bbls	1.06
Linseed oil, raw, in cases	1.12
Linseed oil, boiled, in bbls	1.10
Linseed oil, boiled, in cases	1.12
Turpentine, iron bbls	.60
Turpentine, in cases, 2 5s	.69

PRODUCE MARKET IN SAN FRANCISCO.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Receipts—Flour, 15,915 quarters; barley, 8065 centals; beans, 6265 sacks; potatoes, 150 sacks; onions, 1150 sacks; hides, 520 in number; wine, 31,100 gallons; hay, 90 tons.

Vegetables—Lettuce, 50@90; peas, small, 5@7; large, 8@11; tomatoes, 25@50; fancy, 65@75; green peppers, 9@11; potatoes, 1.90@2.20; rhubarb, 85@1.25.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 23@24.

BUTTER AND EGGS, EASTERN PRICES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Butter unsettled; receipts, 8152; creamery firsts, 37½@38½; seconds, 36@37. Eggs irregular; receipts, 4594; fresh gathered, extra firsts, 47@48; firsts, 44@46; refrigerator special marks, fancy, 34½; refrigerator seconds to firsts, 31½@34. Cheese steady; receipts, 1806; State held specials, 24½@25; do., average fancy, 24@24½.

CHICAGO MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Butter lower; creamery, 34½@39. Eggs, receipts, 2183 cases; unchanged.

ELGIN MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ELGIN (Ill.) Dec. 2.—Butter lower; 25 tubs at 40.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Butter firm; receipts

The Helping Hand.

MAKING FAMOUS MISSION BRIGHT

Grateful Workers Refurbish Union Rescue's Home.

Provide New Equipment for Institution's Work.

During November Aided Many Deserving Persons.

A notable transformation is taking place in the appearance of both the exterior and interior of the Union Rescue Mission, No. 145 North Main street. Under the supervision of Supt. William Price, corps of volunteer workers have been repainting, repapering, renovating, laying new floors, making new rooms, and generally refurbishing this famous center of mission activities.

The basement, heretofore used simply as a storage room, is being put to very practical use. A large dining-room has been installed with a commodious kitchen, equipped with gas and coal ranges and full kitchen equipment. In the basement there is also being opened a reading-room, finely lighted, a prayer-room for personal work with the penitent, and a clothes storage room.

The auditorium, on the main floor, has been repapered, the wood work repainted, new floors have been laid, and a new lighting system installed. On the second floor every room has been completely overhauled, freshly papered and painted; new rugs, curtains, etc., have been placed, and the dormitories have been freshly equipped. A large shower bath is being put in, and a fumigating room for men's clothes is being installed.

The purpose is to provide an equipment that will be able to give the man wanting to mend his ways every opportunity and to surround him with helpful environment. The down-and-outer who really wants to make good is taken in, given a shower bath and fresh nightshirt, turned into a clean cot, and his clothes put into the fumigator over night. He is given his breakfast in the morning, and after helpful counsel is sent out to look for work, or helped to find a place, with the instruction that he can come back and make use of the mission headquarters until he gets on his feet. The managers of the institution declare the results are well worth while, and every month many men are helped back to a useful place in society and established in a religious life.

Supt. Price's report of the work done during the month of November shows how far-reaching are the activities of the Union Rescue Mission. During the month 121 meetings were held, with a total attendance of approximately 6000 people. Meals to the number of 430 were offered the hungry, and 224 destitute persons provided with beds. There were 130 pieces of clothing given to the needy and 240 Testaments and Gospels of John were distributed. The mission secured jobs for twenty-four unemployed persons.

During the month twenty-three special visits were made to jails and the police court in the interest of worthy persons, and thirty-two visits to men in jails were made. In this one month 131 men and women have signified their intention to lead Christian lives, and many of the persons reached were on the lowest rounds in the social ladder, but who are now "making good."

In addition to this work a number of poor families, women and children, have been clothed and other assistance has been afforded deserving persons.

Christmas.

CITY'S DEPENDENTS NEED HANDY GIFTS.

USEFUL ARTICLES WILL BRING GOOD CHEER TO ALL.

Juvenile Hall Requires Boys' Wear, Little Ones in County Hospital Must Have Caps While Old Men at County Farm will Appreciate Necessaries.

The Public Welfare Commission and the Probation Committee have their plans nearly complete for a real Christmas for the inmates of the various public institutions. At Juvenile Hall and the County Hospital a Christmas dinner will be served. The forty boys and eighty girls of Juvenile Hall at the joyous time for others, but a sad reminder to them, will have cause to remember the bountiful spirit of the men and women who are planning this dinner.

A number of Glendale women are endeavoring to furnish each girl with material for a garment which the girls will make themselves. The boys are not yet provided for. Neckties, handkerchiefs and other trifles boys desire would be very acceptable. The nursery at Juvenile Hall will probably have ten or twelve very young children at Christmas time.

Stocking caps for nursery children and the little ones at the County Hospital are being prepared by a number of women who will meet with Mrs. George Kress at the Bryson apartments every Thursday afternoon until Christmas. Those who would like to help are invited to form the party, and those who prefer may send discarded silk hose to her for the caps, or the offerings may be sent to the Probation Committee at No. 121 Temple street.

A good dinner will be served at the County Farm, where 650 old people are living. Many of them will not be remembered at Christmas unless the public bears them in mind. The old women, probably 100, are generally remembered, but the less fortunate men are forgotten. They need razors, bed shoes, knives, handkerchiefs, neckties, pocket-books, wash cloths, mirrors, combs, suspenders, needle and thread outfits, shaving brushes, clothes bags, and other useful and necessary articles.

To reach as many as possible of the city's poor and needful the public is asked to inquire at the probation office or the outdoor relief division of the department of charities.

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EPISCOPAL BAZAAR IN PREPARATION.

GUILD WILL HOLD AFFAIR AT ALEXANDRIA.

Special Feature to be Made of Luncheons and Afternoon Teas, Musical Programmes in Evening by Capable Artists and Novelty Booths to Attract.

The annual bazaar of the Rector's Guild of Christ Episcopal Church will be held in the drawing-room and library on the mezzanine floor of the Alexandria, December 7, 8 and 9. Extensive preparations are being made for this event.

A special feature will be made of the luncheons, from 12 to 2 o'clock each day, and the afternoon teas from 2 to 5 o'clock. Reservations for special tables can be made by calling the library at the Alexandria and asking for Mrs. G. W. Sellars.

Musical programmes will be given each evening at 8:45 o'clock from the balcony of the mezzanine floor by Mrs. Bertha Vaughn, soprano; Mrs. Minnie Hance Jackins, contralto, and Roy Porter, baritone.

The executive board is composed of Mrs. E. P. Johnson, president; Mrs. D. K. Dickinson, treasurer; Mrs. C. W. Houston, secretary; Mrs. L. W. Wilder, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Henry Clay King, assistant treasurer.

The following women will be in charge of the various booths: Fancy work, Mrs. E. P. Johnson and Mrs. W. H. Perry; dolls, Mrs. J. A. Burton and Mrs. T. A. Williams; household linens, Mrs. J. Briggs; candy, Mrs. L. W. Wilder; cut flowers and plants, Mrs. Henry Clay King, Mrs. Harvey E. Tauscher and Mrs. R. Henry Harris; refreshments, Mrs. G. W. Sellars; household goodies, Mrs. J. E. Quinn; Christmas favor booth, Mrs. F. Tully; Christmas tree booth, Mrs. Henry Noviac.

The flower girls who will assist at the cut flower and plant booth are Misses Helen Simkins, Venile Consiguy, Bernice Simms, L. Newbery, Lee Tholdy, Helen Chute, L. La Place, Mia Marvin, Julia P. Hardy and B. Beach.

Special features in the booths will be the wide display of hand-made articles for the fancy booth and the dolls that have been dressed by the members of the guild.

WOULD CURTAIL VICIOUS MOVES.

Proposed Law to Curb Attacks on Property, Business and Employment.

At a meeting of the Campaign Committee of the California Taxpayers' League, held Wednesday, the following resolution was passed:

"Resolved, that the secretary is hereby authorized to immediately employ counsel to draft a law to present to the coming session of the State Legislature calling for an amendment to the State Constitution providing that when any initiative amendment having been presented to the voters twice in succession and having been defeated, calling for the destruction of property or a business, and taking away the occupations of employees without compensation, that thereafter it shall require a two-thirds vote to carry such a proposed measure."

The reason for passing this resolution was because of the burdensome expense on the taxpayers and property owners that have to raise money to defend certain issues from two to four elections in succession. It is injuring business and is costing the taxpayers a great deal of money to be confronted with continued strife by the different elements that are causing uncertain conditions to prevail as long as the strife lasts.

HELD AS BURGLAR.

Charged with having burglarized the store of William Hidley, No. 817 South Main street, on Thanksgiving evening, Earl L. Moser, 20 years old, was given a preliminary hearing before Justice Forbes yesterday and bound over for trial. His bail was fixed at $2500, in default of which he was sent to the County Jail.

Uplift.

FOR BETTER CLOTHES.

Brownson House Sewing Class that Trains Immigrant Mothers to Make Becoming Garments is Rival for Factory-girl Seamstress Course.

Better clothes for the dwellers in the city's modest sections are becoming a reality as a result of work in progress at Brownson House. To the many activities that aid the poor has been added a sewing class for mothers. As the settlement house is situated in the foreign quarter and meets the needs, particularly of the immigrant, this department has won the especial appreciation of untutored women of other lands whose unskilled fingers are rapidly being trained to make becoming and well-fitting garments for themselves and their children.

The class is conducted in the evening, and the mothers bring the babies, which are cared for by the attendant nurse while the elders sew and chat. The social side of the work is, therefore, considered important in itself and the popularity of the class assured.

Another feature at Brownson House is a sewing class for factory girls. The members of this class range in age from 12 to 18 years, and all are employed during the day, as wage earners. Last year the girls of the class gave a fashion show, exhibiting garments made and designed by themselves. Merchants from the large stores were judges, and the exhibit was so successful that it is planned to have another this year.

DEATH OF MRS. WHEELER.

Mrs. Josephine Grant Wheeler, wife of Henry O. Wheeler, Jr., of Harvard boulevard, Los Angeles, died at Palm Springs November 30. She was born July 16, 1882. Her parents were Joseph Wadsworth Grant and Myra Fay Grant. She was married to Mr. Wheeler May 20, 1914. Surviving her are her husband, her brothers, Edwin J. Grant of Los Angeles, Henry Fay and Denison W. Grant of Franklin, Pa., and a sister, Mrs. Kate Grant Pohl of Redlands, Cal. She was an artist, musician and writer who wrote many stories for children, some of which were published in St. Nicholas and other magazines. A talented and charming woman, she was much beloved and admired.

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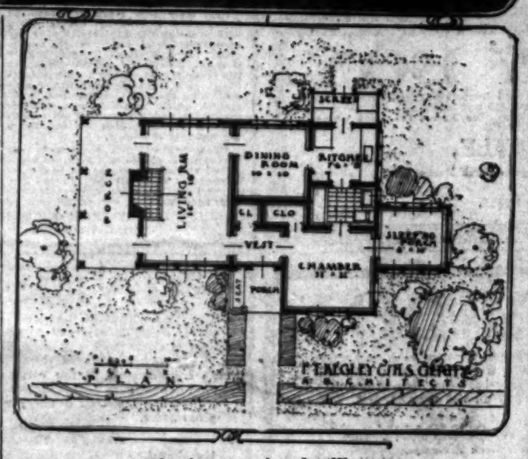
SMALL BUT COMPLETE.

Economical Plan Feature of Bungalow Designed by Local Men.

Another inexpensive small home is illustrated in the series of "moderate cost" places today. The dwelling was designed by Frank T. Kegley and H. Scott Gerity and is as complete in all essentials as a house costing many times as much. The architects estimate that $1500 would build it and that $2000 would cover the cost of its construction with many niceties of finish included.

The plan has a feature not encountered in many small bungalows in the shape of a vestibule entrance. The owner is not compelled to usher visitors directly into the living-room with such an arrangement as this. The living-room is 12x19 feet in size and the dining-room 10x10 feet. The single bedroom is 11x12 feet, while adjoining it is a sleeping porch 8x10 feet.

The exterior is simple and suggests the small homes of early New England. The color scheme calls for white painted walls and green roof. The entrance porch is small and is provided with a built-in seat. A larger porch opens from the living-room at one end of the house.



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Trend.

DYNAMITE TRAIL LEADS TO GOAL.

Actors in Crime Prevention Describe Bombs.

Experts' Analysis Show High Explosive Power.

Women's Stories Tally with Caplan Appearance.

Testimony in the trial of David Caplan, alleged dynamiter, was of a more general nature Friday than on several days previous during which he was frequently connected with Matthew Schmidt, the convicted dynamiter, and J. B. McNamara. The trend of the case was brought directly to Los Angeles and introduced the location of the infernal machines at the homes of Gen. Harrison Gray Otis and Secretary Zeehandelaar of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association.

J. H. Bringham, a street-car conductor who was on his way home in the early morning of October 1, 1910, and who saw the strange suit case at the Zeehandelaar home, was on the stand and told about calling the police after he heard the ticking of a clock and suspected the contents of the carrier. Police Detective Tom Rico and Lieutenant of Detectives Home, who then was on the general force of the department, told of taking charge of this case, and discovering an infernal machine and dynamite inside.

EXPLOSIVE.

The connecting wires were disconnected and the bomb was held as evidence. Immediately after, the officers rushed to the home of Gen. Otis, where another similar bomb had been discovered. Detective Rico carried the suit case to the edge of Westlake Park and started to cut the case, when he heard the first whirr of the alarm, indicating that it was going off. Dropping his knife, he fled a short distance, when the explosion occurred, blowing a huge hole in the ground and knocking him down.

William Davidson, superintendent of the mechanical department of the county and for years dynamite expert with the road department, told of exploding the dynamite found in the Zeehandelaar bomb in an isolated place. He declared the pulverization of the immense rocks on which it was placed indicated the dynamite was about eighty parts nitroglycerine.

UNUSUAL.

Donald W. Wilson said some of the same powder was analyzed at the Giant Powder Works at Giant, where it was shown to be of 80 per cent. strength. William Flynn, one of the department heads at the same place, told of having received orders to manufacture 500 pounds of this very high explosive, a rather unusual order. He said it was never carried in stock because of the danger.

Mrs. Emma Wittrock, who resided on Nineteenth avenue in San Francisco, near the O'Brien house, in which the large explosive cache was found, told of seeing two men drive up in a wagon and unload boxes of the size of those subsequently found there and also of the gingerly manner in which the boxes were handled. Her description of one of the men tallied with the general description of Caplan. Mrs. Emma Boden of the same city, told of having seen the same wagon making its way from the wharf district and later, of having seen it in front of the Nineteenth-street house and two men with it.

HANDWRITING.

Herbert Barring, the officer who brought Schmidt from New York to California after his capture, identified the handwriting of Schmidt from a telegram which the latter had written and sent to his sister while en route. When Deputy District Attorney Keyes placed Milton Carlson, a handwriting expert, on the stand to further identify the writing to be the same as that on various hotel registers, Attorney Appel insisted that the man who so cleverly trapped him in his own scheme several days ago, was not qualified to testify as an expert. Judge Willis overruled his objections.

Bold.

DRIVE WOMAN AWAY TO PLUNDER HOME.

TWO MASKED BANDITS MAKE AUTO RAID.

At Point of Revolvers Daring Robbers Steal Silverware and Money Making Their Escape in a Small Machine While Police Get There too Late.

After driving Mrs. D. A. Leland of No. 5337 Templeton street from her home Friday night, two masked and armed bandits loaded all the silverware in the place into a small automobile, took a purse containing about $100 and made their escape.

The two bandits, according to Mrs. Leland, entered her home through the rear door early in the evening when she was alone. Walking into the front room the two men, at the point of a revolver, ordered her to leave the place and not to notify the police. Running to the house of a neighbor, Mrs. Leland notified the police at East Side Station, who rushed to the scene in an automobile, but arrived too late to find any trace of the daring bandits.

According to Mrs. Leland, the two intruders took silverware valued at several hundred dollars and about $100 in cash. They loaded the loot in a small automobile standing in the rear of the house and escaped.

Neighbors assert the machine was a runabout and painted black and carried no lights or license plates.

It is thought that both of the bandits are very young. They wore dark clothing, long black overcoats and dark soft hats. They were masked with black cloth and carried heavy revolvers.

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DECIDES BROTHERS' SAN DIEGO CLAIMS.

PRESTON B. FULLER WINS LAND RIVAL SOUGHT.

After Bitter Contest Charles H. Fuller Loses Second Appeal to Obtain Valuable Homestead Rights in What is Known as Cariso Creek Country.

The land contest which engendered so much bitterness between two brothers, Preston B., and Charles H. Fuller, involving 146 acres of government land in San Diego county, in what is known as the Cariso Creek country, has finally been determined by the Secretary of the Interior in favor of Preston B. Fuller, the original settler on the land.

The same judgment was rendered by Register Roche and Receiver Mitchell of the local Land Office some months ago, but the matter was appealed by Charles H. Fuller to the General Land Office, and that authority affirmed the judgment of the local officers. Not satisfied with the determination of the issues, Charles H. Fuller then appealed to the Secretary of the Interior, and this final decision by the highest authority in the land department ends the case.

At the time of the original hearing at the local Federal Building, Register Roche had United States Marshal Walton occupy a seat near the brothers and that official was prepared for any eventuality.

It appeared from the record in the case that Preston B. Fuller made an actual residence on the land on March 4, 1911, building a home thereon and filing a homestead claim, presuming he was filing on the land he was occupying. Later, he wrote his brother, Charles H. Fuller, who was then living at Santa Ana, to file on what he thought was the adjoining half quarter-section, which he did.

There was much confusion of the surveys, and Charles H. employed an attorney to run lines, etc., and, following this, he amended his petition to include the lands also claimed by his brother, Preston B. Fuller. It seems there is a valuable suring on the homestead occupied by Preston B. Fuller, and this was the bone of contention between the two men.

When Charles H. Fuller had changed his entry so as to include his brother's land, Preston B. Fuller brought a contest and the finding of the land authorities was in his favor. Under the ruling the contestant is allowed to amend his entry so as to embrace the land upon which he settled, where he had complied in all ways with the provisions of the homestead law, both as to the matter of settlement and improvements.

At the original hearing, Charles H. Fuller had no attorney and appeared in his own behalf, creating much merriment by his objections to the testimony brought out in favor of his brother. When he appealed to the General Land Office an attorney prepared his papers, but to no avail.

PRESBYTERIAN RELIEF.

Asks Aid Societies to Assist Widows and Orphans of Ministers.

The Presbyterian Church board of the United States has requested the aid societies to assist by a voluntary offering in establishing a fund for the relief of widows and orphans of deceased Presbyterian ministers. The Federated Aid Society of the Los Angeles presbytery will hold a meeting at the West Adams Presbyterian Church, near Vermont avenue and West Adams street, next Wednesday, to formulate plans.

There will be a luncheon at 12:30 o'clock for the presidents and secretaries of the various aid societies together with the officers and district superintendents of the federated society. The general assembly will be held from 2 until 4 o'clock. The various societies are requested to inform Mrs. W. D. McConnell, president, No. 1639 Gower street, phone 579179, two days before the meeting as to how many delegates will be present. Rev. Herbert Booth Smith, the new pastor of the Immanuel Presbyterian Church, will speak.

HELD ON UGLY CHARGE.

John L. Lane, former petty officer in the army, was taken before Justice Brown yesterday on a serious statutory charge concerning little Irene Ramirez, with whose parents he resided subsequent to his return from the Mexican border. Represented by Attorneys Henry and Hathaway, he endeavored to show the charges against him were the result of disagreement with Mr. and Mrs. Ramirez on another matter. He was bound over to the Superior Court, however, for trial.

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Fred Kessler, Buried Alive for Almost Three Hours, Directs Work of Rescue with Debris and Ashes from Grocery Fire Ruins About Him.

Held motionless beneath tons of debris that lay ten feet thick above and about him, Hoseman Fred Kessler, a husky 28-year-old member of Engine Company, No. 10 of the local fire department, was literally buried alive for almost three hours yesterday morning while his comrades, directed in person by Fire Chief Archie Eley, worked furiously to dig him out of the ruins of the California Wholesale Grocery Company at No. 1540 Industria street. During the last half hour of his incarceration in the lava and ashes, Kessler directed the work of his own release by shouting out locations to his friends laboring above him.

When released, the husky young fireman shook himself once or twice, then thrusting the friendly hands extended towards him to one side, threw his leg over the ladder placed against the side of the building, and slid to the ground, unaided. He then proceeded to the Receiving Hospital, assured Dr. Louis Kane that he was all right, and then went to his home at No. 1330 South Harvard boulevard.

Kessler was one of three firemen working a hose on the second floor of the wholesale grocery plant, fighting the fire that broke out early yesterday morning, when the roof caved in. His companions, Firemen Lang and Ball, saved themselves by jumping. Kessler, however, could not extricate himself from the coil of hose about his legs, and was caught by the falling debris while in a crouched position. The ashes and charred woodwork filled in about him, holding him immovable in a semi-standing position.

Despairing of finding their comrade alive, other members of Kessler's company started to find the body. But two hours passed before they could even locate the place where Kessler was buried. Chief Eley commanded the work in person, assisted by several battalion chiefs and Police Lieutenant Johnson.

Suddenly a group of the workers heard a groan. Kessler had been located, but he was still buried beneath many feet of ashes. A small pipe was inserted to him, and through this he talked, telling them where he was, so their efforts would not hurt him. When finally found, he was still crouched over, the heavy hose twined about him, acting as a buffer.

"It seemed like a hundred years in there," Kessler said, when rescued. "I lost consciousness soon after it happened, but came to when sweat filled my eyes. The hose was wet, and I licked the canvas sides. This probably saved my life."

Receiving Hospital physicians declared it was the marvelous physical development of the young fireman that alone saved his life from the trying adventure.



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ROUND-UP OF THE WEEK.

XXVIII YEAR. SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 3, 1916. IN THE VAN:

SOLVING THE TRAFFIC PROBLEM IS THE BIGGEST JOB CITY EVER TACKLED.



This picture represents a little game entitled: "Making Two Autos Go Where There's Only Room for One."

...grapher caught this picture of "Broadway Jam" at Seventh street. He could have obtained similar pictures at any corner in the down-town district. If you drive a Twin-Six, or even a Fivver, you know this is true. If you don't drive a car at all you know it's true. The ...ing question of the day is: "What Are You Going to Do About It?" Chief of Police Butler is puzzled, and he's a traffic expert. J. W. B. Grogan, the officer in charge of the traffic department, is working on the problem by day, and dreaming of it by night. Two thousand ...estions have been made as to how order can be restored and the chaotic conditions eliminated. The traffic problem is going to be solved. Messrs. Butler and Grogan have promised that this shall come to pass. But they've got their hands full, and YOU must do your part.

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SWARMS OF JITNEYS, 40,000 AUTOS AND NARROW STREETS CAUSE OF CONGESTION.

Parking Space on Tops of Skyscrapers and in Basements of Big Stores Among Solutions Offered—Efficient Police Force Powerless as Menace Grows.

BY HARVEY E. WESTGATE.

YOU can't squeeze a bushel of apples into a pint cup. Neither can you squeeze 40,000 automobile and jitneys into a comparatively small business district.

If you travel around the world you won't find a better traffic squad than the one which earnestly tries to keep vehicles moving safely in Los Angeles.

But if you travel twice around the world you won't find another city where traffic conditions are as bad as they are in Los Angeles.

Broadway, New York, is a safe and sane country boulevard when compared with Broadway, Los Angeles. The congestion in London, Paris, Berlin, Chicago and Oskosh is nothing when viewed by a Los Angeles man, for here the traffic is a continual parade, with four processions going north and south and twice as many going east and west.

Seventy-one men compose the Los Angeles traffic squad. Eight years ago the squad boasted of nine members. The seventy-one men are alert, experienced, always on the job and do their best to prevent accidents, but neither the present squad, nor one twice or ten times its size, can regulate traffic conditions in Los Angeles until a number of contributory causes of traffic congestion are removed. Some of the causes are practically immovable, but it is interesting to note them all.

TEN CAUSES.

Here are ten of the causes, or conditions, responsible for the present congestion.

(1.) Forty thousand automobiles are owned inside of the city limits. Eighty thousand automobiles are owned in the county. When the owners of 10 per cent. of the cars in the city decide to come down town, they completely fill Broadway, Spring, Hill and Main streets, for ten blocks, even if four lines of cars move down each street. If 20 per cent. of the cars come downtown, they also fill the cross streets. And this is exactly what happens every day. If all of the owners decide, at the same time, to come downtown, they wouldn't arrive, for the simple reason that the streets wouldn't hold them.

(2.) As compared with many streets in other cities, the downtown streets of Los Angeles are narrow, but as it would mean confusion, an expense of hundreds of millions of dollars and several years' work to widen them, this cause of congestion cannot be removed.

(3.) Hills wall in a portion of the downtown district, and unless they are removed, or punctured with a number of tunnels or open cuts, this cause of congestion will always remain.

(4.) One hundred and seventy-five hack stands line the streets in the business district. Allowing only fifteen feet to each, this means the curbs, for a distance of 2625 feet, are filled with vehicles, which are allowed to stand there throughout the twenty-four hours if their owners so desire.

SWARMS OF JITNEYS.

(5.) Every street in the business district is a hive for a swarm of jitneys. One-lungers, two-lungers, four-lungers, six-lungers, eight-lungers and twelve-lungers. Some are old. Some are new. Some are large and strong, and sturdy. Some are small and weak. Some are rattle traps. Some are in the hands of experienced drivers. Many are guided by youths so young that their faces are as yet strangers to a safety razor. But they swarm daily, stop anywhere, cut in ahead of other autos, and go on their way, adding to the dangers the public has to face and bringing perspiration and gray hairs to every traffic cop.

(6.) Street car tracks, instead of continuing north, south, east or west, on one thoroughfare, until a point beyond traffic congestion is reached, turn hither and thither, form the letter "S" if necessary, and thereby contribute to the congestion. The most dangerous crossings in the city are where street cars make turns to the right or left. Accidents, and serious accidents, at such crossings, are of almost daily occurrence.

EDUCATION NEEDED.

(7.) Ignorance on the part of drivers, who never have made a study of a street map of Los Angeles, or thoughtlessness (the result is the same,) whereby a large part of the "through" traffic uses the downtown streets instead of following a route skirting the congested district. There is no necessity for those living in the southwest, or western portions of the city, coming downtown if they desire to go to Pasadena or any point north or west of the city. Likewise, there is no necessity of those residing in the northwest or western portions of the city driving through the Los Angeles business district if they are bound for the southwestern portion, or to the beach cities beyond.

(8.) Inexperienced drivers. We have much to learn from Europe when it comes to laws regulating traffic, and the handling of automobiles. In some European cities every man and woman who wishes to drive a car is compelled to apply, first of all, to the police department. An actual driving test is given, and if satisfactory the applicant is allowed to apply for a license. If this is granted it comes in the form of a small book containing the applicant's picture, name and identification. In addition, there are blank pages on which is recorded, from time to time, the driver's "record." If he is arrested and fined, the license shows it. And it shows every subsequent arrest and warning. By law the driver is compelled to carry the license. If he leaves it at home, on the piano, he regrets it, for any officer has the right to call for the license and inspect it at any time. The driver's record is recorded there. What the book says goes. What the driver says doesn't count.

TRUCKS A MENACE.

(9.) Heavy trucks. While there are ordinances regulating the use of heavy trucks in the downtown district, and tandem and four-horse trucks are barred from certain streets, the traffic squad continually is confronted with a big problem in seeing that the ordinances are observed. A big truck, moving slowly, always holds up traffic, and if the driver doesn't know how to handle it to the best advantage he can cause a traffic officer more grief and bunch up a greater number of automobiles, jitneys and street cars, than any other man on the thoroughfare.

(10.) Parking. Last, but not least, is the parking problem. Shoppers, quite naturally, wish to park their cars as closely as possible to the store where they are trading, but in this case, in order to save themselves a short walk, they are adding considerably to traffic congestion. In parking, where the driver has to "back in," and jockey for position, and repeat the performance when he leaves, traffic is held up until the car is in line. If a double line forms, of course, this isn't so bad, but two double lines of cars, added to two street car lines, fills the street, and congestion, accidents, loss of life and destruction of property are the result. Parking on streets where there are no street car lines, or patronizing the nearest garage, would assist materially in solving the present traffic congestion, according to the police.

LIST INCOMPLETE.

This list could be continued indefinitely. Seemingly, nature, circumstances and man have combined to make the traffic problem in Los Angeles the biggest job the city ever tackled.

In many blocks, for instance, there are no alleys. In some blocks, on the other hand, the alleys run east and west, instead of north and south, with the result that more confusion is caused, and the traffic congestion at those points made still worse, as vehicles cross the crowded sidewalks. One of these alleys is located between Fifth and Sixth streets, and every one who walks along Broadway has to stand in line as trucks or autos enter or leave the alley.

But the problem has got to be solved. And Los Angeles has got to solve it. If parking space on top of skyscrapers is necessary, with elevators to carry cars to the roof, the plan will be adopted. If basement parking space in big buildings is the only way out, Los Angeles business men will see that it is forthcoming. Both of these plans have been adopted in Chicago and New York, and they are going a long ways towards solving the problem.

But you can't squeeze a bushel of apples into a pint cup. In this case the space in the streets represents the cup and 40,000 autos and 600,000 people the bushel of apples.

STOP PARKING ON BROADWAY.

A well-known business man, who wishes to make a suggestion about traffic regulation, but is too modest to have his name used, offers the following:

"Select one street, Broadway for instance, and prohibit any parking at any time. Have an ordinance passed so that as soon as an auto has delivered its passengers the driver must go elsewhere to park. That would mean one street, the entire length of the business district, that would be free from two lines of autos, parked at either curb line. If this were done, two lines of autos could travel south and two travel north, and still leave plenty of room for the two street car lines. What we need is one street that is always open from curb to curb, so that autos passing north or south through the business district can have clear sailing.



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MOTOR BUS IS CRUX OF PROBLEM, SAYS BUTLER.

Chief of Police Believes it may be Necessary to Keep Jitneys off Broadway and Spring During Certain Hours. Department Welcomes Suggestions and is Working Day and Night to Solve Perplexing Situation.

BY JOHN L. BUTLER,
Chief of Police and Recognized Traffic Expert of the Pacific Coast.

QUICKSAND is no more shifting than traffic conditions and no more secure than a fixed traffic rule. Legislation of local application is formative and there was never a better opportunity for theorists in civic administration than now. This office receives an average of three suggestions each day for the correction of traffic evils and the solution of its problems and I am glad to get them. If there is a practicable point it is tried and no "tip" is too small to heed. Many prove ill suited to urban conditions; some are now being tried and some have been adopted.

The muddled condition of legislation in many localities and the divergence of opinions held by experts is responsible for the action at the recent State traffic conference in Sacramento; when the leaders in the meeting had stated their views it was found that agreement was impossible and the session was adjourned to meet January 8 in order that committees might sift the chaff from the wheat.

We can pass a law and carry it out to handle murder, arson or larceny and that law will stand for decades, but we cannot evolve a series of rules to govern the progress of an auto from The Times Building to Pico street without realizing its insufficiency in a few months' time. It is not a confession of weakness, indolence or stupidity; it is an indication that the automobile industry is the fastest growing in the world and engenders consequent incidental problems.

MANY PLANS CONSIDERED.

This department is now considering eliminations, such as the doing away with parking machines at the curb on busy downtown streets, the restriction of motor-bus traffic to certain streets during specified hours of congestion, the encouragement of storage garages and parks, the rerouting of street cars and such other expedients. All will work inconvenience and hardship, and the merits of each will be denied, but action along this line is demanded.

The motor bus is the crux of the congestion problem. In the shopping district, by actual count and tabulation, these vehicles form from 25 to 40 per cent. of the traffic and have been found to be a factor to the extent of 50 per cent. on Main street in certain hours of the day.

San Francisco has taken a firm stand on this question. The jitney bus is banished from Market street during certain hours of the day and I incline toward the opinion that it may be necessary to keep them off Broadway and Spring street in this city during the hours between 10 and 4.

Subways, elevated railroads and one-way traffic, I believe, are impractical in Los Angeles and would meet with too strong a protest to consider their adoption.

REROUTING OF CARS WOULD HELP.

As an example of what rerouting of street cars might accomplish: If the cars turning on and off Broadway at Seventh street were eliminated and the turn made at Spring street, it would effect a difference of sixty turnings and the coincident blocking of the stream of traffic each hour.

To a large extent, the street cars are a factor and it seems to me that the duo-terminal system is the best solution. To explain: if one terminal was built in the neighborhood of the Plaza and the other at or near Pico street, much of the downtown street-car traffic would be eliminated. The plan would be to have shuttle cars connect the two depots and the passengers pick out their home-bound cars at the terminal, using transfers. Then the half-empty cars downtown would be abolished as a shuttle car would leave whenever loaded and better time would be made by all passengers.

THIS IS BEST PLAN SO FAR.

The plan might be projected to include cars running north on Broadway and south on Spring street, looping at the terminals. That would obviate turning crews and shifting poles and is the best plan now under consideration.

As for the auto—remember, it is guided by human hands and its activities directed by human minds. It is hard to alter the human equation. Angeleno auto drivers are the best in the country and might drive free from rules were it not for the leaven of reckless pilots. The laws are made to inhibit and curb them—and to punish them, for the protection of those who have a right to the road, be they riding or afoot.

It's a Hard One.

MANY TACKLE TRAFFIC CONGESTION PROBLEM.

Scores Write Letters to "The Times" Outlining "How They Would Do It"—Pedestrians Blamed for Ignoring Officers' Signals—Even the Poor Newsie Comes in for Criticism—"It's a Big Job," Say Experts.

WITH 2000 traffic congestion solutions on file at the police station, and scores arriving at The Times office in every mail, it would seem as if the problem might be solved in a jiffy, but in spite of this assistance from the public, traffic experts still shake their heads and declare:

"It's a big job, and it will require a lot of time, thought and money to finish it."

Many of the letters received by The Times contain suggestions of value, and all of these will be considered by those having the work in hand. Some of the suggestions, of course, are impractical, and therefore of no value, but the very fact that so many are taking the time to write these letters proves how widespread is the desire for relief from the present deplorable conditions.

Some of the suggestions received, while pertaining to a serious subject, are rather humorous. For instance:

One man believes higher wages and shorter working hours in the country would attract so many people from the large cities that traffic congestion would be solved over night. He proposes that the hours be trimmed from ten to six and the wages doubled. While this might help some, it is apparent that the farmers would go into the hands of receivers in about thirty minutes.

MANY SUGGESTIONS.

The suggestions include everything from banishing the jitneys and street cars from the business district, to providing parking places on top of the sky scrapers, with elevators to handle the flivvers going up and down. A few of the interesting letters received follow:

Harry A. Lord of the Lord Motor Car Company: The solution of the traffic problem in Los Angeles is not difficult for our present needs. For the years to come we will need a broad and scientifically worked out system, formulated by a board of traffic experts, but for the present needs of Los Angeles our problem is simple—get the car lines off Broadway! Or at least those which can easily be rerouted. Los Angeles street should have all the Garvanza, South Pasadena and Pasadena lines. Then some of the Spring-street lines could be routed on Main and one or two of the Broadway lines put on Spring. Hill street is not crowded. It could stand one or two more cars taken from Broadway. If these changes were made the greatest of our downtown arteries would be almost free from street cars and the motorists' troubles on Broadway thereby lessened. The present safety zone ordinance requiring all automobiles to pass between the safety line and the curb whether a street car is on the track ahead of the auto or not, is wrong. When there is no street car ahead of the automobile the latter should be allowed to follow the car tracks across the street—keeping out of the safety zone, but not compelled to go to the right between safety line and curb. Much time could be saved and traffic would move faster if this simple change were made. If these three changes were made, I am sure there would be a decided betterment in the traffic conditions which would benefit pedestrian, railway and motorist alike.

NARROW STREETS.

Wallace O. Gates, Smith Form-a-Truck Company: In the regulation of its traffic, the city of Los Angeles has a particularly difficult problem to deal with in regard to commercial vehicles. This difficulty is increased materially because of the lack of alleys in such a large section of the downtown business area. Drivers of pleasure vehicles complain against trucks on Broadway without realizing the situation. The merchants are dependent upon this form of transportation in their delivery system. There are no alleys in the rear of their establishments. They have to unload and load in front of their stores. The trucks have to back at right angle to the curb. Passing traffic is diverted as the result and a blockade results frequently. If loading and unloading were restricted to certain hours, then hardships would arise that would be unfair to the merchants. The narrow streets must ultimately be blamed for this situation.

PARKING SPACE.

Harris M. Hanshue, Apperson dealer—In the traffic conditions existant in this city I see a constantly growing need for regulation and provision for parking. But the makers of any suitable ordinance that involves the parking question must tackle a hard proposition. When they put a short time limit on the privilege of parking a car alongside the curb in the business district they get in bad with the merchants. Motorists claim they cannot afford to stop in front of a store and leave their car to make a purchase, because they are liable to find they are under arrest upon returning to the car. On the other hand, unlimited parking privileges would tend toward constant blockades of the streets. This city is unfortunate in not having wide open areas, such as exist in most of the other large cities of the country. In Minneapolis and Detroit decorative grass plots in the streets have been opened to free parking. Some cities have adopted a plan which might be followed here. It is for the municipality to rent vacant lots wherever available in their business district and permit cars to park there. The expense to owners is only sufficiently large to cover the cost to the city for rent and guards.

NEW YORK METHOD.

Earl V. Armstrong, Chandler distributor—A movement is general in the United States to bring about uniform traffic regulations. It is claimed for this that the advantage would be appreciated by every motorist and pedestrian, no matter where he might be. I returned a few days ago from Cleveland and New York City. I had an opportunity to study traffic conditions there and they are just as big a problem as in Los Angeles. In New York City, motorists seem to drive with more speed and greater freedom from liability between crossings. There is very little foot traffic from curb to curb, except at the corners. This has enabled vehicle traffic to speed up. Two, three or, in some instances, four officers are on duty. They hold back both foot and vehicular traffic until it is the proper time to cross. Strong-arm methods are resorted to in case of an obstreperous person attempting to go contrary of instructions.

BLAMES DRIVERS.

Ralph C. Hamlin, Franklin and Scripps-Booth distributor—If all the police officers in the city of Los Angeles were on duty all the time, and each had a certain crossing assigned to him, there would not be enough to control positively the movement of motorist and pedestrian traffic. Therefore, it behooves the citizens to become instilled with sufficient pride to rise above violation of the rules. The minute's time that may be gained by running a crossing or jaywalking pedestrian until he faints does not suffice for any profit to the motorist. The auto driver may grumble because the law requires that he stop when a street car is taking on or unloading passengers. As a matter of fact, however, this stopping may prove a valuable precaution in the long run. The person boarding or departing from a car usually has his mind set on that only and is unaware of the approach of the motor car. To run him down would be an experience that the autoist could not offset by what little time he might gain if he did not take precautions.

BLAMES PEDESTRIANS.

Henry Joy, Pasadena—I have done considerable driving in the congested district of Los Angeles and from my observations I am of the opinion that if the sidewalk traffic were regulated and controlled with the street traffic that a great deal of the congestion would be eliminated, as there is a great deal of delay caused by pedestrians crossing in front of the street traffic after the officers has given the signal for traffic to proceed.

I. M. Muir—Pedestrians should keep to right at crossings and obey traffic signals the same as the motorist. Forbid crowding into the streets. Pedestrians should likewise be required to keep to the right on sidewalks. They are as congested as the streets. Curb lines of business streets should be kept free from newsboys' supply of papers, with attending array of soap boxes. This prevents pedestrians reaching curbing with freedom for quick exit from street cars and at the crossing. Let newsboys display papers against building line. Prohibit automobiles turning cars in middle of a block. Cut down speed of trucks and machines in busy section. I find the greatest lack of responsibility is shown by the pedestrian in both street crossings and sidewalks. Very few drivers are careless, but a little more courtesy at street intersections, slowing down and signaling would avoid streets intersection accidents.

U. S. TO BUILD ROAD.

Officials of the national forests of the West met recently to form tentative plans for a motor car road of 7 per cent. grade up Mount Timpanogos, near Provo, Utah, for about $30,000. The work is expected to begin in April.

COUNCILMAN IN FAVOR OF "ONE-WAY" STREETS.

BY COUNCILMAN J. S. CONWELL.

THE streets in the business district of Los Angeles are narrow. It is impossible to widen them. Therefore, in my opinion, the satisfactory way of handling the traffic problem is to use Hill, Broadway, Spring and Main as "one-way streets." I mean by this that two of these streets should be used for traffic going south, and the other two for traffic going north. Not only autos but street cars should be compelled by ordinance to do this. This would allow four lines of automobiles and two lines of street cars on one street, and the traffic congestion would cease.

In addition to this I am in favor of denying anyone the privilege of parking on these busy streets, unless there is someone in the car who can run it. This, in my opinion, is the only way of permanently solving the traffic problem.

PARK YOUR CAR ON ROOF OF TEN-STORY BUILDING.

BY A. C. ROBBINS.

FROM the symposium of ideas on traffic suggestions sought by The Times, I sincerely trust some adequate solution of this vexing problem will be found. What little I have to offer may not solve the congestion but may contribute to a general plan that will be found suitable.

In the first place, the rent cars that stand along Broadway all day long and most of the night should be denied that privilege, at least during the day time. I have counted more than 100 cars between Seventh and First streets, each one of which has a rent placard upon it. This number of cars, with sufficient clearance between them, takes up 2500 feet or nearly half a mile.

Sooner or later, we will see roof garages on the principal buildings. This is not an innovation. Chicago and New York have already adopted this idea, very much to the relief of traffic conditions in the hearts of those two cities. This plan, as well as another which provides for basement garages in big downtown buildings, has proven a stimulant to the renting of offices in centrally located office buildings. Chicago has tried this plan and it has been a source of great convenience to tenants.

Some one, same day, is coming along with the key to the traffic puzzle, which is now being a source of real annoyance to local business. It is all well and good to experiment but we should soon stop playing with traffic rules and adopt a plan that will work out to the benefit of the city.

HOW AUTO DRIVERS CAN RELIEVE THE CONGESTION.

BY J. W. R. GROGAN,
Sergeant Commanding Traffic Bureau, Los Angeles Police Department

I BELIEVE the owners and drivers of cars can do a great deal towards relieving the present congestion by observing this rule: you are in the southwest or western part of the city, and desire to drive to Pasadena or any of the towns lying north-east of Los Angeles, DON'T drive through the business district. Drive down Flower, or Figueroa, to the Third street tunnel, turn north on Hill at the end of the tunnel, go through the Hill street tunnel, turn east on Temple to Broadway and continue north through the Broadway tunnel. In this way the congested district is avoided and good, smooth streets encountered. By doing this drivers will not only avoid danger and delay themselves, but will actually be helping to solve the traffic problem for those who are compelled to drive through the downtown district.

There are other routes, also, which can safely be followed with the same result. Those going to points east of Los Angeles, say to Whittier, can avoid the downtown traffic by going east on Seventh or Eighth street to Central avenue, and then out Stephenson avenue. Still another way to assist in solving the problem, is to use Los Angeles street in going to the northeast, instead of going down Spring, Main or Broadway.

Education of the public along these lines, which can only be done through the newspapers, will have a far-reaching effect, and with another tunnel or two, perhaps a few new ordinances, and strict enforcement of the present traffic laws, will bring good results. be seen, but one thing is certain, the jitney drivers give the ordinances have been passed which prohibit them from using the streets in the downtown district. What will be done here remains to be seen, but one thing is certain, the jitney drivers give the officers more worry than any other class of motorists. By driving down the middle of the street, in order to get ahead of the line of automobiles, cutting in ahead of other cars, stopping at the wrong place to pick up passengers, and doing other things which contribute to the congestion, they are continually adding to the traffic officers burdens and making the traffic problem more difficult to solve.

BOWLING NOTES.

Play in the championship doubles bowling tournament will start at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Six fast games are on the programme and all games are free to the public.

The doubles tourney is being held under the auspices of the Southern California Bowling Alley Owners' Association and is expected to be the biggest bowling event of the year.

Five games will be bowled in each match and the team winning the largest percentage of games will be declared the winner. The members of the winning team will receive gold medals emblematic of the championship of Southern California. The six leading teams will get into the money prizes. Under the rules to get into the prize money the members of the teams must bowl in at least 75 per cent. of the games rolled and also bowl the last contest. The entrance fee for the tournament was $15 a man and that money has been turned over to the prize list.

Following are the teams entered in the tourney and the places they represent: Steele and Darrow, Palace; Turner and Mackenzie, Majestic; Fay and Schubert, Majestic; Simpson and Gilman, Santa Monica; Harris and Pratt, Grand Central; Hershey and McAleny, Pasadena; Meek and Bunn, Lyceum; Shafer and Werner, Palace; Greycheek and Shay, Broadway; Guyette and Dysinger, Grand Central; Meador and Young, Ocean Park; Phelps and Turner, Palace.

Today's schedule—Steele and Darrow vs. Turner and Mackenzie at the Palace, Fay and Schubert vs. Simpson and Gilman at the Majestic, Harris and Pratt vs. Hershey and McAleny at the Grand Central, Meek and Bunn vs. Shafer and Werner at the Lyceum, Greycheek and Shay vs. Guyette and Dysinger at the Broadway, Meador and Young vs. Phelps and Turner at Ocean Park.

Here is the way the Monday section of the Mercantile Bowling Association is slated to play tomorrow evening: Grand Centrals vs. Pacific Electric at Grand Central, L. A. Ignition Works vs. Walkovers at Palace, Peers vs. Majestic at Ocean Park, Twentieth Century Dairy Lunch vs. Del Monte Cafe at Oaks and Yale Cafe vs. Groman and Coe at the Palace.

The Tuesday section bowls as follows: King's Court vs. Johnson's Chocolates at Ocean Park, Wanderers vs. Broadways at Majestic, Pasadena Merchants vs. Majestic Bar at Pasadena, Venice Pier Restaurant vs. Tiger Cigarettes at Oaks and Christophers vs. Curtis Paving Company at Broadway.

REPAIR BILLS ARE BEING CUT DOWN.

It has been one of the sad features of the motorists' lot that in a great many engine designs, it sometimes took ten times as long to reach a certain part of the engine as it did to do the actual work of repair or replacement that was required. When labor charges run from 75 to 85 cents it often costs from $5 to $10 for the time necessary to make a 50-cent replacement.

Such things as easily-removable cylinder heads and crankcases, and the arrangement of the crankcase so that pistons and connecting rods could be dropped through the crankcase without disturbing the crankshaft bearings have gone a long way toward making such repair items as carbon removal, valve grinding, piston and connecting rod bearing repair much less laborious and expensive. Greater care also in the disposal of the accessories about the motor, such as carbureter, ignition, starting and lighting arrangements, have assisted.

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Bradford Baking Company	2	31
California Truck Co.	1	4
L. A. Ice and Cold Storage Co.	1	6
L. A. Brewing Company	2	19
San Bernardino Mountain Auto Stage Line	2	16
Union Oil Company of California	3	37

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PEERS.

HERE IS THE WAY A FEW L.A. CITIZENS VIEW THE TRAFFIC CONGESTION PROBLEM

D REGULATE JITNEY BUSSES.

The Times: One of the
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EUGENE BASSETT.

ARKING IN THE BUSY STREETS.

The Times: Employed by
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the East.
ADRIAN HORTON.
Hartford avenue.

GIVE PEDESTRIANS A CHANCE, HE SAYS.

Editor The Times: Allow street traffic to leave street by turning to the right only. A main cause of delay, confusion and danger comes from the turn to the left across both car tracks and the opposite traffic. No turning around should be allowed anywhere on street.

Look out for the foot passengers. Slow down the traffic to a point that will safeguard the foot passenger, and enough of the street traffic will disappear to make the handling of the balance easy. Too much importance is given the automobiles. The foot passengers furnish almost all the business for the stores. Owners of cars who have business on the crowded streets leave their cars at some other point, and come on foot. A very small proportion of the autoists on Broadway have any real business there. They are there for excitement and fun. Let them give others a chance. These rules apply only to congested districts.

M. L. GUNNISON,
No. 1124 Mound avenue, South Pasadena.

WANTS ELECTRICAL SIGNALING DEVICE.

Editor The Times: Your idea for a traffic edition is timely. The chief cause for traffic delay and a large number of the accidents, is the uncertainty of right of way and improper signaling.

I believe the City Council should pass an ordinance amending Section 10 of the present traffic laws and make it compulsory to have each car equipped both front and rear with some electrical or mechanical signaling device which would be approved by the Board of Police Commissioners. The device should be something uniform, easily recognized by all, with directions that could be instantly flashed by the driver to warn pedestrians and motorists, both ahead and behind, and which could be discerned as easily at night as in the day time. This I believe would go a long way toward solving the present traffic difficulty and at the same time cut down the number of accidents to a minimum.

R. C. MILLS.
No. 1141 Coronado street.

"FOR HIRE" CARS CAUSE CONGESTION.

Editor The Times: It would help some to keep the rent cars—excuse me—the for-hire cars—off the street when not actually in service; that is, forbid their parking indefinitely near all the "prominent" intersections. Not allowed to stand over twenty minutes, you say? Watch and see. Detail an observation squad, the bigger the better.

If two columns of vehicles could cross a street where parking now chokes the intersection down to one, movement throughout the down town districts would be noticeably quickened.

Detroit has just banished the parking automobile from a large area, and while from the nature of this city such action would be rather drastic here, parking between Sixth and Eighth on Broadway could be done away with to advantage; and on Sixth, Seventh and Eighth between Broadway and Spring; perhaps one or two other streets. All lines of street cars could be diverted from this point, leaving it absolutely open for vehicles. Then Los Angeles would be one of the world's models.

VINCENT SMITH.
No. 4554 West Washington street.

EVERYONE SHOULD OBEY THE SIGNALS.

Editor The Times: Above all, the traffic officer should have absolute reign at the street intersection and all pedestrian, as well as vehicle, traffic should move upon his signal. To obviate danger to pedestrians or blockade to automobiles and street cars, pedestrians should only be permitted to cross the street according to the traffic officer's signal at that time, and not run across at random, which not only hinders traffic greatly, but is very dangerous.

Pedestrians crossing the streets in the middle of the block or diagonally at the intersections is a source of great annoyance and hindrance to vehicle traffic and should therefore be discontinued.

Automobiles, or, in fact, all vehicles, should, by no means, be permitted to turn in the middle of the block, as it invariably causes a blockade, especially for the street cars and has been the cause of many serious accidents.

Automobiles stopping in the safety zone at street intersections should leave a space of at least five feet to the machine or vehicle ahead, thus allowing pedestrians to move quickly and safely between street cars and the sidewalk.

The above suggestions strictly adhered to will undoubtedly prove "Safety First" to all.

LOU MAYER,
City Engineer's Office.

ASSOCIATION TO HOLD MEETING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—President Thomas A. Chivington of the American Association, issued a call tonight for the annual meeting to be held in Indianapolis, Ind., December 8.

The chief question before the club owners is the election of a president. There is reported to be opposition to the re-election of Mr. Chivington and, although he will be a candidate to succeed himself, he said, he would not fight for the office.

Norris L. "Tip" O'Neill, former president of the Western League, and Thomas Hickey of St. Paul, have been suggested as probable candidates for the presidency. Hickey was the first president of the association.

ONE-WAY STREET PLAN SUITS HIM.

Editor The Times: Your proposed traffic number will be interesting. It will provoke answers from cranks, speed bugs, and real students of traffic. Classify mine as you like after reading it. Have been a supporting member of automobile club for six and one-half years and owned cars when all serial numbers read around No. 2000. Also wrote the first published every-day-English synopsis of the first traffic ordinance, when our "finest" commenced in January, 1911, to make all downtown neurasthenic with their whistle blasts.

The matter has been developing splendidly ever since. The whistles were discarded and Anthony's lines put in—also red lines marked for fire plug locations. The little intersection plates or "iron cops" are admirable. The stopping behind street cars on wide streets is detestable. The following are my three main ideals.

(1.) The big merchants notwithstanding, try the one-way-street idea. All jitneys and street cars going north on Main, to come south on Spring. None to go north on Spring. Pair Broadway and Hill the same way, at least as far as jitneys are concerned.

(2.) Station an extra officer, at Sixth and Broadway between 4:00 and 6:30, one with power to arbitrarily turn every third south-bound automobile, east or west at the driver's option, avoiding Seventh and Broadway. During two weeks of Christmas shopping, forbid even momentary parking on Sixth between Main and Hill during the afternoon.

(3.) The safety zones are permanent but there is no logic in going to the right of the sign if there is no street car on the zone at that moment. Going to the right at all times, converts traffic into a funnel again. Very respectfully,

RALPH A. CHASE.

FIRST-STREET CUT IS HIS SOLUTION.

Editor The Times: A thoroughfare on First street through the hill, not less than eighty feet wide, would reduce the congestion on Broadway very materially, at the same time holding the business at the north end. The proposed Second-street tunnel can have but little, if any, effect on it, as it will be too narrow. Besides, present conditions at the west end on Figueroa and Second streets show they have about all the traffic they can now carry, and the tunnel would only increase it, as anyone by observation can see. As for business on Broadway, it would only benefit that south of Second, as the trend of business is south, but an opening on First street will benefit everything south of it, for the same reason that the trend is south. We have no objection to the Second-street bore, but the benefit to the public will be so small, compared to the cost, that this alone will be disappointing.

Respectfully submitted,
J. M. SNODGRASS.

HE NEVER DRIVES DOWN BROADWARY.

Editor The Times: I would suggest as a remedy for the congestion of traffic on Broadway, that The Times start a campaign of education against the selfishness of auto owners who go there when it is not absolutely necessary. I have not taken my auto through Broadway for two years. When I go downtown I leave it at Ninth or Tenth street and walk into town. Parking should be prohibited in the congested district.

A TIMES READER.

Why Not?

NY BUSINESS MEN NOW USING ELECTRICS.

VER before in the history
of electric-powered automo-
iles has its worth as a car
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during the past few
ays W. G. Anderson, pres-
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makers of the Detroit
Mr. Anderson makes this
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every use," said Mr. An-
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r was looked upon as an
automobile for a woman only and as one which she could use in city driving alone. Eventually man came to ride in the electric and immediately was converted to its comfort, flexibility and ease of operation.

"Only a short time ago when you mentioned to a man the possibility of his driving an electric car he would laugh, saying that what he wanted was a car with a large touring radius and unlimited speed and mileage. Today the Detroit electric, with its eighty to ninety miles upon a single charge, and its speeds up to twenty-five miles per hour, meets 98 per cent. of the trips anyone wishes to make. Men are using Detroit Electric for business. They drive miles from their country homes to their offices every day and seem to thoroughly enjoy this modern type of motoring."

OD EFFECTS OF AUTO SHOW TILL APPARENT ON AUTO ROW

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The interest created in the
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n-Whitford Company, dis-
in this territory for the
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demand. Sales have made
ary the last week to em-
one demonstration car un-
shipment arrives.
onderful power of the
-Stillman motor, with
the car is equipped, and
been demonstrated on the most severe hills in and around Los Angeles, has elicited many exclamations of surprise, said Turner.

Another feature that appeals to the prospective purchaser, is the light weight of the car. The fact that the seven-passenger touring car weighs but 3265 pounds, when many cars of the eight-cylinder type carry far more weight, means reduced gasoline charges.

This week the Turner-Whitford Company moves into its new quarters on South Figueroa street. In every detail the equipment will be down-to-the-minute, particularly in the shop department.

UNTING NOTES.

grand total of 1230 deer
the Los Angeles adminis-
district, the buck census just
by the Fish and Game
on for 1916 finds that Kern
led by a large margin, with
reported. Santa Barbara,
was next; Ventura third,
Los Angeles contributed
Bernardino 60; Inyo 54;
45; San Diego 35; Orange
15. This does not bear out
scarcity of deer reported
of the unsuccessful who re-
without the venison, and
sidestep the obvious ex-
of their failure by laying it
ng else than going to the
wrong place, or errors in hunting or shooting.

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Ranger Mendenhall has complained against two hunters who invaded the Angeles forest reserve last week, and if the offense is proved a stiff fine will be the outcome.

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Antelope Valley newspapers are realizing the value of their game as an attraction, and the important part the sporting plays in exploiting it, an invitation being extended recently to hunters to try it for themselves, and then acquire lands for ponds.

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Another year will see Los Angeles duck shooters traveling farther for their sport than they thus far have been accustomed, being somewhat spoiled by the "backyard duck shooting" of the Ballona and Bixby districts, easily reached in half an hour from business. In the nature of things around a city of half a million, these things must pass, and the wonder is that some have held on so long as they have. Limit duck shooting is still to be had under these conditions, but the club area is narrowed materially by the advance in the price of lands so near town.

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Closing trout fishing was excellent in the Sespe, Little Bear Lake and most of the other rainbow strongholds, excepting the upper Bear Lake, where snow and ice prevail, and the fish are retired for the winter apparently. Quite a few are learning to celebrate the closing of the fish and game seasons as well as the opening.

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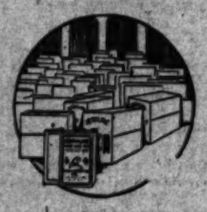
A Riverside Japanese, S. Marnyama, recently caught a 10½-pound trout, 27½ inches long, in Little Bear Lake. It must have been a deep fish, deper and thicker than they average there.

EEN DIE ON GRIDIRON.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CAGO, Dec. 2.—Foot-
claimed fifteen lives dur-
the 1916 season, which
with Thanksgiving Day
according to figures
ed by the Associated
day. Last year the to-
was sixteen, and in 1914
were fifteen deaths.
officials identified
sport declare that not
death occurred in any
in which the players
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Standard Oil at $3.85

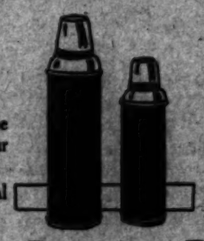


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—You can save money by buying your Auto supplies in our Auto Supply section—Basement Balcony.

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—All are first quality tires with serial number intact.



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—Those with nickel plated corrugated case are $1.75 for the pint size and $2.75 for the quart size.
—Nickel plated with extra heavy case $3 for the pint size and $3 for the quart size.

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—Genuine cowhide cases, single pint size $2.75 and $3.75 for double pint size. Single quart case $3.75. Double quart $6.
—Black enamel Duck cases, Pints $1.25; double pints $1.75; quart cases $1.50; and double quarts $2.25.

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Special Reliners

—Oftimes a new reliner may mean 1000 miles extra out of an old casing.

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30x3½	at	$1.35	33x4	at	$1.95
32x3½	at	$1.35	34x4	at	$1.95
			35x4½	at	$2.45

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—We are exclusive agents for Motor Weave Woolen Auto Robes, $6.75.

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—Almost any kind you could wish for will be found in our complete line, and there are scores of times when an Ever-Ready Flashlight is in demand.
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—Fountain pen style, $1.
—Tubular case, nickel plated, $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75.
—Fiber covered tubular case, $1, $1.25 and $1.40.
—Miners' style, tubular case, nickel plated, $2.00 and $2.60.
—Fiber covered, $1.50 and $1.75.
—Prices quoted are for flashlights complete with Batteries.
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—For the Golf Player, for the boy who plays football, for any young man who enjoys red-blooded live sports there are any number of things that will be practical for Christmas gifts. This sporting goods section is fairly teeming with opportunities.
—Side by side with the Auto supplies, come to the Basement Balcony and check off any number on your list.



Bicycles Make Acceptable Gifts

—Either the boy or girl would appreciate owning a bicycle to take a long country trip or do errands for mother. Because our bicycles were purchased months ago you have the advantage of the saving.
—Boys' Bicycles $23.50 to $26.50 and up to $37.50.
—Girls' Bicycles $26.50 to $30.

Baseball Goods

—Fielders' Gloves, 25c to $5.
—Catchers' Mitts, 50c to $8.
—Basemen's Mitts, 50c to $5.
—Baseball Bats, 15c to $1.
—Baseballs, 5c to $1.25.
—Indoor Baseball Bats, 25c and 35c.
—Indoor baseballs, 25c, 45c, 50c, $1.00.

Footballs, $1 to $3.50

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One of the unsuspected uses of the automobile is that of wet nurse to "bottle babies." This story comes right off the bat from R. L. Cleveland, superintendent of the Moon Motor Car Company.

"Take it from me," said Mr. Cleveland, "a good Moon auto has a house and lot beaten forty ways when it comes to furnishing all the comforts of home.

"My wife and I were taking a spin out in the country a few days ago, and had the baby along, of course. The youngster is a bottle baby, and we carried his milk in a thermos bottle.

"But we had a bad bit of road to pass over, and in the middle of the stretch, that blamed thermos bottle hit against something hard, and smashed. The baby's dinner was leaking all over the car.

"Well, I stopped and mopped out the tonneau; and the next little country store we passed I bought a fresh bottle of milk. But the wife put up a holler:

"'I can't ever give the baby that cold milk!' she said. 'It'll make him sick just as sure as I do.'

"I was about to turn around and come home. But just that minute I thought of something.

I raced the motor for a few minutes; and then took a tin can and drew some hot water through the petcock on the radiator, and set the milk bottle in the can and in three minutes the baby was pulling away for dear life on a bottle of milk as properly warmed as it could have been in a furnished flat.

"You can't leave the Moon car—no matter what you start!"

Union Boat Club of Boston will erect a clubhouse on the Boston side of the Charles River, opposite the Weld Boat Club.

California State Championship won with the

DUNLOP GOLF BALL

AT DEL MONTE, Mr. Lawrence Cowing of the Los Angeles Country Club, using a Dunlop "21," captured the State honors. Dunlops are preferred by experts everywhere because of their remarkable distance and accuracy.

Why don't you try DUNLOP "22" or "21"?

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Charles Brickley has signed to coach Boston College football team for two more years. The college has had a successful season guided by the ex-Harvard captain and star this season.

West Point polo teams may engage in a series of matches between officers and cadets as well as other army squads, starting December 1, and concluding March 10, 1917.

Four Cylinder Performance



This is the four-cylinder car that has astonished motordom with its marvelous performance.

This question of cylinders comes right back to performance, after all.

On that score, the Hupmobile is equal to the best motor car manufactured.

This is a statement of fact. It is the essence of what has been proved, time and time again, in demonstration everywhere.

The Hupmobile is the *perfected four.* Hupmobile engineers have achieved, with a simple, four-cylinder motor, all that the Hupmobile ever could accomplish, no matter how many cylinders it had.

The Hupp Motor Car Corporation base the manufacture of the Hupmobile upon the theory that if four cylinders will do all that any automobile owner and driver wants it to do, why build an engine with more cylinders?

Simple, isn't it?

If you will permit us to demonstrate a Hupmobile for you, we will leave the answer—so far as performance is concerned—entirely to you.

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Twelfth and Flower



Speaking of speed demons:

Well, here's one, but he won't admit. Dr. J. H. D. Budau of Sierra Park, and his wife, who are shown above in their twin-six Packard, here to New York in less than six days—five days and nineteen hours, to be exact. This, of course, was their actual running time, as at each stop, and really took sixteen days to make the trip. And the doctor says he wasn't hurrying, either. That may be true, but want to ride with him if he started out to really smash records.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MAN, ON PLEASURE TRIP, DRIVES TO NEW YORK IN SIX DAY

LOS ANGELES to New York in ten days on the road, and a total running time, which, if it had been made in continuous running, would have been a trifle over five days and nineteen hours, was the remarkable cross-country record set by Dr. J. H. D. Budau of Sierra Park this season. Dr. and Mrs. Budau returned to Los Angeles for the winter a few days ago and brought back record of their remarkably fast trip.

"We did not really make up our minds to make it a fast trip until our third day out," declared Dr. Budau last week. "We took two days to go to Needles, but on the third day, when we reached Kingman, we decided we would try a little speed.

"We took a side trip to the Grand Canyon of two days, were held up four days by rain at North Platte, Neb., and spent two days in Detroit. It was just sixteen days, all told, from the time we left Los Angeles until we reached New York.

"Our stay at North Platte was our only enforced stop. Nebraska roads are crowned rather steeply, and they are of a black adobe mud that a hard rain turns to a soft-soap consistency. It is simply impossible to stay on the crown of those Nebraska roads when it is raining, even with chains all around.

"We had a very pleasant stay at North Platte, however, and the first day after leaving there drove 439 miles, which was our longest day's run. We drove from Detroit to Buffalo, N. Y., also in a single day, which was one of our largest day's journeys.

"The whole secret of making fast time across the continent lies in having a car in which you can make fast time with comfort over rough roads. Such a great percentage of the cross-country road is rough that unless you can make fast time over the mountain and desert roads it is impossible to make up for it on the smooth going. We slowed up, in fact, when we reached the good going in the Eastern States.

"With our Packard however, we were able to average of over 300 miles and were never greatly [illegible]."

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USE BIG "QUAD" AS LOCOMOTIVE.

Country-wide attention has centered upon the way in which Hanlon & Oakes, big contractors of Minneapolis and Sioux City, made their fleet of Jeffery quads take care of the problem of long, heavy hauls on large paving and road-building operations.

While building five miles of concrete highway just outside of Sioux City, Hanlon & Oakes put one of these Jeffery quads in service some time ago and the truck's rugged power, its almost uncanny ability to perform under conditions impossible to rear-driven vehicles, has made it stand out in their work away above trucks of other makes.

Instead of using it for ordinary purposes they used it as a locomotive, working from twelve to fourteen hours every day, Sundays included, towing twelve steel side dump Koppel trucks on a narrow-gauge railway, and each of these trailer trucks was loaded with a yard and a half of stone and sand.

For six weeks this firm kept this quad busy on this job and on the last mile it supplied every bit of materials unaided and kept from forty to fifty men, many wheel barrows and a huge steam mixer busy every second of the day.

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Goods shipped to all points C.O.D. Money refunded on goods returned intact within one week.

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30x3½	8.95	2.10	2.35
31x3½	9.45	2.15	2.40
32x3½	9.95	2.25	2.45
34x3½	10.95	2.30	2.55
36x3½	12.05	2.40	2.75
30x4	13.20	2.80	3.10
31x4	13.85	2.85	3.20
32x4	14.05	2.95	3.30
33x4	14.70	3.10	3.40
34x4	14.95	3.15	3.50
35x4	15.65	3.20	3.60
36x4	15.85	3.30	3.70
34x4½	20.25	3.85	4.30
35x4½	20.85	3.95	4.35
36x4½	21.25	4.10	4.50
37x4½	21.90	4.15	4.60
35x5	23.65	4.70	5.20
36x5	23.95	4.90	5.35
37x5	24.90	4.95	5.45

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HONESTY IS ALWAYS THE BEST POLICY, SAYS LEA

SO MUCH has been said and written of the quality of motor cars that one often neglects the stability and reliability of the concern behind the advertised product.

M. A. Leach of the Leach Motor Car Company, distributors of the Dort and the King, says that every buyer should know something of the company that manufactures the car.

"We would have little regard for a dealer who would willfully take on a line of cars without first investigating the company behind them, and it is just as important for the owner to be sure that not only the dealer, but the manufacturer will stand behind his product," he said.

"One of the greatest compliments of recent years to the manufacturers of automobiles was that paid the Dort Motor Car Company by C. T. Silver, the largest merchandiser of automobiles in America.

"After a thorough search and painstaking investigation of all the producers of light cars and their product, Silver selected the Dort, and as proof of his convictions per cent. merchandiser is fifty carloads of Dort He attributes the success of ness to honesty in every and many of his policies with those of the Dort Company, have found their to my own local organiz and I have endeavored to salesman in the fundamental principle of salesmanship, that ing confidence.

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BETTER STEEL THAN KRUPP BRAND MADE IN AMERI

THE Peerless Motor Car Corporation has added another example to the long list of scientific triumphs of America, forced by war conditions. Prior to the war the springs on the Peerless motor cars were all of Krupp steel, made at the famous factory at Essen, Germany. As is well known to owners of high-class cars, Peerless always had the reputation of never have a spring break.

Soon after the opening of the war all stocks of Krupp steel in America was exhausted. Of coures, it was absolutely impossible to obtain a renewal of supplies. Foreseeing this condition, as soon as the war broke out, the Peerless factory put its best experts in its world-renowned metallurgical laboratory at work on the proposition of developing a new springs. They had to devise and heat treatment which make a steel that would last longer combined with resilience absolute lack of brittleness built up the reputation of less springs of Krupp steel liability.

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FILM STAR CAUTIOUS; USES NON-SKID TI

A NEW tread on Norwalk tires made its appearance in Los Angeles this week, the Los Angeles Saddlery Finding Company having received a limited shipment. Only about a dozen Norwalk tires with this new tread have been received so far, and the person who has the distinction of purchasing the first of these new tires is J. Warren Kerrigan, the film star. He has just had his new Packard twin six fully equipped with Norwalks, and they are attracting an immense amount of attention about town.

The new tread is said to have more nonskid efficiency than even the regular Norwalk tread.

The tread is raised quite high in the center, much on the same order as a rib tread, and circular bars, which have a tendency to tion spaces, are sides of the casing.

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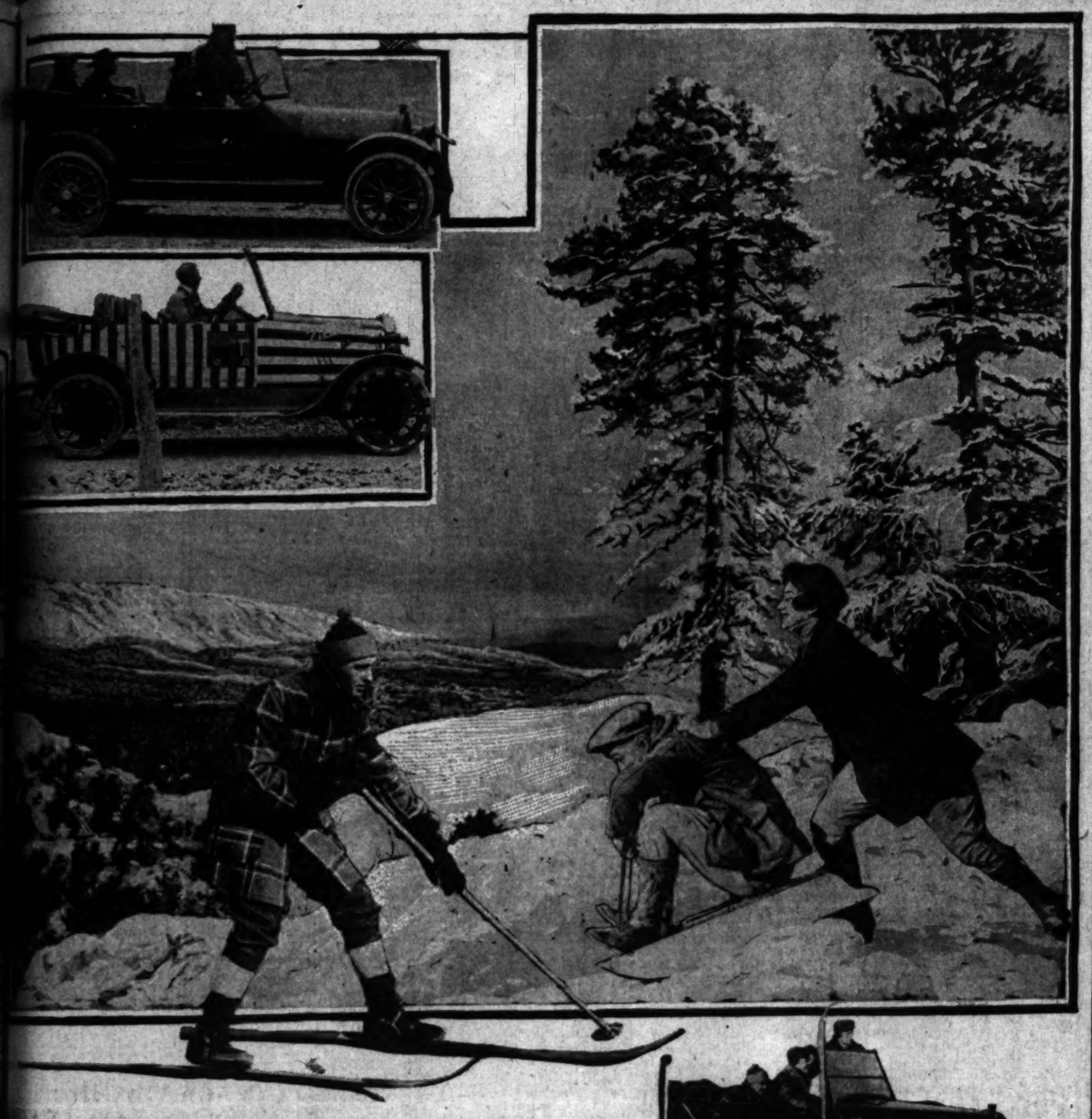
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ion of Parker, who is a civil engineer and who has given a great deal of attention to road work, that the road can be kept open by an outlay during the winter months not to exceed $1000 per month.

This estimate also includes a certain amount of improvement work to be carried on as the weather permits. Not until the valley is reached, or rather its southern confines where the ridge is topped coming in from the desert, is there any impediment to traffic presented by snow.

BAD ROADS IN SPRING.

In the spring after the snow has thawed, there are several stretches between Big Bear and Baldwin lakes—say about 600 or 700 yards—that always require treatment from the road gang. The surface water from the melting snow turns the road into deep quagmires and there is one stretch of about 300 yards where it is always undermined.

Rock ballast and ditching will obviate such difficulty and nature has provided the rock in suitable size, quantity and conveniently located. On what is known as the Johnson Slide, near Baldwin Lake, there are tons of thousands of tons of rock that has been projected down the mountainside. With the building of chutes at small expense this rock can be loaded onto trucks drawn by tractors or caterpillars and hauled in a few minutes' time to the bad places.

SMALL EXPENSE.

The clearing of the road into the valley as well as the roads that tread their way under the pines and about the camps, can be done at small cost it is estimated. An offer has already been made to do this work for a figure that seems very small. The same offer also includes the running of trucks over the roads to keep them in first class condition for automobiles or wagon travel.

For that matter, after the road has been cleared by one or more snow plows, there will be enough automobile travel to keep it open throughout the winter, save for snow fall periods, when the plows can be brought into service.

During the past two years, it is conservatively estimated that more than $125,000 has been expended in buildings and improvements in Bear Valley. Cabins and lodges, some inexpensive and others costing as much as $12,000, have been built there. Individual water service, carrying pure mountain spring water into the valley, has been completed. Stores have been opened and garages constructed.

PLANS WINTER RESORT.

Last summer thousands made their way there and during the warm summer months, as many as thirty auto stages were engaged in carrying passengers to and from the camp. Besides there were hundreds who made the trip in their own cars or as guests of those who owned cars.

It is argued by those who enjoy the invigorating sports of winter and who would inject "pep" into their systems, that the keeping open of a small stretch of road into the valley should not stand as a barrier against the enjoyment.

In the opinion of one prominent hotel manager of Los Angeles, the advertising of a winter resort located within a few hours run of this city by automobile, would be a feature that would add more fame to the Southland.

"When you can tell your guests that they can ride through the orange groves over our boulevards and then mount the heights to a sheltered valley, where under the giant pines they can have a few days winter sport, you are going to make some hit, believe me" he said. And those who heard him agreed with him.

Said one who heard him: "If that road is open this winter, I'll have a midwinter picnic in Bear Valley—say for a week end. Be some class to that. What?"

The road by the desert is a delightful ride during the winter. The air is balmy, even warm during the middle of the day, and the ascent into the valley is gradual. There is no time that the grade is more than 17 per cent. and this stretch is but a small pull. The grades on the Mill Creek and Crest routes are as high as 21 per cent., with many a hairpin turn.

Again, those who have ridden through the desert know what an appeal it possesses. With its varying light and shade, its solitude and its magnificent distances, the lure it offers is a powerful one. Those with an appreciation of nature in her varying moods are not given to conversation amidst such environment. They succumb to the mood as exemplified by the silent stretches and drink their fill in silence. (Another jolt and there's no telling where we'll stop).

WINTER SPORTS.

All the sports of winter may be enjoyed in Bear Valley. The hills offer ample opportunity for tobogganing and skiing, not mentioning the good old bob sled. Under the sun, the snow solidifies and presents an excellent surface for this class of sport. There is opportunity galore for skating and snowshoeing.

Those who love hunting may hike over the hills on snowshoes in search of wild cats and other predatory animals. There is a ban on killing large game.

Imagine the valley at nightfall, with lights shining from the windows of the cabins and the snow blanketing the branches of the giant pines. Fires blaze in the fireplaces and the horns of approaching autos, with guests for the week end honk through the forest stillness.

Conjure before your mind's eye, the happy greetings that welcome the newcomers as they emerge from their coverings and make their way to the snug cabins where all manner of cheer awaits them.

And there is the dance that closes the day (there are two closed dancing pavilions in Bear Valley and more than one cabin will accommodate dancing parties,) with the sport of tomorrow to come.

A few days in the valley in the winter puts just the amount of "pep" into the system that it demands and one returns to the grind with an amount of ambition that carries one along—until another trip can be figured out.



It's just cold enough here to make your blood tingle.

This is a little peep at a small portion of the Bear Valley, where Los Angeles citizens may have an opportunity of renewing their acquaintance with old Jack Frost during the winter months. The man with the skiing equipment is ready for a speedy slide, a jump and a whirl through space. The old-time sleigh-riding party is having a good time on one of the many hills. The autos shown here are the KisselKar hundred point six, the Hudson super-six and the sturdy little Briscoe "zebra."

Otis Lockhart says—
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"Hawley, King & Co. Est. 1882.—Buy your car from a firm you know is reliable and be sure of good service."

"The car has been driven 5300 miles to date and in that distance has given entire satisfaction. The power is always ample and is rarely taxed to the limit. Mileage on gas runs thirteen and one-half to fourteen. The original tires are still running and are in good condition."

(Signed)

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Economical, light on tires, plenty of power always. These cars are making good for every owner.

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CONDITIONS GOOD IN ACCESSORY LINE.

According to W. G. Chansler of Chansler & Lyons, automobile accessory dealers, who has just returned from Oklahoma, business conditions in the Middle West and the Southwest are better than he has ever known them to be. Chansler stopped over in this city while returning to his headquarters in San Francisco.

"The automobile accessory houses report a wonderful increase in business throughout all that region, I have learned. Of course, that means that many are buying cars, which fact spells business success. In spite of a certain amount of crop failures, due to drouth, Oklahoma and Kansas are rolling in money."

P. H. Lyon, junior member of the firm, is making a trip in the Northwest, visiting the branch houses of the Chansler & Lyon string, the greatest in the accessory line on the Pacific Coast.

PHONE COMPANY INDORSES TRUCK.

In the construction department of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company there is a great amount of emergency work, and cars to stand up under the strain must be constructed as near perfect as possible.

Autocars have been used by this company for years and there has never been a time that the Autocar has not met every requirement made upon it, according to Division Superintendent E. A. Irish in a recent communication to M. S. Bulkley & Co., distributors in the Los Angeles territory for the Autocar.

The big nine or western college cross-country run will be held at Purdue's course, LaFayette, Ind., November 25. The eastern intercollegiate classics will be held over the New Haven course the same day.

UNIVERSITY BOYS BACK FROM AUTO TRIP TO NEW YORK CITY

THE two University of Southern California sophomores who started the cross country intercollegiate touring fad this season have returned from the trip that carried them from this city to New York and back in their Chevrolet. L. L. St. John and Ray Watkins were the men of the Trojan ranks who turned the trick.

No records were set on the ride, but some very interesting data concerning roads and other items that go to make up either a good trip or a bad one were obtained.

Leaving Los Angeles, the students followed the Old Trails road to Salt Lake, then picked up the Lincoln Highway. All went along swimmingly until the Middle Western States were reached—then it was one long mud bath after another.

In Wyoming, the going was not so severe, as the roads through the bad lands are pretty hard, but when the highway ran into Nebraska and Kansas trouble in large gobs was their portion.

St. John says that he has bucked many a line, while playing football, but if any of the coaches could develop a defense that would hold like the mud in these two States he would be a wonder, and he now understands the reason for the high-class of defensive football that is played in the Middle West.

Conditions savoring of mud held until the road ran into Illinois, then matters mended for the better. There is something unique about the middle western mud, it not only clings better than any other type of mud, but when it does begin to fly from the spinning wheels it can get into any crack, no matter how small.

The boys were forced to deflate their tires in order to get traction and keep the car from "sinking." Even at that the "Varsity" Chevrolet pulled all the tough places in second and a lot of it in high gear.

Manager D. L. Bolton of the Chevrolet Sales Company arranged the route for the boys and sent the word out ahead of them, so that they were greeted at all the larger cities by Chevrolet owners and dealers. In the East the trip was given a great deal of notice, as it was the first of its kind in motor history.

St. John and Watkins deserve a great deal of credit for making the trip, as it was put through from coast to coast without any mechanical adjustments and only a few minor tire troubles. As has been stated before, no record time was made, as the boys were out to see the country, get over the ground at minimum expense and really have an experience.

One of the best features of the trip was the fact that the U.S.C. students went from Los Angeles to New York without asking any questions as to direction. They were well supplied with maps before they left this city and the remainder of the necessary information was gleaned from the sign posts along the road. Both have risen up and called the Goodrich company blessed on account of the signs placed by that company along the highways and the other roads.

Next year St. John is planning to drive his Chevrolet overland from Seattle to Boston, then from Boston to New Orleans and from there back to Los Angeles via the southern route. When he has done this, there should be but little left to learn about the various transcontinental roads.

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—A useful and handy gift for autoist, sportaman or householder! Every size of the famous Eveready lamps is in our stock—and you can procure new batteries at any time. Prices $1.00 to $3.50.

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—A vulcanizer that will give satisfaction every time! It insures a lasting repair to your inner tube—quick and easy to operate; it cures with steam—70c.

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—An all-steel bumper of unusual strength and durability; easily and quickly installed—$7.50.



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—Lubricate the springs of your auto—put an end to the squeaks and creaks. G.L.W. spring oilers work while you ride—they lubricate your springs automatically; they'll last a lifetime.

Xmas! Clocks—
—$2.50 to $10.00
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OLD TIRES STILL GOOD; SAVES MONEY.

Having just returned from an extensive trip through the northern part of the State, including the Yosemite Valley, D. W. Simpson drove his Cadillac eight down to the B. F. Wade Tire and Rubber Company's office this week to have his tires examined before starting on another long trip to Imperial Valley and other Southern California points.

The car had been equipped with Dayton pneumatic tires all around and because of the hard work they had been called on to perform throughout the trip it was thought best to pull them off and put new ones on.

However, after a careful examination Mr. Wade said the tires showed very little wear and that they were in excellent condition to start on another long trip.

"On trips not so hard as this one," says Mr. Wade, "many motorists will tear a tire all to pieces, simply because they let the air pressure get low and run the tire soft."

PRICE OF TRUCK IS TO BE HIGHER.

There is to be an advance in the price of Riker trucks after December 1, according to advices received from the factory at Bridgeport by T. E. Swayne, local manager for the Locomobile Company of America. Scarcity of labor and the increased cost of raw material are given as the reasons for the advance.

Information from the factory is to the effect that there are almost daily desertions from the ranks of employees in the automobile factories to the munition plants. The last-named class of industries, in an effort to keep pace with the demands made upon them, are constantly offering higher wages, it is claimed, to skilled mechanics.



She's happy for she has a new Auburn.

Mrs. Fred C. Adams, wife of the cashier and assistant treasurer of the General Petroleum Company, is strong for the Auburn. She says it fits her needs and right now, accompanied by her husband, she is enjoying a trip in the mountains. But Mrs. Adams drives the car and insists on that. Mr. Adams formerly was the champion tennis player of the Pacific Coast.

CHINA OFFERS MARKET FOR CARS MADE IN AMERICA.

AMERICAN cars are in demand in those parts of China peopled by Americans and Europeans, according to a resident of Shanghai, who has written to his friend, Dr. S. S. Cooper, of Los Angeles.

The Shanghai resident informed Dr. Cooper that the war has practically stopped the export of European cars and tha the field in China and probably in Russia, was now open, more than before, to American-made cars.

The Marmon, said the man in Shanghai, had greatly impressed him as the car that he wanted, and he resquested that Dr. Cooper put him in touch with the Marmon distributor in Los Angeles, in order that he might get data that he was in search of.

"There is no question but what the American manufacturers of automobiles will go after the business that is awaiting them in the Orient," said Al G. Faulkner, distributor in Los Angeles territory for the Marmon. "Of course, the war has changed many things. Cars that are being made abroad are mainly used for army purposes and I understand there is but little exporting of machines by the nations involved.

"American-made cars are better made and can be sold cheaper than the foreign article, and I look to see the United States become the dominant factor in the automobile industry not only in the Orient, but in all other lands."

Benny Kauff, the ex-Federal League slugger who played center field for the Giants last season, although he batted only .264, was considerable help to McGraw's team as he cracked out nine home runs, fifteen three-baggers and twenty-two two-baggers.

Only two of the world's champion Boston Red Sox team are under contract, Shore and Ruth, who were signed to two-year contracts a year ago.

Millions for Roads.

GOV. CANTU PICTURED AS EMPIRE BUILD

THAT the automobile field will be greatly enlarged through the progressive methods of Gov. E. Cantu of Lower California, is the declaration of J. D. Reavis of Calexico, who last week secured from the Bekins-Spoers Motor Company, the agency for the Haynes automobiles in the Imperial Valley.

The headquarters for Reavis's agency will be in Calexico, with branches at El Centro and Brawley. Reavis, by the way, is largely interested in development enterprises in the Imperial Valley and contiguous sections.

The Imperial Valley agent states that he has known this car for years. Before taking the agency for such an extensive field, however, he made an exhaustive investigation of the working of the Haynes under the most trying conditions.

ATTENDS AUTO SHOW.

He was an almost daily visitor at the last automobile show; he went to San Francisco to see what the Haynes would do on the hills and on the cobblestones, and to top off his investigations, he asked that a Haynes give a demonstration in the sandy bed of the Los Angeles River.

"Almost any car with partially-deflated tires will go through sand," said Reavis. "But the car will stand up with tires fully inflated through an exhaustive sand test that I want. The Haynes stood the test to my complete satisfaction."

Reavis has a personal acquaintance with Gov. E. Cantu of Lower California, and Reavis declares that the Mexican official is working in such a manner for the advancement of his State and his people that he has won the admiration of the people of the Imperial Valley as well as all who know him. The agent says, is a progressive executive, and road and empire builder.

BUILDING ROADS.

At an approximate cost of two millions of dollars the Governor is building 300 miles of road from Calexico to Ensenada. Cotton, cattle and mines are being taxed to help the construction bills. At present the road is about 25 per cent completed, and it is estimated that it will be finished in about one and one-half years' time. Laterals are being built to make outlying districts tributary to the main road.

"Commercially, this road is going to work wonders for Lower California," said Reavis. "It will be an artery for the carrying of commerce that will make possible the development of the country. There is already a good deal of auto stage lines, and the traffic is bound to grow bigger."

The Imperial Valley agent has already placed an order for a car for consignment of Haynes cars to meet the immediate demands in his section, stated the Bekins-Spoers Motor Company. distributors for the Haynes in the Los Angeles territory.

NEW CLOSED CAR TO ENTER

Entering the field of the Empire Motor Sales announces a most attractive type to be ready for delivery in a very few days. The addition to the Empire line is a popular convertible design, arranged so that it may be closed for winter use, but with windows easily and quickly removable for summer use.

The body itself is a beautiful piece of coach work of distinctive appearance, with but two doors on each side about midway the car. These entrances give admission direct to the rear seats, while the parlor type individual chairs are reached by means of the aisle between.

In interior appointments it is exquisite with upholstering of soft and black bedford cord. The interior lights are afforded by two lights in center of top and one at each side of the rear window, in addition to the dash lamps.

Noteworthy conveniences are two cellarettes, or smoking compartments, behind the front seat cushions. Because of the weight this sedan body is mounted on a six-cylinder chassis, with 130-inch wheel base, exceptional roominess is afforded.

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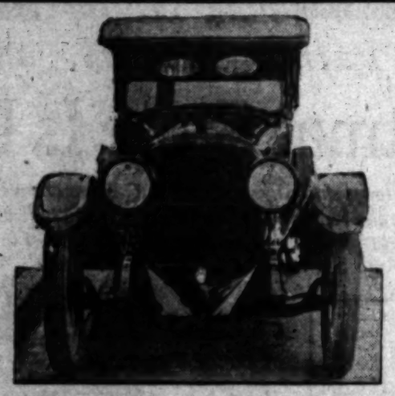
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34x4	13.00	14.30	3.15
35x4	13.25	14.57	3.25
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A nifty Liberty shopping brougham.

The Pacific Motor Corporation, after great effort, obtained two of these luxurious broughams for Southern California, and are now displaying them at their showroom on Flower street. The body represents some of the highest class of coach work seen on this Coast in this type of car. It is beautifully finished with a most exquisite and pleasing upholstering, which adds a touch of luxury and comfort seldom found in the light inclosed cars. The appointments include a telephone to the driver connected up with the electric system. This is not a speaking tube. There is an elegant morocco case containing card cases, mirrors and various dainty little vanities for the comfort and convenience of milady. The inside handles on the doors and windows are all ivory trimmed with German silver. There is a most convenient compartment for small articles, dancing shoes, etc., which is artistically hidden from view. Five passengers can be comfortably accommodated as there are two clever disappearing Pullman seats in addition to the deep luxuriously upholstered tonneau. The whole make-up of this little car expresses its name, "The Doll Carriage," given it by its many admirers. The two cars received are finished in a Liberty gray, more commonly known as sage-brush gray; the upper half of the cab, the fenders, lamps and radiator are black. This combination of colors presents one of the most pleasing effects yet shown to the Los Angeles critics, and has been pronounced by them as one of the most serviceable color schemes yet offered for general town use.

Thrilling Trip.

ALL CAPITALS CAR IN SNOW.

Blizzards Encountered in Wyoming.

Water Bags Freeze and Oil "Gets Thick."

Plucky Party, However, Goes on its Way.

Passing from the sublime, sunny days of California into the bleak, storm-swept stretches of Wyoming, where it was lost for days in blizzards on roads hitherto unknown to automobilists, the "All States - All Capitals" Hupmobile arrived at Phoenix, Ariz., last Monday, without mishap to the car itself, but after terrible exposure to the occupants. Although but little over 300 miles from Los Angeles and more than a fortnight on the road from this city, it would seem that the progress of the party had been interminably slow. A long time is accounted for, however, by the fact that the route lay via Carson City, Salt Lake, Cheyenne, Denver and Albuquerque, then, by a long semi-return trip to Phoenix, before proceeding east. This, coupled with the terrible storms in Wyoming, explains the time spent to accomplish so apparently a short distance.

The brave little party reached Salt Lake without difficulty, although a snowstorm was in progress. The increasing inclement weather kept them in the Mormon capital for three days. A let-up in the snowfall permitted them to leave Utah, when they plunged into one of the most difficult stretches of the entire tour. They went over the Rockies in the wake of a blizzard, through roads that were unknown and dangerous mountain passes. No sooner had they crossed what they considered the worst reaches than the storm began again with redoubled fury and they were penned up three more days at Rawlins, Wyo.

TRAIL BLOCKED.

On the fourth day, and by dint of much shoveling, they reached Laramie, from which city they headed for Hermosa, there finding the trail—for it is little more than a trail—to Cheyenne completely blocked. Salisbury, driving the automobile, spent several days attempting to map out another course by way of Fort Logan. By an enterprising untraveled cross-mountain route they finally negotiated a route and after arriving at the capital of Wyoming they laid up for recuperation before starting south.

From Cheyenne they meandered slowly, through violent winds and blinding snows, toward Denver. Little serious difficulty impeded their progress from Denver, as they came again into clearer weather and without further delay reached Phoenix last Monday evening. Phoenix is the thirty-fifth capital visited by the intrepid Hupmobile party. From that point their longest intercapital run commenced, over 400 miles to Austin, where they expect to arrive some time early this coming week.

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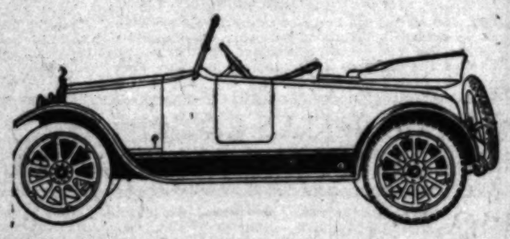
Nights spent in miners' cabins and days in following slippery trails on the edges of half-mile deep canyons, furnished thrills that will never be forgotten. The performance of the Hupmobile, according to driver Salisbury, has been phenomenal. Upon one of the worst days, with a head wind blowing a gale, the party passed car after car pulled up because of overheating. The Hupmobile motor gave no trouble at all and the ten gallons of water that the boys carried for emergency use were given away, a gallon at a time, to help out the "stalled" ones. On the other hand, one morning found the water in their water bags frozen solid and the oil in the crank case as thick as cup grease from the cold. Even at this, no difficulty was experienced in starting.

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C. C. Patterson, who was manager of the party, when it arrived in Los Angeles, October 28, remained with the car until it reached Denver. At that point he returned to begin writing the book that shall tell the wonderful story of the 25,000-mile tour over roads not even mapped in tour books. Upon his arrival at Detroit he was informed of his promotion from the advertising to the publicity department, of which he is now the manager.

Pennsylvania will hold the intercollegiate swimming championship events in the Weightman gymnasium pool, March 2, 1917.

Ex-champion Alfred De Oro will oppose George W. Moore for the three-cushion billiard crown in New York, December 9, or a few days later. Moore originally won the trophy in the Chicago tourney, March, 1915. Moore defended it against De Oro, but lost to Huey of Chicago, who forfeited to De Oro. The Cuban defended it against August Kieckhefer and Lloyd Javna, but lost to Charles Ellis of Pittsburgh, who after defending it against Pierre Maupome lost to Charles McCourt, who in turn lost to Heal, who was beaten by Moore.



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KEEN INTEREST SHOWN IN EVERY NEW MODEL.

BY R. D. MAXWELL,
Branch Manager Studebaker Corporation.

THE interest displayed by the general public in the plans of automobile manufacturers relative to new models is a source of much wonder. Automobile news now vies for favor with the telegraph news and happenings of purely local interest. And one reason for this, perhaps, is because the public is more motor-wise than ever. A goodly portion of these readers of automobile announcements may not be immediately concerned in the purchase of a car, but their interest seems to indicate that the day is not far off when every man, with what may be considered a comfortable income, will be the possessor of a motor car.

Studebaker announcements have always been milestones in the progress of the industry, and each year has found the news of a new Studebaker filled with significance to the motor car buying public. This manufacturer's position in the automobile world is a rather unique one, and certainly a difficult one for any maker of fine cars to maintain so persistently. And because Studebaker has given so much real, tangible, dollar-for-dollar value in cars, in the past, the public has come to look forward to something startling with each successive announcement.

When Studebaker brought out the Series 17 models for 1916, it proved that quantity production, scientific manufacturing methods, and a wealth of manufacturing experience could reduce prices and yet maintain high standards of quality. And now, in the Series 18 cars just announced, Studebaker once more startles the motoring public and lives up to all expectations.

Because of the refinements and improvements in the Series 18 cars, resulting in smoother running, more comfort and greater convenience, these cars stand out pre-eminently as the leaders of all Studebaker models yet produced.

It's Safe.

STEAM TO BE USED IN CLEANING ALL MOTORS.

ONE of the features of the equipment of the new quarters of Lynn C. Buxton, local distributor for the Stearns-Knight, will be the cleaning of motors with steam instead of with distillate. After December 15, the Los Angeles home of the Stearns-Knight will be located at Twelfth and Figueroa streets.

It is claimed for the steam method that it not only leaves the motor in a much better condition than when cleaned with distillate, but also eliminates the fire hazard.

The new Buxton plant now nearing completion will be equipped with the latest machinery and appliances for the repairing of cars. The salesroom where the Stearns-Knight models are to be shown and the offices will have been treated in an artistic manner and will have every convenience and comfort almost to the point of luxury, when the preparation for the opening day has been completed.

"The great increase in our business has made necessary the move. We require bigger quarters," said Buxton.

Havana, Cuba, is without league baseball this season because there is no ball ground available, the Almendares Park having given way to improvements.

Established in 1852—64 Years Of Business Success

Studebaker "The Car of the Golden Chassis"

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THE NEW SERIES 18 CARS

With Seven New and Exclusive Features

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STUDEBAKER NEW SERIES 18 CARS, with seven new, special and exclusive improvements are FINE CARS, warranted by us to completely satisfy the most particular and fastidious persons. We believe these cars represent the greatest automobile values ever offered to the buying public, and that persons accustomed to paying $2000 or $3000 for cars will, upon examination, concede that these Studebakers equal ANY such cars in quality of material, design, workmanship and finish, and also concede the truth of our statement that THE DAY OF HIGH PRICES FOR FINE CARS HAS PASSED.

Studebaker has centered its great resources and experience on ONE BASIC DESIGN, with all parts interchangeable for both the FOUR and SIX, except the motor. One equipment of machinery, tools, character of manufacturing operations and quality of material suffices for both models.

No revolutionary changes have been made in the basic Studebaker design for four years. The same group of EMINENT ENGINEERS AND DESIGNERS are responsible for the evolution of the new Series 18 models, yet the many improvements and refinements adopted as the result of our experience have made these new models decidedly the best cars we have ever produced. They are sold with our guarantee of prompt and efficient service and the replacement without charge for defective parts, if any are developed, within one year from date of sale. We guarantee our cars to give absolute satisfaction, provided they receive the care a highly developed piece of machinery should receive.

The Series 18 cars are leaders in the industry, history makers, which put Studebaker in the lead with new and greater values at popular prices. Studebaker has led the way in nearly every forward step in automobile construction in which the owner profited. STUDEBAKER WAS THE FIRST

—to produce a six-cylinder car selling for less than $2000;

—to produce a 50 horse power car selling for less than $2000;

—to produce a seven-passenger car selling for less than $1000;

—to establish a uniform, international service system for owners;

—to produce the now popular crown fenders;

—and, finally, Studebaker was the first manufacturer of FINE CARS to offer its product at medium prices, thus leading the way to greater values and compelling other manufacturers to increase values and reduce prices.

Studebaker has $13,000,000 invested in the most efficient and modern plants in which it manufactures all of its engines, axles, transmissions, differentials, bodies and tops. Middlemen's profits (parts makers) included in the price of assembled cars and small manufacturers' cars are almost entirely eliminated in Studebaker selling prices. It is necessary to pay from 50% to 100% more than Studebaker prices for cars of corresponding value.

Seven New Improvements and Additions

GUN-METAL FINISH. Original, rich and exclusive finish of deep lustre and permanency, applied in TWENTY-FIVE OPERATIONS. No finer finish is possible than that of the Series 18 Cars. A permanent body finish depends largely on the slow and careful building up of the different coats of color and varnish—the Studebaker way. Fenders and aprons are rich, black enamel.

NEW AUXILIARY CHAIRS. Arm chairs, original and exclusive with Studebaker, patent applied for. These large, roomy and comfortable chairs fold up and slide under rear seat when not in use. They dispense with the unsightly recesses in the tonneau floor and with slit carpets, commonly used in other cars. When these chairs are underneath the back seat the Studebaker is a roomy, beautiful FIVE-PASSENGER CAR—instead of the regular seven-passenger car.

REVERSIBLE FRONT SEAT. Original and exclusive with Studebaker, the front passenger seat is reversible so that passenger can sit facing tonneau or facing forward. Both front seats are covered with leather, have large and handsome robe strap, and are adjustable to all leg lengths. No more comfortable seats are found in any car, regardless of price.

NEW STORM CURTAINS. Of the recent Blackmore design and patent, opening with the doors and thereby preventing crouching and crushed hats. Studebaker, we believe, is the first maker to offer this improvement as standard equipment.

IMPROVED BODY AND UPHOLSTERY. The body is elegantly finished and equipped—inside and out. The handsome foot rail, wide scuff plates, wide doors, handsome door trim, carpeting, etc., all demonstrate quality and refinement. The upholstery is semi-glazed, straight-grained, genuine leather, made to special Studebaker forms, with the best curled hair and long coiled springs. Tonneau carpet all wool, bound with leather instead of cheap, raveling thread-stitch. The top is made of the finest grade silk mohair, bound with leather edging, a feature found on few cars at any price. The body materials, upholstery and workmanship of Studebaker cars are unsurpassed, and the interior finish and detail of the bodies are LUXURIOUS and COMFORTABLE.

YALE SWITCH LOCK. Of pin tumbler type, Studebaker design, insuring convenient and safe protection against theft or unauthorized use of the car.

NEW WINTER TOP made exclusively for Studebaker cars. Noiseless. Quickly and easily put on or taken off, and fitting perfectly.

Mechanical Improvements

Improvements have been made in the Series 18 Motor, insuring greater smoothness, flexibility, quietness and economy. All noticeable vibration has been eliminated by superior piston design and the stiffening of the motor frame.

The Studebaker-Schebler carburetion system has been developed so that both the FOUR and SIX are the most ECONOMICAL motors on the market in ratio to power.

Studebaker lubrication has been further improved. The system is positive and eliminates all lubrication troubles. Waste through the exhaust is overcome and practically no surplus oil reaches the combustion chamber to burn and form carbon.

The chassis frame is the same strong light construction which has characterized all Studebaker cars. The perfection of our chassis design is convincingly proven by satisfaction given in over 285,000 Studebakers produced and sold.

The full-floating rear axle construction remains the same in principle as heretofore, but has been further improved and strengthened. This type of axle is used by practically all leading manufacturers, thereby proving its mechanical superiority.

The best quality of steel and alloy is used throughout. Every gear is of CHROME NICKEL STEEL, specially cut by Studebaker.

In the differential, which has four bevel gears, Timken bearings are used throughout. Only eleven of the three hundred different cars on the market use as many Timken bearings as Studebaker, and the average price of these cars is $2,000.

The Wagner Lighting and Starting System is individual to Studebaker cars and has been further improved by increasing the cranking power 12%.

The Willard Storage Battery is absolute assurance against ignition, lighting and starting failure. Studebaker uses a 100 AMPERE hour battery.

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The Six-Cylinder Car Still Remains a 7-Passenger 50 Horse Power Car

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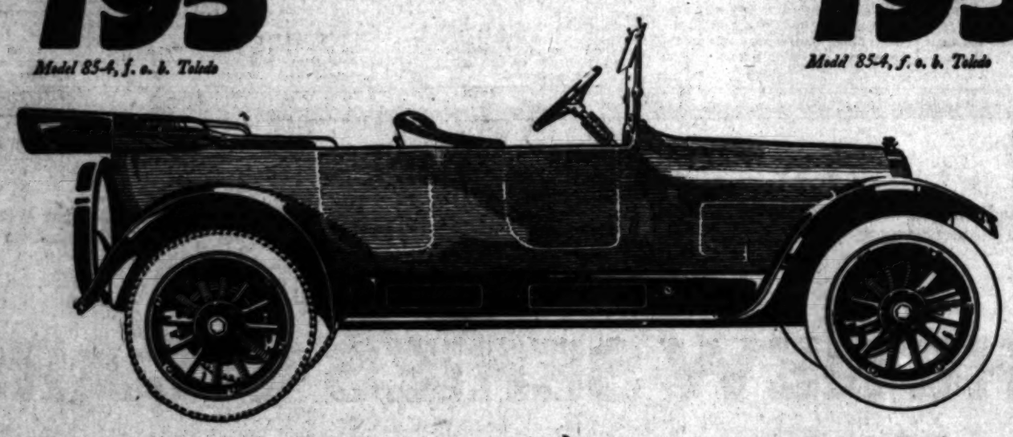
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SIX Touring Car	1180
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Everybody knows its quality—it has the 35 horsepower Overland motor, made famous by the praise of over a quarter million Overland owners.

It is a great big car for the price, 112-inch wheelbase, big, broad, wide, deep seats and plenty of leg room.

Long 48-inch cantilever springs make it the easiest riding car in its class.

The $925 Overland Six and the smaller four at $635 show to the same advantage in a quality price comparison with other cars.

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WHO'S WHO IN THE AUTO WORLD.

BY A. C. ROBBINS,
Of the Greer-Robbins Company.

MUGH CHALMERS was born in Dayton, O., October 3, 1873. After an education in the public schools he began his business career at the age of 14 as office boy for the Dayton sales branch of the National Cash Register Company. While so employed he attended business college in Dayton. From the position of office boy Mr. Chalmers rose successively to office salesman at the age of 18, to sales agent at the age of 20, to district sales manager for Ohio at 24. In this position, after ten years' service with the National Cash Register Company, he had twenty-four sales agents and salesmen under his management. At 25 he was taken into the N. C. R. factory to be assistant sales manager. At the age of 29 he became vice-president and general manager. This position he held until 1907.

In 1907 he entered the automobile industry. While eminently equipped as a manufacturer and sales manager, Mr. Chalmers had no automobile experience. He had, however, an idea, and that idea was to manufacture a high quality automobile to sell at a medium price. At that time the E. R. Thomas-Detroit Motor Company was making considerable progress in public favor with the Thomas-Detroit car. Mr. Chalmers's idea was to build a companion car—one that was a real automobile, but smaller in size—to sell for less. He entered the Thomas-Detroit company, and in 1908 the first Chalmers car was produced. The name of the company was changed to the Chalmers-Detroit Motor Company.

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Those who are associated with Mr. Chalmers (and the word "associated" is used advisedly for he is one who remains long with Mr. Chalmers ever works for him,) attribute the great success of the Chalmers Company in a great measure to Mr. Chalmers's own initiative and business ability. His product has been sold purely on quality basis, and it is no exaggeration to say that Mr. Chalmers was the first car in the so-called medium price class which was sold on the basis of quality and not price. Mr. Chalmers is an aggressive manufacturer. Modern ideas have always prevailed in the Chalmers factory, and it is generally knowledged by automobile experts to be today one of the best equipped and up-to-the-minute plants in the country.

Mr. Chalmers has about him one of the important positions of the company, men who work with him in perfect harmony. There is a strong order of precedence in the Chalmers company; it is real teamwork. There is only one boss in the Chalmers plant—to build the Chalmers cars the best they can be built for the money and to sell those that are built.



Hugh Chalmers.

This man started his business career as an office boy. Then, in quick succession, he became a salesman, a district sales manager, and finally president and general manager of the Chalmers company. Employees of the company do not work "for" him, they work "with" him.

plant, on which it is expected building operations will begin next year, is regarded as one of the most advantageously situated in Detroit. Its western boundary is the junction of the Michigan Central Railroad main line with the Lake Shore division of the New York Central. The former is the southern boundary of the property, with the latter as the northern boundary, with the tracks of the Grand Trunk a few feet beyond. The Wabash and the Pere Marquette are only a short distance to the west, which assures proximity to the Pennsylvania also that road enters Detroit over the Pere Marquette lines. In the matter of shipping facilities the site is said to be without equal in Detroit.

"The land is said to have cost approximately $750,000. The plant, not including equipment, will, it is estimated, represent an investment in the neighborhood of $2,000,000. It probably will give employment to 10,000 or 12,000 persons.

"The main advantage of the Cadillac Motor Car Company will be the acquisition of facilities adequate to handle its growing business by the grouping of its various departments in one great plant. At present its main plant is at some distance from its foundries, its sheet metal divisions and its body-building plant. Since the Cadillac company produces nearly all parts of its cars and builds, finishes and trims the bodies, etc., the consolidation of its operations will tend to increase the efficiency of an institution already recognized for its efficiency."

DARIO RESTA'S RECORDS ARE PARTLY DUE TO TIRES USED.

"GOODRICH Silvertown tires carried Dario Resta into the championship, and the cash reward that goes with it, as well as a large amount of first-place money in the various races he captured," said a Goodrich representative yesterday.

"In fact, 80 per cent. of the money-winning places during the 1916 races were taken by cars with Silvertown equipment, all other makes of tires combined taking 20 per cent. of the prize money positions.

"Silvertowns have played an even more prominent part in the races this year than even this fact indicates. Out of thirty-four actual races, not including hill-climbs or county-fair events, Silvertowns have won twenty-nine, but five races having been won by any other tires.

"Eighteen track records in competition have been established on Silvertown tires—which does not include records made in elimination trials, and noncompetitive spurts for two or three laps. Three competitive records have been set up by cars which were not Silvertown-equipped.

"As an explanation of this long string of victories, it is only necessary to state than 106 Silvertown equipped cars have gone through races this season without changing a tire. But sixteen cars with tires other than Silvertowns have shown this same immunity from tire trouble.

SOME INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT NEW RACE RECORDS.

C. J. "DOC" CADWELL of the Miller Manufacturing Company, who has been closely identified with the national auto racing game during the past ten years, contributes the following:

"One of the leading motor publications publishes a chronological creport in the November number, giving complete data concerning all the Vanderbilt and Grand Prix races of the past ten years. It is interesting to note that although the Vanderbilt and Grand Prix world records were broken in the recent Santa Monica events, the winning machines were equipped with motors of less than half the piston displacement of those used in all the previous races. It is also interesting to note that only three tire changes were made during the entire Grand Prix race. I consider this a wonderful record, because the average speed was better than eighty-five miles an hour.

"These things prove that light motors, with light reciprocating parts, have the highest speed, and have come to stay. I am also convinced that racing has been responsible for the wonderful development of the stock car of today. Stock cars have showed up wonderfully during the past year. Another thing which closely identifies Los Angeles with the racing game is the fact that Harry A. Miller is the man who invented, manufactures, and is responsible for the Miller carburetor—the pot that has won more races during the past year than all other carburetors combined. In fact, Resta, Aitken and Rickenbacher, who won the Goodrich and Bosch trophies, as the three big champions of the season, used the Miller carburetor exclusively. Ninety-five per cent. of all the other racing drivers also use this instrument."

TRUCK REPLACES MULE IN MEXICO

Concerning the strenuous service and freedom from breakdowns which may be expected from a well-constructed motor truck, J. J. Corcoran, sales manager of the Four Wheel Commercial Auto Company, distributors of White trucks, made the following report this week:

"When the American military forces dashed into the Mexican wilderness early this year in an effort to capture Pancho Villa and break up the reign of border bandits," said Mr. Canavan, "their sensational advance, far beyond the usual radius of operations from a military base was made possible by the use of motor trucks in bringing up supplies from the rear. What the camel does in the Sahara, the llama in the Andean Mountains, the burro in Mexico, and the mule in the past was accomplished by White trucks. The fleets with this expedition. The much honored army mule was beaten, but not banished; beaten in the hardest test ever imposed in army transport service. And although no military forces ever before attempted to use motor trucks under such severe conditions, it is almost certain that no similar expedition will ever be made without them."

Bates College running track is being widened to twenty feet and extended so as to make a 220-yard straightaway. It is the intention to invite the New England Intercollegiate Association to hold its annual track and field meet on Garcelon Field next May.

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—Guns $5 to $200.
—Gun Cases $1 to $30.
—Shell Case $5 to $10.
—Cleaning Rod 50c to $1.
—Hunting Knives $1 to $5.
—Coats $3 to $6.
—Game Bags 75c to $4.
—Duck Straps 75c to $2.
—Leather Boots $9 to $14.
—Puttees $3 to $15.

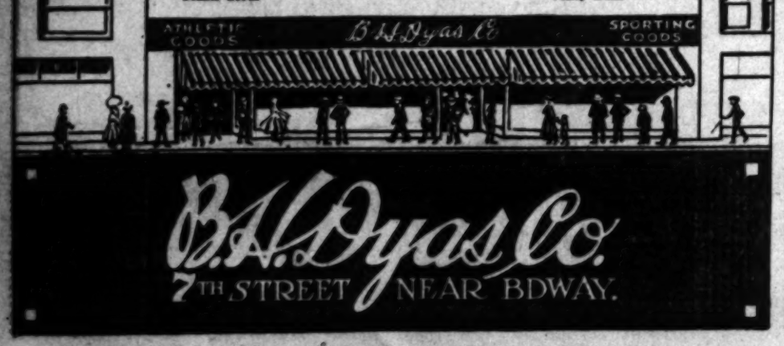
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WATTS TO HAVE ATHLETIC CLUB.

The boxing circuit has been extended to include Watts, and the Columbia Athletic Club will stage its first bouts in that town on December 14. William Huddy, the organizer of the club, has not yet announced his opening card, but has a number of good men lined up for the six bouts which will be staged, including a rattling good main event. Huddy has several local sportsmen associated with him in the new organization. About the first of the year he will begin the erection of a baseball park adjoining the club, which will be used by teams from Long Beach, Compton and other places near by.

FOG PREVENTS AIR EXCURSION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 2.—Aviator Herbert Munter is awaiting the signal to start from the Lake Union hangar in an effort to set a new military non-stop flight record for the Pacific Northwest in the first aeroplane manufactured here.

"My orders are to take the aeroplane up and fly to Tacoma and other cities on salt water," said Munter today, "with Portland as the possible objective."

The flight was set originally for today, but the fog and impending rain prevented it.

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NEW CADILLAC HOME WILL COST MILLIONS.

DON LEE, California distributor for the Cadillac, received word last week that the Cadillac Motor Car Company will start work at once on a new factory to cost $2,000,000.

"When completed the plant will be one of the largest and without question the most modern in the world," said Mr. Lee.

"Fifty acres of land have been purchased for the new buildings. When completed all the department of the Cadillac company will be housed in this new plant.

"While the present Cadillac factory is recognized throughout the automobile industry as being the finest-equipped motor-car plant in the world, the company's business has outgrown present facilities. It also is desirable to concentrate all operations of production in one plant.

"The site of the proposed new



A record shipment of starting batteries.

What is claimed to be the largest shipment of starting batteries ever received in Los Angeles, arrived this week for the Western Auto Electric Company. The shipment was made up of 550 Willard starting batteries, and as the picture shows, it required a fleet of four big trucks to deliver them. The shipment filled a big box car.

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"The main advantage of the Cadillac Motor Car Company will be the acquisition of facilities adequate to handle its growing business and the grouping of its various departments in one great plant. At present its main plant is at some distance from its foundries, its sheet-metal divisions and its body-building plant. Since the Cadillac company produces nearly all parts of its cars and builds, finishes and trims the bodies, etc., the centralization of its operations will tend to increase the efficiency of an institution already recognized for high efficiency."

TRUCK REPLACES MULE IN MEXICO.

Concerning the strenuous duty and freedom from breakdowns which may be expected from a well-constructed motor truck, J. J. Canavan, sales manager of the Pioneer Commercial Auto Company, distributors of White trucks, made the following report this week:

"When the American cavalry forces dashed into the Mexican wilderness early this year in an effort to capture Pancho Villa and break up the reign of border bandits," said Mr. Canavan, "their sensational advance, far beyond the usual radius of operations from a military base, was made possible by the use of motor trucks in bringing up supplies from the rear. What the camel does in the Sahara, the llama in the Andean Mountains, the burro in Mexico, and the mule in the army, was accomplished by White trucks. fleets with this expedition. The time-honored army mule was beaten, if not banished; beaten in the hardest test ever imposed in army transport service. And although no military forces ever before attempted to use motor trucks under such existing conditions, it is almost certain that no similar expedition will ever start without them."

Bates College running track is being widened to twenty feet and extended so as to make a 220-yard straightaway. It is the intention to invite the New England Intercollegiate Association to hold its annual track and field meet on Garcelon Field next May.



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received in Los Angeles, arrived last made up of 550 Willard starting bat- to deliver them. The shipment filled

CHECKERS.

Latest Gossip.

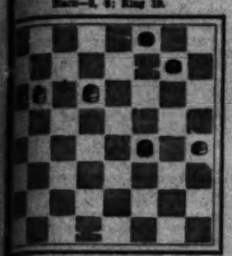
NOTES AND PROBLEMS.

PUBLICATIONS IN THE REALM OF CHECKERS.

By John Dougherty.

CHECKER HEADQUARTERS, No. [illegible] Hill. All chess and checker matter to [illegible]. For further information [illegible] address, D. E. Byers, at the [illegible] all communications intended for this [illegible] should be addressed to John Dougherty, [illegible] Los Angeles.

PROBLEM NO. 93. (Selected.)
By J. R. Truman.
Black—3, 6; King 19.



White—20; Kings 9, 19.
Black to play and draw.

PROBLEM NO. 94. (Selected.)
By C. J. Crosswood.
Black—8, 10; Kings 4, 28.



White—16, 17, 18; King 22.
White to play and win.

SOLUTIONS TO PROBLEMS.

PROBLEM NO. 91.
By W. W. Randall.

Black	White
4—11	22—18
8—15	18—11
12—19	11—8
15—22	8—4
19—26	4—8
22—29	8—12
26—31	12—16
31—27	16—20
27—24	20—16
24—19	16—12
19—15	12—8
15—10	8—3
10—6	3—7
6—2	7—11
2—7	11—16
7—3	16—20
3—8	20—24
8—12	24—28
12—16	28—32
16—20	32—28
20—24	28—32
24—28	32—28
28—32	Draws.

1—11-7, 14-18 block wins.

PROBLEM NO. 92.
By W. F. Ashore.

Black	White
14—18	21—14
11—18	23—14
10—15	14—10
15—22	10—6
22—25	6—2
25—29	2—6
29—25	6—10
25—22	10—15
22—18	15—19
18—14	19—23
14—9	23—27
9—5	27—31
5—1	31—26
1—5	26—30
5—9	30—26
9—13	26—22
13—17	22—18
17—21	18—14
21—25	14—9
25—29	9—5
29—25	5—1
25—22	1—5
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For the first time in thirteen years the Greer-Robbins Co. will begin a Clearance sale of its entire stock of

Used Automobiles

This is a real sale. The prices of all used cars have been cut to the bone. Reductions range from 10% to 50%. Every car has been subjected to the most rigid analysis and a price quoted upon it that has absolutely no reference to its worth. The idea has been to name a price in each case that will move the car without too big a loss to the company. Every well-known car is included in the sale. Absolutely nothing is withheld. The earliest purchasers will get the best bargains. The sale will continue for one week, beginning

Sunday Morning, Dec. 3

Each and every car has been carefully examined. Some have been completely overhauled. Others have been repainted. Still others look like brand new. There are latest models—some 1917 cars. There are roadsters, touring cars, sedans, stripped cars and automobiles of every type and description.

Here Are Some of the Specials

STUDEBAKER, 7-passenger, formerly priced at $400	Now $300
BUICK 31, 5-passenger; was priced at $400	Now $300
1914 MARION, 5-passenger; was $550	Now $425
TRUMBULL SPEEDSTER, 1916; was $850	Now $250
OVERLAND, 5-passenger. Reduced from $350	Now $250
MASTER SIX CHALMERS. Was $850	Now $650
HUPMOBILE, Model N. Was $1000	Now $825
CADILLAC, 1910. Demi-Limousine. Was $275	Now $175
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Chauffeur who Tries to Sell Costly Auto at Low Price and Suffers Arrest on Suspicion Gets Released When Other Machine is Found.

After being arrested by Deputy Sheriffs Wright and Strong on advice from Oakland, Russell Fraser, suspected of stealing the car which he was trying to sell at a low figure in Los Angeles, was released yesterday afternoon. The machine in his possession was a car of costly make and when he tried to dispose of it for $350 to a garage man inquiry into his action resulted in a report from Oakland that his description tallied with a man who had driven away a car of similar make without getting the owner's consent.

Mr. Fraser is a chauffeur and operates a stage line from San Jose to Oakland. He maintained steadfastly that the car was his own property; that he was financially embarrassed and had a right to sell for any price, and that he was innocent of the charge. The Oakland authorities wired that the car they had been seeking had been found and that consequently it could not be the machine in possession of Mr. Fraser, who was turned loose.

FOR LONG SERVICE.

A complimentary dinner was tendered J. S. Launderville by the executive and sales force of the Pease Bros. Furniture Company upon his retirement, from the sales force of that company after nine years of service, to engage in the undertaking business for himself at No. 1430 South Main street, last night in the banquet-room at Jahnke's Tavern. Sherman Pease was toastmaster.

FOR CHARITABLE WORK.

The Los Angeles Relief Club will give a benefit dance at the Sierra Madre Club ballroom, on the top floor of the L. A. Investment Building, Eighth and Broadway, Tuesday night. The Relief Club is a charitable institution that has helped hundreds of needy in the past, and the profits of the coming affair will be used to continue the good work. Among the patronesses are: Mrs. Davison Deusch, Mrs. Elsie Dauly, Mrs. Frank Sisteries, Mrs. Jeanette Moffat, Mrs. Willis Mitchel, Mrs. Paul Ridley, Mrs. Holmes Lottimer, Mrs. Frank Blinn, Mrs. Matthew Morrill, Mrs. Georgia McKay, Mrs. D. Montague, Mrs. Thatcher Marvin, Mrs. Henry Ballagh and Mrs. D. Underwood.

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FOOTBALL IS MOVING WEST.

Big Three Lose Supremacy on Gridiron.

Open Game is Responsible for Change.

Pollard Unable to Keep Feet in Mud.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

Shades and shadows of Poe, Butterworth, Coy and Shevlin! How the mighty have fallen, faded and flopped.

And it seems so short a time since Yale, Harvard and Princeton reserved the divine right to rule the football universe.

There was a time when beating one of these institutions would have been regarded in the same class as spitting into the eye of a sacred image. Not only was it hard to do in the old beefy days, but the smaller teams went onto the field with their knees rattling like castanets, awed by the reputations of their adversaries and in the full knowledge that nature had selected them for a chopping block.

To go beyond the confines of the "big three," in quest of material for the All-American team, was considered in the light of sacrilege and not according to Hoyle or Camp. It was an unwritten law that no perfectly good and sound athlete could grow up and exist outside of the exclusive circle.

But the open play has made all colleges free and equal, and the secondary or "bush" colleges have at last come into their own. One of the easiest things that they do is to gird their loins, don their head gears and knock the spots off the one-time behemoths. Blending the blue of Yale and the crimson of Harvard into a common hue that is not unlike the color of mud, has become a popular outdoor pastime.

Reading some of the scores of today must be sufficient to make DeWitt, Terry, Tad Jones and other mildewed heroes of the past turn over in their figurative football graves.

The sway of Yale, Harvard and Princeton was for many years logical. The American game, which is merely a revision of the original Rugby, was cradled on the Atlantic seaboard, and these colleges were among its first exponents. They were supreme in their chosen profession. Later, however, the game westward took its course. Pennsylvania with Hare, McCracken and other bone-breakers in their battle tops cried hoarsely for recognition, and Harvard at times wondered why it ever had consented to rub wishbones with a lot of low-browed coal miners. Michigan emerged from the deep and trackless forest with a chip on its shoulder and Heston in the back field. Yale, Harvard and Princeton looked over their schedulist and found that they didn't have a speaking acquaintance with anybody by the name of Heston. Way out on this edge of the country, California and Stanford produced a few teams which looked good enough to play some of the best eastern teams off the gridiron and into the bleachers.

History shows that the "big three," with new and vigorous teams being whelped all over the map, had no cinch retaining their supremacy under the slaughter-house system of play, and whatever superiority Yale or other big universities may have retained when beef was the essence of successful football, was doomed to disappear with the advent of open play.

The only thing that prevented the Yale bulldog from being mistaken for a dachshund was its belated stand in the game with Harvard, while the Princeton Tiger has on numerous occasions found that between its rear legs is a most satisfactory resting place for its once stiff, upper caudal appendage. The forward pass and other subtle devices have proven great levellers of pride and prestige.

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The season closes without a bona fide country-wide champion having been established. However, this is not unusual, for it is a question whether in the last decade any eleven has proven to the satisfaction of all concerned, that it was the best team in the business. In fact, considering the scope of the game, and the innumerable teams involved, it is a physical, as well as a geographical impossibility to decide the title with the same degree of clearness as in baseball, track, boxing and other lines of sports.

Furthermore, the best team in football not infrequently falls to win, luck and the "breaks" having probably a greater influence on the ebb and flow of human events in football than in any other sport. Then again a really great team may lose some of its minor games because perfecting a certain system of play to use against some particular rival of its own class, and have been developed along this line impotent to combat the system of some weaker eleven.

The situation in the East is at present to pieces. Pittsburgh, one of the vulgarity new colleges, claims the title, as does the Army. Each would have put in an equally good claim but for its defeat by Colgate. Brown numbers a long list of victims, and its double-barreled victory over Yale and Harvard stamped the Providence team as the peer of any nation. The Pirates, while having a remarkable record, did not tackle the bigger game of the East, and they all looked alike to Brown. The path of the Providence players was all cluttered up with high-class victims, and until they went down in the mud before Colgate, they had not been defeated, and seemingly had their goal line been within the feet of mortal man.

But for that turkey day meeting, Brown probably would have had the most honest claim to the championship. Now, by virtue of its victory over Brown, Colgate has a counter-claim, which is somewhat weakened by that college's defeat by Yale.

It is the history of football that nearly every great team is found to have around some outstanding figure, who excells in some particular department, such as speed, line plunging or kicking, or who towers above all around ability. This would seem to be true of Brown. The Providence team is a great performer on a cold, but a poor "mudder." It went down to defeat before Washington State at Pasadena last New Year's on a field seething with mud, and it was while playing in a similar quagmire that it experienced its first defeat of the present season.

The only conclusion to be drawn is that Pollard, the great halfback, and probably the finest player on the gridiron, cannot get going on a soft surface, and with Fritz Pollard bogged down, Brown can make little progress along life's slippery path. Pennsylvania, while not boasting a record of Brown, seems to have a team built along the same lines as Berry as the cornerstone. Coal Miners owe most of their success to Berry's backfield work, and it is upon him that they will depend mainly in their battle with the University of Oregon at Tournament Park, January 1. Judging from long-distance reports, old Bull Berry's son is a real thoroughbred of the gridiron—one of those natural-born athletes, who was born to play the game, and who when a mere babe wore moleskins instead of the swaddling clothes or diapers.

MANY CARS EXPORTED.

Figures issued by the Department of Commerce show that $8,0[illegible] motor vehicles, valued at $[illegible] were shipped from the United States during the twelve months ending June 30, 1916. This represents about fifteenth of all the motor vehicles produced in this country.

ROAD CAMPAIGN ON.

To construct the Twin City section of the National Capital highway the three cities are engaged in a strenuous campaign, such as has not been witnessed in Minnesota before. Each of the three cities will raise $10,000, in total to insure $[illegible],000 Federal aid, together with $[illegible],000 from Pine county and the state road tax.

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Color Options—Standard green, blue or gray.

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Tires—35 inches by 4½ inches—Non-skids on rear.

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SUNDAY MORNING

Baseball.

WEEGHMAN IS IN HOT WATER

Denial of the Chan[illegible] Stories with Vehemence.

[illegible]ker may Come Here [illegible] Manager.

[illegible]sterious Stranger Visi[illegible] Tom Darmody.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

A volley of heated, sizzling, re[illegible] denials were the only new sym[illegible] developed in the Chance-Cu[illegible] yesterday. And these denia[illegible] not an entirely new symptom [illegible] largely a recrudescence of [illegible] from which Weeghman an[illegible] have been suffering for sev[illegible] weeks. Since the "$25,000-[illegible]" story was published there ha[illegible] a veritable epidemic of denial[illegible] Chicago.

Weeghman, according to a Ch[illegible] dispatch last night, denied that [illegible] had asked Chance to "name h[illegible] terms" to manage the club, [illegible] use which might be construed [illegible] offer to manage them at his "own [illegible]." "We have made no offer [illegible] Chance," he continues. All o[illegible] phrasology, when carefully [illegible]ed, is true.

Never has been claimed tha[illegible] was made an offer, or that [illegible] was told to "name his own [illegible]," but the fact remains that [illegible] did receive a wire Tuesday [illegible] him to state or what terms [illegible] would manage the Chicago club [illegible] 1917, and that Powers wired [illegible]'s terms to Chicago Friday.

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[illegible] Jones was dragged out of [illegible] timber, and in Pittsburgh [illegible] have been yelling along for [illegible] Clarke. Fred has paid no attention to these voices crying along the wilderness, as yet, but wait [illegible]ple of years and see if he don't come crawling out of his [illegible] to speak.

[illegible]k Chance's vision of resting [illegible] a mere glow of past achievements [illegible] shattered when Johnny Powers [illegible] him away from the plow to [illegible] the Angels. The P. L. [illegible] so much of his old stuff that [illegible] Cubs immediately began consid[illegible] his recall to the majors and [illegible] indirect offers which resulted [illegible] Chance's now famous "$25,000" [illegible]ation.

OLD-TIMERS.

[illegible] the game must turn to men [illegible] have achieved to the fullest [illegible]ears gone by, and desire similar [illegible] to continue the simple life, is [illegible]ding commentary on the present [illegible]generation of players, and [illegible]absence of qualities which seem [illegible]nts for real leadership. At the [illegible] time this situation propounds [illegible]estion, "From what source is [illegible] to draw its successful managers [illegible] of the future?" The olds[illegible] are bound to weaken or become [illegible]decrepit with age-ins on their [illegible]ment and perspective.

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miners. Michigan emerged from the deep and trackless forest with a chip on its shoulder and Heston in the back field. Yale, Harvard and Princeton looked over their calling list and found that they didn't have a speaking acquaintance with anybody by the name of Heston. Way out on this edge of the country, California and Stanford produced a few teams which looked good enough to play some of the best eastern teams off the gridiron and into the bleachers.

History shows that the "big three," with new and vigorous teams being whelped all over the map, had no cinch retaining their supremacy under the slaughter-house system of play, and whatever superiority they or other big universities may have retained when beef was the essence of successful football, was doomed to disappear with the advent of open play.

The only thing that prevented the Yale bulldog from being mistaken for a dachshund was its belated stand in the game with Harvard, while the Princeton Tiger has on numerous occasions found that between its rear legs is a most satisfactory resting place for its once stiff, proud caudal appendage. The forward pass and other subtle devices have proven great levellers of pride and prestige.

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The season closes without a bona fide country-wide champion having been established. However, this is not unusual, for it is a question whether in the last decade any eleven had proven to the satisfaction of all concerned, that it was the best in the business. In fact, considering the scope of the game, and the innumerable teams involved, it is a physical, as well as a geographical impossibility to decide the title with the same degree of clearness as in baseball, track, boxing and other lines of sports.

Furthermore, the best team in football not infrequently fails to win, luck and the "breaks" having probably a greater influence on the ebb and flow of human events in football than in any other sport. Then again a really great team may lose some of its minor games because perfecting a certain system of play to use against some particular rival of its own class, and having been developed along this line is impotent to combat the system of some weaker eleven.

The situation in the East is all shot to pieces. Pittsburgh, one of the vulgarity new colleges, claims the title, as does the Army. Brown would have put in an equally good claim but for its defeat by Colgate. Brown numbers a long list of victims, and its double-barreled victory over Yale and Harvard stamped the Providence team as the season's sensation. The Pirates, while having a remarkable record, did not tackle the bigger game of the East, while they all looked alike to Brown. The path of the Providence players was all cluttered up with high-class victims, and until they went down in the mud before Colgate, they had not been defeated, and neither had their goal line been sullied by the feet of mortal man.

But for that turkey day trouncing, Brown probably would have had the most honest claim to the championship. Now, by virtue of its victory over Brown, Colgate has a counter-claim, which is somewhat weakened by that college's defeat by Yale.

It is the history of football that nearly every great team is fashioned around some outstanding figure, who excells in some particular department, such as speed, line plunging or kicking, or who towers in all around ability. This would seem to be true of Brown. The Providence team is a great performer on a good field, but a poor "mudder." It went down to defeat before Washington State at Pasadena last New Year's on a field seething with mud, and it was while playing in a meadow of mire that it experienced its first defeat of the present season.

The only consolation to be drawn is that Pollard, the great negro back, and probably the fastest man on the gridiron, cannot get away on a soft surface, and with Pollard bogged down, Brown can make no progress along life's slippery road. Pennsylvania, while not boasting the record of Brown, seems to be a team built along the same line, with Berry as the cornerstone. The Coal Miners owe most of their success to Berry's backfield work, and it is upon him that they will depend mainly in their battle with the University of Oregon at Tournament Park, January 1. Judging from long-distance reports, old man Berry's son is a real thoroughbred of the gridiron—one of nature's noblemen, who was born to play the game, and who when a mere babe wore moleskins instead of swaddling clothes or diapers.

MANY CARS EXPORTED.

Figures issued by the Department of Commerce show that 80,655 motor vehicles, valued at $106,253,376, were shipped from the United States during the twelve months ended June 30, 1916. This represents one-fifteenth of all the motor vehicles produced in this country.

ROAD CAMPAIGN ON.

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Baseball.

WEEGHMAN IS IN HOT WATER.

Denial of the Chance Series with Vehemence.

Star may Come Here as Manager.

Mysterious Stranger Visits Tom Darmody.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

A volley of heated, sizzling, red-hot denials were the only new symptoms developed in the Chance-Cub muddle yesterday. And these denials were not an entirely new symptom, but merely a recrudescence of a disease from which Weeghman and Cubs have been suffering for several weeks. Since the "$25,000-a-year" story was published there has been a veritable epidemic of denials and charges.

Weeghman, according to a Chicago dispatch last night, denied that he had asked Chance to "name his own terms" to manage the club, a statement which might be construed as a request to manage them at his "own terms." "We have made no offers to Chance," he continues. All of which phraseology, when carefully analyzed, is true.

Chance never has been claimed that Weeghman was made an offer, or that he was told to "name his own terms," but the fact remains that Chance did receive a wire Tuesday asking him to state on what terms he would manage the Chicago club for 1917, and that Powers wired Chance the terms to Chicago Friday morning.

FOR TINKER.

Weeghman may still be strong for Chance, as he claims, and again he may be endeavoring simply to make friendless as possible for Joe. Tinker, the other directors are for Chance, and possibly if one should read Weeghman's inpermost thoughts, he might be found to be of the same frame of mind.

Weeghman has been making denials ever since the story that Chance would handle the Cubs appeared in print, and as a result probably finds himself in an embarrassing situation in his own home town. For some time Chance has been practically trying to handle the Cubs, with the report that Joe Tinker would manage the Angels. Whether Joe Tinker will consent to do this remains for future events to show.

Harry Wolter, the man whom Chance said he would recommend to manage him, yesterday passed through Los Angeles on his way to Portland, where the P. L. is at the present time. He wants to ascertain the facts. If Chance takes over the Cubs he may be loath to turn Wolter back to the Los Angeles club, which regards him as a most valuable player. His recommendation for Wolter for the job was predicated on the bare possibility that Chance might fail to stick with the Chicago club.

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The majority of the pennants won in the past two decades have been won by managers, who learned their baseball in the bare-knuckle days, and most of the successful leaders today were trained in the latter part of the last century, when the Baltimore Orioles were said to be a period especially fruitful in the development of men who later were destined to shine in baseball field, and whose place it seems impossible to fill. The Orioles broke in about that time, with Clarke. Connie Mack was a member of the same era, while Stallings served his baseball in the same days. Moran is a veteran of the same period. McGraw, Jennings and Robinson all were members of the Orioles, and Fielder Jones played with the same club before he was transferred to Brooklyn. Jones went together with Chance, Clarke, Stallings and Jones have accounted for nearly all the managers in the past sixteen years. Connie Mack is the exception—the shining example in recent years who rose from the ranks into a managerial pedestal and turn out a winner.

A number of others have tried it, but Tinker, Donlin, Herzog, Wagner—and as many more may be put to the test and found wanting. Some of them may have been the victim of circumstances, but the fact remains that the major leagues are turning to the veterans of the days when inside baseball was in the formative period for the game.

AWAIT SALT LAKE.

Baseball will next Wednesday be the scene of the annual meeting of the Pacific Coast League, President Powers of the Los Angeles club will attend, and J. J. Darmody will represent the Angels. They plan to leave here Monday for the scene of turmoil, with a view to adopting a schedule, and other matters to be considered, the shortening of the Coast season. This matter has been discussed annually for years. A majority of the owners seem to adhere to the opinion that the schedule should conform to the weather, which, while it permits only six months of baseball in the East, is sufficient for seven here.

Darmody says that he has nothing to announce in regard to the purchase of the Vernon club, and it is more likely that his decision will be determined by action taken by the league at its annual meeting in certain matters pertaining to the future of the organization. There are a number of private matters to be threshed out at this meeting which will have a vital influence on the future of baseball on the Coast, and which may affect the very life of the game.

Darmody was yesterday visited by a party, whose name is withheld for the present by request, who stated that he had ample backing to buy the Vernon club. He stated that he is an acquaintance of William Wrigley, Jr., one of the owners of the Chicago Cubs, but denied that the latter had been consulted. He said the capital which he had interested was local. He and Darmody will hold another conference today. Arthur Fiske, another prospective purchaser, has investigated the proposition thoroughly. Before announcing any decision in the matter he will await the league's action at Salt Lake.

CHICAGO UP IN AIR OVER CHANCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—Admirers of Frank Chance, a former Cub manager, apparently would like to see him return to Chicago to replace Joe Tinker. Reports with little substance to them are again circulated that he has been negotiating with President Weeghman and has submitted his terms for a period of two years. What the terms amount to has not been disclosed from the end from which the story emanates.

President Weeghman is not at liberty to reveal his part of the negotiations or else there is nothing to it for he denies that he has been in communication with Chance and that he has made any effort to procure him. He contends that the story has been started by some of Chance's friends on the Coast.

The story is given a little tinge of truth by the statement issued by Johnny Powers, president of the Los Angeles club. He was in Chicago last week and held several conferences with Weeghman. Whether it was concerning Chance or ball players is not known. Powers says in his interview that he is to lose Chance, who is going to Chicago to manage the Cubs. He adds that the terms have been submitted and will be accepted by Weeghman.

Chance strengthens the rumor a bit more by asserting on the Coast that he has received communications from the Chicago club asking him to submit his terms. He was a bit reticent but said the salary he expected would exceed that given him by the club before.

TENNIS TOURNEY AT RIVERSIDE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 2.—The Orange Belt Tennis Association opened the tennis tournament season here today on the courts of the Casa Blanca Club, teams competing from Corona, Hemet, the Rubidoux and Casa Blanca clubs of Riverside.

Corona won the men's doubles and singles and Casa Blanca the ladies' and mixed doubles, but some splendid tennis was played by all competing teams. W. M. Dean and Dan McConnell of Corona proved the strongest team in the men's doubles, winning the finals from E. W. Trevelyan and Norman Irving, Casa Blanca, 4-6, 6-1, 7-5, 6-3.

In the preliminaries, they eliminated Dr. Rolph and William Easten, Rubidoux Club, 7-5, 6-2, and Trevelyan and Irvingwon from E. B. Adams and F. C. Russell, Rubidoux, 6-3, 6-2, and Schmit and Butlin, Hemet, 6-0, 6-1.

H. R. Lamson, Corona, won the men's singles from Richard Dols, Casa Blanca, 7-5, 6-4, 6-0, after defeating Sheldon Westfall, Rubidoux, 3-6, 6-4, 7-5. Westfall eliminated A. H. Halstead, Casa Blanca, 2-6, 6-1, 6-4, and Dole won from C. Craig, Rubidoux, 7-5, 6-1, and from Raymond Allen, Rubidoux, 8-6, 7-5.

The Misses Dolly Bettner and B. Oldendorf, Casa Blanca, won the ladies' doubles from Misses Doris Grout and Margaret Youngiove, Rubidoux, 6-3, 6-3, having first eliminated the Misses Whitmore and Craig, Corona, 7-5, 9-7. Misses Grout and Youngiove defeated Mrs. Childs and Mrs. Halstead, 6-3, 6-1.

The mixed doubles were won by Mrs. Harry Puttee and Neil Cameron, Casa Blanca, from Miss Helen Packard and O. B. Ormiston, Rubidoux, 6-4, 10-8.

PENN STEPS ON CORNELL AGAIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—The University of Pennsylvania defeated Cornell in an intercollegiate league soccer game here today by the score of 8 to 1.

Haverford College soccer team defeated Yale 3 to 1 in a league game at Haverford today.



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TOM ANDREWS IS HOT AFTER JESS.

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CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 2.—Ring history as regards the heavyweight situation probably will be made tomorow, provided Tom Jones, director in chief of Jess Willard's future, makes good the promise he made to Tom Andrews, that he would meet the Milwaukee impresario in Chicago Sunday. Bidding for the champion's service is said to have reached the $50,000 mark and the end is not yet in sight.

Willard himself refuses to express an opinion as to what the outcome will be. He met Tex Rickard, the leading promoter of the country, this week on instructions from Jones, who was ill in Hot Springs, but the champ, acting under orders, refused to do business under any conditions or even to give Rickard first call on his services. Jess isn't particular whom he meets next, if he can get his price, for unless something akin to the Johnson-Jeffries situation bobs up in the next year, the next battle Willard takes part in, will be his last.

Vying with Rickard for the champ's services is Tom Andrews, who, instead of consulting Willard, went direct to headquarters and got in touch with Jones. He was told that the highest bidder would be the lucky one; that Jones had no favorite, it being a question of money only.

Getting Jones's consent to the match and offering the best inducements, however, is only half of the battle. The most important job will be to get Jess's consent to an early match. He thinks his long jolt with the circus entitles him to a rest so that he can get acquainted with his family and the upshot of the whole affair may be that Willard will pack his trunk and his family onto a train bound Coastward and quit the ring forever.

WILSON NAMES ALL-SOUTHERN.

Coach Russell Wilson of Whittier College has come out with his all-southern college eleven. He gives representative honors to six men from his own team, two from Occidental and one each from Pomona, Redlands and the University of Southern California.

Behold the findings: Fawcett (W.,) left end; Deems (O.,) left tackle; Waits (P.,) left guard; Chambers (W.,) center; Halsey (W.,) right guard; Siemon (W.,) right tackle; Gillette (R.,) right end; Malette (U.S.C.,) quarter; Murray (W.,) left half; Brooks (O.,) right half; Finch (W.,) full.



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LAW NEEDED.

In a great part of the State of Illinois—and this condition obtains as well in many of the Middle Western and Southern States—there is practically no effective supervision over weights and measures apparatus, except in the larger cities, according to the report of investigations made by the United States Bureau of Standards and issued by the department of the Secretary of State.



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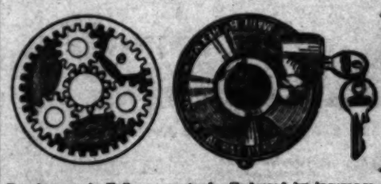
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CHAMPS SMILE AT DOWNPOUR.

Johnston and Griffin are Caught Napping.

Browne and Wayne Slip Over Six-two Set.

Exciting Match Called off at Shower.

BY WARDE FOWLER.

The only thing that Johnston and Griffin enjoyed in their tennis match yesterday was the rain. Both of the national champions had gone through the game without a smile, and people were beginning to fear that they had forgotten how, when the rain turned the trick. This intense soberness was caused by Nat Browne and Claude Wayne, who were running circles around the champs when the affair ended.

Browne and Wayne were the features of the Los Angeles Country Club tournament yesterday. These two experts started out early in the afternoon and defeated C. Barker and K. Newell, 6-2, 7-5. Without waiting to pluck up fresh courage they entered the arena against Johnston and Griffin, won the initial set 6-2, and were on the under side of a 5-4 score when it started to rain.

It is safe to say that none of the teams were playing up to par. Cold weather and low hanging clouds took all the zip out of the contestants and deadly accuracy and tremendous speed were somewhat blunted.

Wayne and Browne only managed to get warmed up after their match with Barker and Newell and they exhibited the real class of the day in their last battle.

The first game in this semifinal match went to the champions with apparent ease. "Good-by, Wayne and Browne" was the general sentiment of the spectators. Johnston's drive appeared to be working perfectly and when it is stepping along right there isn't much chance.

In the next game it became evident that the national champs weren't going to have such a cinch after all. Wayne and Browne managed to get their chops working and the former was serving near-aces on every stroke. The lesser luminaries took the next several games with ease and dispatch and ended the argument 6-2 in their favor. It looked like a bad day for the champions.

The next set was more of a fight. The score zig-zagged up and down until it was nipped in the bud by the downpour. The match will probably be played over Monday.

During this match everyone in the grand stand became very much excited over the antics of two colored gentlemen who were evidently getting ready for a tea battle or something. All kinds of interesting instruments were dug up, such as cups, saucers, hot water, tea, etc. As it was quite chilly these preparations brought smiles of joy to everyone. When the rain commenced, however, the crowd arose in great excitement and deserted the bleachers without so much as a look at the tea, etc. Thus the rain not only stopped the tennis match but it also put the kibosh on a perfectly good-looking tea party.

Kenny Newell and Clarence Barker created quite a good deal of excitement by threatening to exterminate Browne and Wayne. For a long time it looked as if "Youth" was going to bury "Old Age" but the opposite happened in the long run.

Newell was serving like a wild man. On several occasions he slipped clean aces over on his opponents. Throughout the first set his serve was unusually hard to handle and he consistently won his games. Toward the last Newell blew up slightly and allowed a few doubles to go over the plate.

On the whole, Newell and Barker look like real comers in the doubles game. The team is well balanced, Barker being steady and sure, and Newell having all the brilliancy needed. They put up a terrific fight against their experienced opponents.

The only ladies' doubles match of the day was between Mrs. Widdowson and Miss Young and Miss Browne and Miss Comstock. Some excellent tennis was exhibited although Mrs. Widdowson and Miss Young won easily. The final score was 6-0, 6-1.

Play will be continued on Monday when the semifinals will be completed and possibly the finals run off. The ladies' doubles semifinals and finals will be played Monday and Tuesday.



Hughie Hughes,

The well-known driver, who was instantly killed in a peculiar accident in the course of a speedway race at Uniontown, Pa., yesterday.

PREP SCHOOLS PAIR FOR FOOTBALL FINALS

Football fans are beginning to wonder what's coming off in this high-school football championship situation. Five schools are admitted to be in the running: Manual Arts, Pasadena, San Diego, Chaffey and Citrus Union. Citrus, as far as dope is concerned, has the least chance of them all and yet Citrus is almost sure to get in the finals.

Here's the situation. Pasadena and Manual Arts meet at Manual Arts Friday. The winner of this argument will tackle the Chaffey-San Diego victor.

On the other hand, Citrus meets Fullerton Saturday and is almost sure to win. The next opponent will be Calexico, who ought to be sure meat for the winner. Hence Citrus is practically assured a place in the finals against the Pasadena-Manual-Chaffey-San Diego champs. Here is the schedule of play for this week-end: Pasadena vs. Manual Arts at Manual Arts, Friday; Chaffey vs. San Diego in Los Angeles, Saturday; Citrus Union vs. Fullerton at Fullerton, Saturday.

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"It was not so very long ago that Arizona was considered a small field for automobile and accessory distribution, but it's quite different these days," says F. H. Osler of the Osler Racine Rubber Company, distributors of the well-known Racine country road tires.

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HUGHIE HUGHES KILLED IN RACE.

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Had Retired from Race After Near-accident and was Merely a Spectator When Galvin's Runaway Car Causes His Death. Most Peculiar Accident.

The body of Hughie Hughes, famous racing driver who was killed in a terrible accident at Uniontown, Pa., yesterday, is on its way to Los Angeles for burial. Mrs. Hughes was prostrated at the news of her husband's death and expressed the desire to have the burial services performed in Los Angeles.

Instructions were immediately wired the racing officials of the eastern speedway, by Frank Lowry, a close personal friend of Hughes, and who will have charge of the funeral.

Hundreds of friends of the famous driver have sent words and messages of sympathy to the widow and all are anxious that the body should be interred in Los Angeles. The definite date of the funeral has not been decided.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

UNIONTOWN (Pa.) Dec. 2.—Gaston Weigel and Hughie Hughes were killed, Frank Galvin probably fatally injured, and a number of other persons less seriously hurt near the end of the Universal Trophy automobile race at the Uniontown speedway late this afternoon. Herbert Smith, a Pittsburgh newspaper man; Montgomery McCormick, a constable on duty at the track, and Donald Beam, a spectator, were among the others who were injured.

Hughes ran his car into the guard rail near the center of the speedway during the sixty-second lap of the race because of engine trouble, and had walked to the press stand when Galvin came tearing down the track. When almost opposite the stand Galvin seemed to lose control of his car, and it shot with lightning speed toward the stand which Hughes had reached scarcely a moment before. Hughes saw his danger, but had no chance to escape, for he, with Galvin and Weigel, Galvin's mechanician, was instantly buried in the wreck.

Persons on the stand were knocked down by the impact, Smith being caught in the splintering timbers. When the men were picked up it was found that Hughes and Weigel had been instantly killed and Galvin so seriously injured that it was feared he could not survive.

Others who were injured included Richard Adams and Edward F. Kovel of New York; Richard Spavin, Pittsburgh; Elmer Putman, Uniontown; L. H. Conger, Akron, O.; J. J. Daugherty, Pittsburgh; E. L. Myers, Pittsburgh. All of these were spectators.

Louis Chevrolet, in a Frontenac, won the 112-mile race.

NEW ZEALAND IS STUDYING ROADS.

Local and national authorities in New Zealand are studying the subject of good roads as they are in the United States with a view to the construction of concrete roads.

They estimate a mile of 12-foot concrete road could be built for $2000 more than a mile of stone and that the saving in upkeep would be $1000 a mile in the first five years, while at the end of ten years there would be a saving of $7000 or $8000.

A good grade of cement is made in New Zealand, and as there are no severe frosts in the country, it is planned to make the road four inches thick, as in California.

RIVERSIDE CLUB ROADSTERS HERE.

A carload of Riverside Club roadsters, exact duplicates of the models to be shown at the New York show, have arrived at the Reilly Motor Car Company's salesrooms on South Flower street. These are the first cars of this type delivered to any Moon dealer. The demand for these cars has exceeded the output and it was only because of the strenuous efforts put forth by Mr. Reilly that he was able to secure the recent shipment.

DARTMOUTH LOSES TO HAVERFORD.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) Dec. 2.—Harvard defeated Dartmouth at soccer today, 2 to 1.

PARKING SPACE NEEDED.

In Milwaukee little actual progress has been made in the direction of solving the serious problem of parking motor cars in the downtown streets. The Common Council has been considering for many months a plan to turn Fourth Ward Park, one square block at Third, Fourth, Sycamore and Depot streets, fronting on the Union depot, into an exclusive motor car parking square, but this would accommodate only a few hundred cars, when the need is for thousands.

Shunkishi Nomura, a Japanese, won the Governor's cup at the recent North Jersey Country Club golf tourney at Paterson, N. J.

Dope.

GRID REVIEW OF SOUTHWEST.

TITLES IN DISPUTE IN ALL SECTIONS.

Lily-white Record of Nebraska is Sullied After Six Years of Unbroken Victories—Many Interconference Games Played Last Season—Few Accidents.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 2.—Football in the Southwest in the series of games which come to a close last Thursday evolved no undisputed champions in either the Missouri Valley or Southwestern conferences. Nebraska's proud record of consecutive victories for half a dozen years was broken this year first by Kansas, then by Notre Dame, and Oklahoma's supremacy south of the Missouri River was challenged successfully by five teams.

Kansas had hoped to challenge Nebraska's claim of the title because of the Jayhawkers' victory in Lincoln, but following their crushing defeat at the hands of Missouri all vestige of a Kansas claim to superiority was put to rout.

In the Southwestern conference, Texas and Baylor each claim the Texas title, while the Oklahoma laurels went without question to Henry Kendall College of Tulsa. But it would be difficult to pick the southwestern champions.

It remained for a nonconference team, however, to come through the season without a defeat in a schedule of ten games and to claim the general southwestern championship after having challenged several strong teams without being able to arrange a post-season game. This team represented the Henry Kendall College, which scored 567 points while allowing its opponents to make only thirty.

Missouri Valley teams won slightly more than half of their inter-conference clashes. Missouri defeated Oklahoma and Texas. Kansas won from Oklahoma, but lost to Illinois, the Kansas Aggies also downed the luckless Oklahomas. Nebraska defeated the Oregon Aggies and Iowa, but lost to Notre Dame and Washington lost to Michigan.

It was notable that more interconference games were played than usual. Texas renewed its annual contest with Missouri after a lapse of years. Kansas played Illinois for the first time since 1893. Nebraska's journey half way across the continent to meet the Oregon Aggies, matched the Coast style of play with the valley variety for the first time, to the advantage of the latter. Arizona came East to meet defeat at the hands of Rice in Houston, Tex.

Few accidents occurred during the season, the only one of a serious nature in a valley conference squad being a broken leg sustained by a Kansas player. One fatality occurred in Missouri, Hiram Cole, 19 years old, player on the Central College team of Fayette, Mo., dying from injuries received in a game with a preparatory school.

TIA JUANA RESULTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 2.—Today's Tia Juana results:

First race—Selling, one mile, purse $400: Lesbia, 112 (Ormea,) first; John Louis, 112 (O'Brien,) second; Roy, 108 (Van Dusen,) third. Time, 1:40⅘.

Second race—Selling, five furlongs, purse $400: Peep Again, 112 (Pickens,) first; Juanita Frederick, 104 (Ormea,) second; Conewingo, 106 (Kelsay,) third. Time, 1:01.

Third race—Selling, six furlongs, purse $400: Sweetdale, 107 (Pickens,) first; Prince S., 107 (Lilley,) second; Charmeuse, 107 (Pool,) third. Time, 1:12⅘.

Fourth race—Selling, seven furlongs, purse $400: Camellia, 101 (Scheerer,) first; Samuel R. Meyer, 106 (Lilley,) second; Say, 105 (Gross,) third. Time, 1:26⅕.

Fifth race—Selling, six furlongs, purse $400: Roscas, 110 (Lapaille,) first; Old Coin, 110 (Pickens,) second; Rooster, 110 (Pool,) third. Time, 1:12⅘.

Sixth race—Selling, one and one-sixteenth miles, purse $400: Strathearn, 105 (Pickens,) first; Capt. Druse, 105 (Pool,) second; Lady Spirituelle, 105 (Casey,) third. Time, 1:41⅘.

BAKERSFIELD WINS NORTHERN TITLE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 2.—The Bakersfield High School football eleven defeated the Porterville School players this afternoon by a score of 61 to 13, thereby winning the football championship of the Joaquin Valley.



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And Father had the Pleasure Besides of Paying for It

By F. Leipziger



GINGER POP

HE'LL NEVER GROW UP

REJOICE, UNCLE LOUIE, I HAVE COME HOME FOR THANKSGIVING

VY ISS IT YOU ALWAYS COME HOME ONLY VEN DER EATS IST READY?

HOORAY! POP'S OUT OF JAIL AGAIN

VELL TOMORROW VE HAFF SOME NICE COLD TURKEY DOD SOUSE IT!

SH-H! DON'T WAKE UNCLE LOUIE

I WONDER WHAT THOSE KIDS ARE UP TO THIS TIME OF NIGHT?

WHAT'S THE IDEA, BOYS?

WE GOT HUNGRY, POP SO WE THOUGHT WE'D COME DOWN AND GET SOME COLD TURKEY

I USED TO DO THE SAME THING WHEN I WAS A BOY

OUCH!

NOW WE DON'T GET ANY COLD TURKEY, OTTO

CRASH!

SAY! VOT'S DOT, BURGLARS?

CRASH!

HEY! FRITZ! DROP THAT TURKEY, QUICK!

VAIT!

BANG!

I SAVED THE TURKEY FOR YOU UNCLE LOUIE. FRITZ WAS RUNNING AWAY WITH IT

I KEEP VUN EYE ON DOT ALL NIGHT LONG, DOD ROT IT!

GET IT NOW, POP I THINK HE'S ASLEEP

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1—"See that lumbering creature frisking over the fields!" exclaimed Dickie as he jumped up from the ground. "It looks like a Baby Grand Piano!" Mr. Twee Deedle replied. "Well, I declare!"

2—As the two watched the Baby Grand Piano wabble out of sight they saw a large Horn running in the same direction as the Piano. "Perhaps they are playing a game of some sort," Dickie said.

3—Just then Dickie and Mr. Twee Deedle heard a soft step behind them and, turning around, they saw a Bass Viol. "Good morning!" said the Bass Viol, in a deep, soft toned voice. "Why don't you boys come along with me?" "We would like to very much," said Mr. Twee Deedle.



4—"Then climb on my back!" cried the Bass Viol, "and I will carry you in a hurry!" So Mr. Twee Deedle and Dickie climbed on the Bass Viol's back and he flew with them over the field at a very fast pace. The wind hummed through his strings, he went so fast, and close behind him came a Cornet and some other Horns.

5—Finally the Bass Viol put them down in a clearing in a deep forest where many more instruments were gathered. The Baby Grand Piano seemed to be the leader, for after playing a few rippling notes he opened his lid and all the instruments began playing the most beautiful melody Dickie had ever heard. Dickie and Mr. Twee Deedle sat entranced until the playing grew fainter and fainter and finally died away. Then they saw that all the instruments had disappeared.

6—Mr. Twee Deedle and Dickie walked through the forest until they came upon two little gnomes, of whom they inquired the meaning of the concert they had enjoyed. "Those are the wood instruments," said one of the little men. "Listen a moment and you will hear the music in the wind." And as they listened, Dickie and Mr. Twee Deedle heard very faintly (for the wind was scarcely blowing at all) the music played by the instruments in the forest. "I have always wondered where the music in the wind came from," said Dickie, "but now I know!"

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EM POSSIBLE

NO, BUT YOU CAN DEPEND ON WHAT BOBBY MAKE-BELIEVE SAYS

SNAPSHOT BILL

BY RUSS WESTOVER

I HOPE THE NEIGHBORS DIDN'T SEE THAT BUNCH COME IN

DIG RIGHT IN, BOYS, THANKSGIVING COMES BUT ONCE A YEAR

POOR FELLOW LOOKS LIKE HE HASN'T A CENT IN THE WORLD. I'LL MAKE BELIEVE I'M AN OLD FRIEND OF HIS AND BUY HIM A GOOD SQUARE MEAL

SURE, YOU REMEMBER ME. LET'S GO IN AND HAVE A THANKSGIVING DINNER. WE CAN TALK OVER OLD TIMES. IT'S MY TREAT. HOW HAVE YOU BEEN?

NEVER MIND, OLD TOP. I KNOW HOW IT IS, YOU'VE HAD A BIT OF HARD LUCK. YOU'LL BE ON YOUR FEET AGAIN SOON

BUT, ER

IT'S A FUNNY THING, MISTER, BUT DO YOU KNOW I CAN'T SEEM TO PLACE YOU

MENU

I NEVER WAS MUCH ON REMEMBERING FACES

I'M GLAD YOU DID ENJOY IT, AN' FORGET IT!

BUT I'D LIKE TO RETURN IT SOME DAY. WHAT'S YOUR NAME?

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ALL READY GO!

STEADY, BOBBY!

THERE'S A PECULIAR CASE, JAMES. I WAS STANDING THERE WONDERING WHETHER I WOULD BUY THAT BUILDING OR NOT AND A STRANGER CAME UP AND INSISTED I SHOULD DINE WITH HIM

VERY ODD, SIR

ONE OF MR. BIRD'S MILLIONAIRE FRIENDS

VERY WELL, SIR.

TO THE CLUB, JAMES

CLICK!

IT COST ME TEN DOLLARS BUT IT MADE ME FEEL GOOD TO SEE THAT POOR OLD MAN EAT

YOU CERTAINLY HAVE DONE SOMETHING TO BE THANKFUL FOR, DAD

THAT'S THE ONLY WAY TO CELEBRATE THANKSGIVING, BETTY. FEED THOSE THAT REALLY NEED IT.

YOU SAID SOMETHING DAD

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IS THAT THE MAN DAD BOUGHT THE MEAL FOR, BILL?

SURE, AND THEN I HEARD HIM TELL HIS CHAUFFEUR SOMETHING ABOUT BUYING A BUILDING BEFORE HE RODE OFF

JUST MY LUCK, TOO. HIS LICENSE NUMBER DON'T SHOW IN THIS PICTURE

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WELL, YOU OUGHT TO BE THANKFUL YOU DIDN'T SPEND ANY MORE ON HIM

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DESIGNED BY ELIZABETH MILL

IF THERE is any one I ha
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will you hear it within the
four weeks. But every time
sentiment is uttered in your hea
you can rest back contentedly, kn
that you have solved the man-gift pr
by making your various male
ons and friends a laundry bag.
serve, the receipt of a plain, o
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any one, but a bag ornamented w
appropriate design neatly worked
bag hands is another story. You
for weeks, and I don't think y
find a simpler and more effect
plan for a laundry bag than the o
on this page today. Use th
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No more care taken in the selec
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effective will be the gift. Among
table materials is linen, in whi
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bag can be used, but the finish
not look so well as those ma
on a plain background.

One is at liberty to model the bag a
one, but the requisite size is from
long piece of material is used,
be folded at the bottom, thus ma
no necessity for hemming a
the sides next seams should be
then may be French or, if preferre
may be bound with tape. The
the tops and allow for a casing the
with a tape or ribbon is to be run
drawstring.

Another way to make the bag is
two strips of material, the
wider than the top one. The
top is to be turned up and hemmed
grouped into position and when
the time to empty the bag the bo
unbuttoned and the soiled clothes fa
in the basket. There is thus no nee
for removing the bag from its
In order to facilitate the work
putting the clothes into the bag the
piece can be slit from the middle
for several inches. It will then b
unnecessary to adjust the drawstring
time a soiled article is put into the
opposite.

I forgot to mention that one could
two Turkish towels with great ef
for the distinguishing of the bag. T
bag could be embroidered on the

THREE CHRIST

OF COURSE there is a bothe
your Christmas gift list. It
wouldn't be Christmas if you did
have a workbag in progress or at
or in contemplation. The vogue for
sting and crocheting has grown to
an extent that every one can find
many workbags as dozes her wish
don't be afraid to add several new
to your list of makable gifts.
There is a small bag which is so pleas
and it is simple to make. The requisi
are a piece of ribbon to go around
center of the bag and a ball of ecr
cotton or silk to add a bottom and
or of book mark to the ribbon. The
can be gathered into a made cas
on the bottom and the top is gathered
with cords made from the cotton and
color in honor of approaching balls. The
beauty of this bag is that it gives the
possession of a decorated bag without
having to break time to make, as the
can be done away with a lot of the odd
ends. Of course, the seller the
has the time to make.

Here is another workbag which is
for with this season, and that is the
clothes-bag doll. She has a bisque head
and arms, but her voluminous skirts are
a ruffle on a capacious workbag of
which clos up with ribbon around
doll lady's waist. She is attached
her one side of the bag, and her
short legs, if she has any, are allowed

The Lit

Are you beginning to feel desperate
about that long Christmas list of
yours? Why don't you follow the
lead of so many people are taking to
and that is the fad of the little
something between a card and an
sive gift, something that can't cost
over a dollar at most? Most of
little gifts come in festive pack-
accompanied by an appropriate
and the selection is already pre-
gifts of this sort is very large.
not be your own manufacture
little gifts"? Decide on a few at-
little articles, buy your boxes
the dozen, covering them with flow-
paper, stenciling or drawing a
design thereon, or merely pasting
verses typed on colored paper on the
lid.
Put in the small gift you have
little choice of makable articles.
There are some mighty enabling book-
of tooled leather hung on silk
which the girl who is experienced
this craft can fashion with little
They are cut in the form of
fantastic beasts and birds.
would prove an amusing gift for
holidays or even for a child.
sewing board cover of unbleached
bound with cotton tape and
for tying into place around the
The board will be a welcome
for the housekeeper. Wrap it up
box and put a cute little verse
something about "a friend with
you may keep plenty of pleading
mits."
a package of mending tissue and

COMMON SENSE in the HOME
EDITED by MARION HARLAND

THE HARMONY OF HOME.



Sometimes in the absorption of business he is inclined to forget that his wife's tasks are as fatiguing and depressing as the toil from which he comes in the evening.

"[illegible] the penny ads and by buying them." I wish some of them could be made to realize that a sympathetic interest in the work and hopes, ambitions and fears of their women folk would go far toward making women satisfied in doing their duty. In the home men and women both often drop all semblance of courtesy or consideration, the lack of which should be spelled with the wrong four letters."

The above is quoted from a long and interesting letter I received not long ago. Most of it has appeared in another portion of the Corner, but the statement I have put into section is the worthy of such attention that I could give them which pleased with the regular correspondence.

I know that many men read the Helpful Hints, some of them are among my most valued helpers and I am sure that those with whom I have exchanged letters are not the ones who need to have called to their notice their lack of courtesy and consideration in the home. And yet I have known men—and women, too—who seemed one to understand what was meant by the comment of the man who, when some one said in his hearing, "There is no place like home," remarked fervently, "Thank God!" The kind that is "spelled with the wrong four letters" is found much frequently than we like to believe.

But is it altogether to be blamed to the men? I don't think so. I feel that women have it in their power to set the tone of the home, and that no matter how much sympathetic interest their men folk may display it counts for little if the women folk do not make a point of graciousness of giving an example of thoughtfulness and of courtesy.

Of course we all know men who seem impossible to please and whose chief business in life—when they are not away at work—appears to be fault finding. It is they who distort that woman have an easy time of it, who belittle all the toils and cares and anxieties of housekeeping and of motherhood, who growl when something goes wrong, and never find anything to praise.

I mentioned an incident that was told me quite lately by a friend of such a man as I have described. She was unfortunate enough to be spending the day at his house, and at each meal the man criticised everything that came on the table. Worst of supper he objurgated the biscuits because they were so hot, his son, who had been sitting glowering at the flowers picked in his mother's work, broke his silence with a voice trembling with wrath.

"Mother, I am astonished at you," he said, with youthful satire. "You ought to have baked the biscuits in the refrigerator."

Many of the adverse comments provoke one to similar retorts. Not all women are as gentle as another one I know, who was telling me of a family party who had descended upon her small apartment, slept in the living room, made a hotel of the entire domicile, and never spoken a word of appreciation of anything.

"The last night they were here I made some gingerbread," the harassed housekeeper told me, "and I had come to the point of nerve tryi that 'Just some one said, 'The gingerbread is very good.' I put my face down in my hands and said, 'Thank God!' It seemed something to return gratitude for that they should be satisfied with anything."

Is this the exception to the general rule in families? I wish I could think so.

I was relating to a young relative of my own a like experience I had had in one of the families where it is the boast that they all speak out just what they think, and I wound up by saying: "All the while I kept repeating to myself that I was grateful to think there is nothing like that in our family."

His answer stunned me.

"I wish there were."

Then he went on to explain:

"If we had been allowed to bicker and fight at home I wouldn't be so uncomfortable when I go to homes where that sort of thing exists. There is one lot of nice people with whom I play cards sometimes, and they get into such rows over the game and say so many nasty things to one another that I just sit and wait until they have finished, and look at the other side of the room and try not to listen to what they are talking about, and with with all my heart that I had been used to that kind of behavior, so that I wouldn't mind it."

That is one way of looking at it, but I confess it doesn't appeal to me. I am sorry to say that I have known households where there was constant "scrapping," which made the outsider feel most embarrassed and ill at ease, but I have also been fortunate enough to be acquainted with others where the law of kindly speech, as well as of action, was practiced.

Why should this not be the case everywhere? For after all harsh speech, bitter comment, cruel criticism is largely a matter of habit. You will find often that the very people who utter the biting phrases, who are most ready to find fault, are at heart kindly and generous and would do anything in the world for one another, making sacrifices uncomplainingly—every sacrifice except that of the wounds they inflict by their tongues.

One such case comes to my mind of a widowed mother with two daughters and a son. The eldest daughter is a woman of strong character and warm heart, who has for years denied herself the pleasures which are her due for the sake of her family. She supports her mother in comfort; she is always ready to help her sister in difficulties; she has carried for months at a time the burden of her brother's home when his incompetence and weakness have involved him in difficulties. Those who know only this side of her or of her loyalty and helpfulness to her friends would not hesitate to write her down as a paragon.

But if I were a member of her family I would rather stand on the street corner and beg or "take in back stairs to scrub," to quote the phrase of a first friend, than to live in the house with this generous and self-immolating daughter and sister. Her tongue is dipped in gall. She snaps at her mother; the quarrels she has with her sister and brothers make the proverbial cat and dog appear amiable members of society; she orders her friends about and criticises them so sharply that it must take all their remembrance of her noble qualities to keep them tolerant of her at all. In her business office she is commanding and savage, and the wonder always holds me when I have been thrown with her that she has been able to retain the position of trust she has occupied for years. All the efficiency and devotion to work in the world could not compensate me personally for the disagreeable traits that he who runs may read.

As a matter of course, her mother is the idol. She is principally to blame, when the girl was young and was permitted to fancy as she chose in the style and the habit has grown upon her with advancing years that every one prostrate should not reform herself even if she could. More than that, she does not appreciate her own shortcomings, and thinks there are unreasonable people in the world that she is entirely within her rights when she speaks out plainly to them about her.

The pity of it! She is preparing a lonely and loveless old age for herself. I contrast her with a spinster whom I knew in my own time who was most considerate and pleasant to those with whom she was thrown. I had passed some weeks in the house with her and one day I spoke to her of how agreeable she was to live with.

"I have to be!" she returned. "I am alone in the world and the last years of my life will probably have to be spent in boarding houses or in the homes of others. Isn't it the only wise thing for me to do to get in the habit of adapting myself to those by whom I am surrounded? If I wish to be welcome anywhere I must learn to be sympathetic and easy to get along with. It's a measure of self-preservation!"

It would be an excellent thing if more of those who are set in families would lay this lesson to heart.

As I have said, the keynote of the home is usually struck by the wife and mother. The soft answer that turneth away wrath must be on her lips when others offer provocation to dispute, and she must set the example of gentleness and forbearance. The [illegible] must be one of the kind I [illegible] think an exception to rules if [illegible] not appreciate her attitude and [illegible] to conform to it. While her children [illegible] properly trained, follow her [illegible] path she has marked out for them.

Yet even when there is [illegible] courtesy in the home there is usually a lack of that sympathetic [illegible] in which my correspondent refers. It is hard to work all day and [illegible] in the atmosphere of silence [illegible] critical disapproval, and [illegible] feel from which he comes in the evening. Does it not seem to him that she must have had a time to herself, that she must be able to relax and lighten his burdens? Why does she not share by making [illegible] and comfortable for him? [illegible] of fair return he could [illegible] sympathy in her [illegible] All I would ask her would [illegible] doing and share in her [illegible] times.

I [illegible] small because [illegible] may appear to him. [illegible] anything but diminutive [illegible] every woman knows that there [illegible] accumulation of trifles [illegible] catastrophes as [illegible] squeeze the last drop of milk [illegible] bones or to have the [illegible] "pull" or to have the [illegible] clothes blow down so that [illegible] have to be washed over again. [illegible] portant, perhaps, but it is hard [illegible] one's sense of proportion and [illegible] with an aching back and head [illegible] hands and feet. If John could [illegible] in her woe over such contingencies [illegible] share her exultation when [illegible] or the cleaning or the [illegible] rattles turn out well he would [illegible] great deal towards making [illegible] what it ought to be and is [illegible] to do the same.

"Will the love that you are [illegible]
Make a fire in the kitchen,
Or the little god of love turn [illegible]

Yes, I believe it will, and [illegible] both take the form of courtesy [illegible] adoration. Hard words may [illegible] bones, but they do fracture [illegible] crush spirits and discourage [illegible] the kindly words have just the [illegible] effect. Doesn't the Corner [illegible] say? Tell me how you manage [illegible] over homes and with what results.

FAMILY MEALS FOR A WEEK

SUNDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Grapefruit.
Cereal.
Broiled kidneys.
Salty buns.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
[illegible]
[illegible]
Tongued lamb loaf.
White sauce.
Omelets.
Coffee.

DINNER.
Bean soup.
Roast beef with Yorkshire pudding.
Peas.
Sweet potato puff.
Lemon meringue pie.
Coffee.

MONDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Cereal.
Bacon and fried apples.
Toast.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Minced veal from last meal.
Baked potatoes.
Crackers.
Cookies.
Bananas.
Tea.

DINNER.
Pea soup (left over).
Roast beef hashed and cooked over.
Mashed potatoes.
Lima beans.
Coffee.
Tea.

TUESDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Baked apples.
Cereal.
Baked potatoes.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
[illegible]
[illegible]
Creamed turnips.
Cornstarch pudding.
Coffee.

DINNER.
Pulled up soup (left over).
Baked beans.
Fried potatoes.
Whipped cream.
Cottage cheese.
Coffee.

WEDNESDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Cereal.
Bacon.
Cakes, [illegible].
Tea.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Baked beans and [illegible].
Warmed over potatoes.
Cake, [illegible].
Tea.

DINNER.
Bean soup (left over).
Boiled ham.
Cauliflower.
Potato puff (left over).
Tapioca pudding.
Coffee.

THURSDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Shredded wheat biscuit.
Cereal.
Toast.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Minced ham (left over).
Hominy cakes.
Baked tomatoes.
Creamed turnips.
Cornstarch pudding.
Coffee.

DINNER.
Tomato soup (left over).
Baked beans.
Fried potatoes.
Whipped cream.
Cottage cheese.
Coffee.

FRIDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Stewed prunes.
Cereal.
Parsley omelet.
Toast.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Potted up salmon.
Stuffed potatoes.
Quick biscuit.
Marmalade.
Tea.

DINNER.
Tomato soup (left over).
Baked bluefish.
Mashed potatoes.
Oyster plant.
Apple dumplings.
Coffee.

SATURDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Cereal.
Bacon.
Broiled apple rings.
Coffee.

LUNCHEON.
Fish salad (left over).
French fried potatoes.
Pickles.
Crackers.
Tea.

DINNER.
Tomato soup.
Boiled fresh mackerel.
Tartar sauce.
Potato balls.
Cucumbers.
Coffee.

MARION HARLAND'S HELPING HAND.

Machine for Making Beads.

"WHEN you obtain the address of the correspondent offering the machine for rolling wall paper beads, will you send it to me? I am very anxious to obtain it for a dear old lady over 80 years old who tries to help her old husband by doing anything within her strength. I have just seen her and given her the pattern of these beads, but with this machine she could make more. Will you keep her in mind? She is so sweet and happy and never complains of her lot. R. J. McC."

I regret to say that the machine referred to has already been given away. Is it possible that there is another one like it in the possession of some Cornerite who would care to bestow it on this old lady?

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To Amuse Invalid Boy.

"I have a little boy, an invalid, who takes great pleasure in collecting stamps, and if any of the Cornerites have some United States or foreign stamps that are not wanted by any boy would much appreciate them. I am not able to buy him anything to amuse him and the stamps are all he has to while away many a lonely hour. M. L."

This is the sort of appeal that touches us all closely, and I hope it may reach the heart of some one with stamps to give away. We have many stamp fanciers on our list, I know.

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Removing Paint from Glass.

"I see that some one would like to know how to take paint from window glass. Please tell her to use the old blade of a safety razor and go over all the spots with it. They will be removed without injuring the glass. In ironing smocking place the article on several thicknesses of a bath towel. I am sorry I cannot help more, but I have a sick baby who takes my time.
"M. B."

These suggestions will be welcomed because of their practical use and we appreciate the kindliness that even in the midst of the care of a sick baby could snatch a few moments to write down the hints and send them off to help others.

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Tatting in Exchange.

"I would like to correspond with any one who will do tatting in exchange for sheet music, slips of plants, quilt pieces, or silk scraps. I also have post cards and magazines for any who will pay postage on them. C. A. L."

We have a number of Cornerites who do tatting and also those who would like to exchange music, plants, and pieces. I shall be happy to put them into communication with C. A. L.

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Received Some Magazines.

"Some time ago I wrote to the Corner asking for magazines and for a home for a Great Dane and mastiff dog. I received five requests for the dog and appreciated them so much and it was with deep regret that I sent each one a card stating that the poor dog had gone to his happy hunting grounds. Some one had poisoned him. I have two letters yet to answer regarding magazines. I think the Corner is doing a splendid work. C. H. M."

I regret the sad fate that befell the dog and the disappointment of the would-be possessor, but I am glad to know of the prompt replies sent by the dog's owner.

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Canning and Preserving.

"As there are still a few fruits to seal up for winter use, I thought I would suggest to the makers of marmalade and fruit butter that they try stirring the contents of the kettle with a pancake turner. I find that it keeps the kettle bottom clean much better than a spoon and the annoyance from sticking or scorching is greatly lessened. Of course care must be taken not to have the turner in the vessel because of the chemical action of acid on metal.

"When canning or preserving fruits in large pieces it is well worth while to slip a tablespoon handle, freshly immersed in boiling water, down the sides of the fruit filled jar, in about three places, to assist in expelling the air, thus making sure of preservation, provided the jars and covers have been properly sterilized.

"The canning season is an admirable opportunity for the mother to help the child and the school teacher. Children love to watch the filling of jars of fruit. Our little girl notes the size of the small jars like of the larger ones. She learns the names, pint and quart. Then to her delight, with great care, she uses the small jar for filling the large one with water and finds that two pints make a quart and that one quart holds just two pints. In a way it is pleasing to her and the knowledge will stick! To me it is sad that so many precious children grow up without absorbing school principles to practical every day living, because the world is too busy to tell them how to do so.

"The recipe for golden salad dressing was tried and found delicious, and the whipped cream which I added made it more attractive.

"To remove the peeling from a tomato hold it on a fork over the fire until a little blister appears. It takes just a second and the skin can be removed without work and the fruit will be as smooth as when plucked.

"If a child gets gum in his hair, it is no longer necessary to cut off the strands. Take a clean toothbrush and a little saucer of gasoline, brush the locks carefully away from the fire, and all will come out.

"Here is my recipe for peach ice cream: Scald one pint of thick, sweet, cream, cool, add half a teacup of sugar, freeze to the mushy stage, uncover, and add one pint of canned peaches with their juice, first mashing them smooth with a potato masher. Recover and freeze stiff. This is velvety and delicious and will serve six people generously. M. M. W."

A suggestive and helpful letter! I hope we may hear again "early and often" from this Cornerite. Her letter, written clearly and in ink, and expressed lucidly, is a genuine pleasure to read after a large batch of notes written in rubbed pencil characters on both sides of the paper.

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Pickle Recipe.

"I saw in the Corner that S. B. W. wants a pickle recipe using one gallon of vinegar. Here is the one I used last summer, and the cucumbers stayed solid: Put together one gallon of vinegar, one cup of salt, one cup of sugar, and half a cup of mustard mixed smooth in water. Stir all well and put any number of cucumbers in at any time. This will make a three gallon jar of pickle. Can any one tell me the name of something to use for nits in the head? You put it on the head, wrap this in a towel for a few minutes, then shake the hair well and the nits will all come off. I saw it once, but have forgotten what it was. Has any one a copy of 'Gen. Persifer F. Smith's Grand March'? It is an old piece that my grandmother played about forty-five or fifty years ago. It is pretty. I have part of a page of it, but would like to get it all.
"E. C."

I am glad to print this recipe for pickle. I wish I could give the name of the remedy desired, but I have never heard of it. A little later I will print in the Corner a letter on this subject which may prove of service. I will file the address of E. C., and trust she may get the piece of music she desires.

Here is a recipe for S. B. W.: Pour boiling water over pickles and let them stand until cold. Drain and wipe dry and cover with the following mixture: One chunk of horseradish, broken up, half cup of salt, half cup of brown sugar; one gallon of cold vinegar, half cup of ground mustard. In two or three days put in a handful of sugar, and so on each day until three pounds have been used. Less sugar can be employed."

This letter is unsigned, and, as will be seen, the directions differ from those given in the preceding communication. Still another recipe has been received.

"I am sending in a recipe for cold process pickles, taken from a magazine of a couple of years back. I think this may be the one asked for recently: One cup of mustard, one cup of sugar, one cup of salt, one gallon of cider vinegar. Select cucumbers or gherkins not over a finger in length. Wash and dry them carefully; place in a stone or glass jar and cover with the liquid. Lay a small plate or board upon the pickles and weight down with a clean stone. If you raise your own cucumbers, pick them every day, wash and dry, and add to those in the jar. I have never tried this recipe, but my sister weights down similar pickles with a round board with a hole about the size of a 25 cent piece bored through the center of the board. She drops the pickles through this hole, which saves lifting the board every day. I thought perhaps the suggestion might be useful. O. A. N."

It is a practical suggestion, which will be useful to any housekeeper who makes pickles from her own garden. We are glad to have the hint.

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Silk Scraps and a Camera.

"I am a little girl 12 years old and would like to have a camera and some silk scraps. Will some one in the Corner be so good as to grant my request? If so I shall be much obliged, but I cannot pay the postage on them.
"D. G."

I think there is little question that the little girl will get the silk scraps she asks for, but I am not so sure about the camera. Cameras are much in demand, but it may be that some one possessed of one she will be glad to bestow on this 12 year old.

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Has Use for a Gun.

"I am sitt in the desert trying to recover my health. I have much use for a shotgun or an old rifle to get game, as the doctor advises me to do. If any one has a gun that is not needed I would appreciate it much, as I am unable to buy one, but will gladly pay postage on it. B. A. C."

I hope some one may be able to send the gun requested. It is bad enough to be exiled in search of health and any aid we can give the invalid is a benefit to us as well as to him.

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Little Girl Wants Violin.

"Some months ago I asked through the Corner for a child's violin. I had a letter from some one who offered me one and I wrote that if she would have the violin weighed I would be glad and told her that, whether it has a case or not, it would have to be sent in a box. I never heard from her again and my little girl is still asking for a violin. I have a large family Bible which would be nice for a preacher in a small place if he has no Bible for his pulpit. I could not pay express charges, but if any one would send a call for it I would be glad to give the book. I have some embroidery patterns clipped from the paper and if any one would tell me what kind she wanted I would be glad to exchange the patterns for narrow crochet edging or tatting for children's garments. It would have to be a small pattern. J. M."

I do not understand the failure of the friend who offered the violin to reply to your letter and I trust this appeal may meet with more satisfactory results. I am sure the gift of the Bible will be eagerly welcomed and I hope you may arrange for the exchange of the patterns and tatting.

FOR THE INDUSTRIOUS NEEDLEWOMAN

BY ADELAIDE BYRD

MAKE "THE MAN" a LAUNDRY BAG

DESIGNED BY ELIZABETH MILLER

"If THERE is any one I hate to buy a gift for, it's a man." How many times have you heard remark and how many more will you hear it within the com- ing weeks. But every time the phrase is uttered in your hearing can rest back contentedly, knowing you have solved the man-gift prob- by making your various male rela- and friends a laundry bag. Of the receipt of a plain, ordinary- bag would be a disappointment one, but a bag ornamented with propriate design neatly worked by hands is another story. You can for weeks, and I don't think you find a simpler and more effective for a laundry bag than the one on this page today. One thing the recipient will not mistake of the receptacle.

more care taken in the selection material for the bag, the more ive will be the bag. Among the materials is linen in white, green or old rose. Pyrograved can be used, but the design not look so well on this as it on a plain background.

is at liberty to make the bag any but the regulation size to limit long piece of material is used it folded at the bottom, thus avoid- necessity for making a seam. nine neat seams should be made, may be French or, if preferred, may be bound with tape. Turn tops and allow for a casing thru a tape or ribbon is to be run as drawing.

other way to make the bag is to in strips of material, the under ner than the top one. The extra is to be turned up and buttoned inside into position, and when it time to empty the bag the flap unbuttoned and the soiled clothes fall the basket. There is thus no neces- for removing the bag from its in order to facilitate the work filling the clothes into the bag the can be slit from the seaming for several inches. It will then be sary to adjust the drawstring when a soiled article is put into the

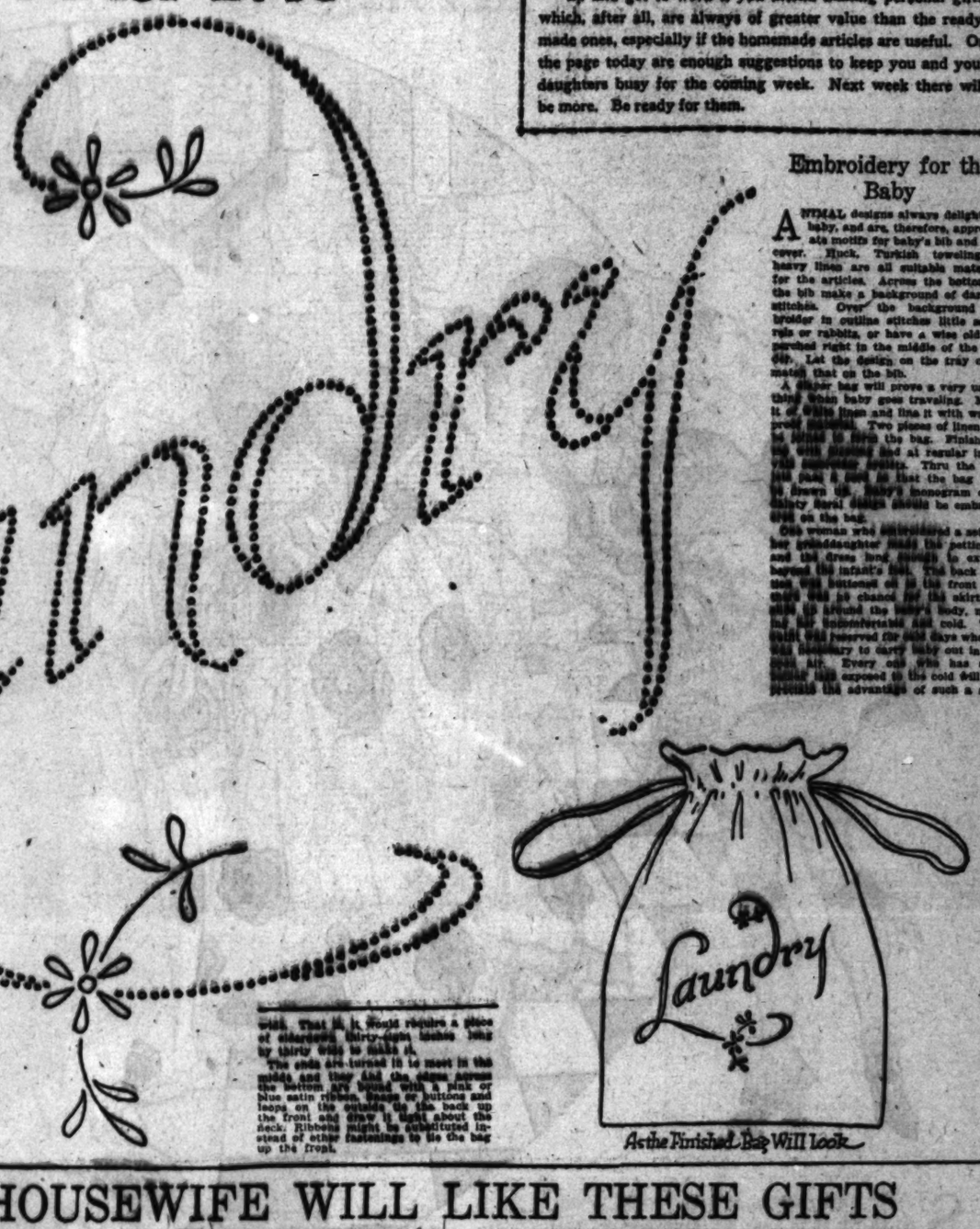
must of mention that one could the Turkish towels with great ef- for the fastening of the bag. The could be embroidered on this as well as on any of the other materials mentioned.

You will observe that the French knot is the stitch favored for the develop- ment of the word "Laundry." There could be no simpler stitch chosen. For the uninitiated it may be well to give directions for making the French knot. Bring the needle up thru the dot to be covered. Hold the needle over the dot, with the point toward the left, twist the thread once around the point—twice if you desire a large knot. Hold the silk with the left hand and pass the needle and thread back thru the material. To make a neat knot twist the silk close to the material.

The little flowers finishing the graceful scroll of the letter D and the letter b can be worked solid or, if desired, the petals and leaves might each be worked in the lazy-daisy stitch, the centers of the flowers being worked solid and the stems outlined.

The color chosen for the embroidery will depend upon the color of the bag. I advise you, however, to use a contrasting color. The design will show to better advantage.

Altho the bag is suggested for a man, it is also appropriate for a woman. The difference between the bags for the two sexes might be in the colors, the delicate shades being reserved for the woman.



Design for Bag

GET TO WORK

IT WON'T be long now before Christmas is here, so take the tip and get to work if you intend making personal gifts, which, after all, are always of greater value than the ready-made ones, especially if the homemade articles are useful. On the page today are enough suggestions to keep you and your daughters busy for the coming week. Next week there will be more. Be ready for them.

Embroidery for the Baby

ANIMAL designs always delight the baby, and are, therefore, appropriate motifs for baby's bib and tray cover. Huck, Turkish toweling or heavy linen are all suitable materials for the articles. Across the bottom of the bib make a background of darning stitches. Over the background embroider in outline stitches little squirrels or rabbits, or have a wise old owl perched right in the middle of the border. Let the design on the tray cover match that on the bib.

A shaker bag will prove a very useful thing when baby goes traveling. Make it of white linen and line it with waterproof material. Two pieces of linen can be folded to form the bag. Finish the top with pinking and at regular intervals eyelet openings. Thru the eyelets run a cord so that the bag may be drawn up. Baby's monogram or a dainty floral design should be embroidered on the bag.

One woman who embroidered a set for her granddaughter made the petticoats and the dress long enough to extend beyond the infant's feet. The back section was buttoned on in front and there was no chance for the skirts to ride up around the baby's body, making her uncomfortable and cold. This outfit was reserved for cold days when it was necessary to carry baby out in the open air. Every one who has seen babies thus exposed to the cold will appreciate the advantage of such a set.

THREE CHRISTMAS WORKBAGS

OF COURSE there is a workbag on your Christmas gift list. It wouldn't be Christmas if you did have a workbag in progress or at contemplation. The vogue for and crocheting has grown to extent that every one can use workbags as come her way, be afraid to add several new to your list of makable gifts.

is a small bag which is as pleas- simple to make. The require- are a piece of ribbon to go around of the bag and a ball of ere- or silk to add a bottom and inside match to the ribbon. The is gathered into a made tassel bottom and the top is gathered cards made from the cotton and is inserts or crocheted balls. The of this bag is that it gives the of a crocheted bag without much time to make, as the done away with a lot of the cro- Of course, the wider the the less crochet.

another workbag which is this season, and that is the bag doll. She has a bisque head but her voluminous skirts are up on a capacious workbag of which ties up with ribbon around baby's waist. She is attached side of the bag, and her legs, if she has any, are allowed to dangle within the bag, and act as pincushions. A flannel petticoat acts as a very convenient needle book.

Two bags in one make use of two sizes of tin boxes such as marshmallows, crackers, tobacco or other perishable commodities come in. The boxes should be shallow, the larger one at least eight inches in diameter and the smaller one three or four. Air the boxes well and give them a coat of white enamel, allowing them to air again until the smell of paint has disappeared. Then from three-eighths of a yard of yard-wide cretonne cut a disk to fit the bottom of the larger box and to it sew with a French seam a strip of nine inches in which you have turned a hem and casting at the top. Join the ends of this strip in a French seam also. Slip the tin box (without a cover) into this bag and run colored tapes or ribbons thru the casings. Repeat the process with the smaller box, and you will have two practical bags, the smaller one to be contained in the larger one, to hold any all work like tatting or just thimble, needles, thread, etc. The tin boxes can be pierced around the edge occasionally with an awl so that they can be tacked into the bags, but this is not absolutely necessary. When the cretonne is soiled it can be removed in a jiffy, laundered, and the box bottoms replaced to make two firm comfortable bags.

The Little Gift

you beginning to feel desperate that long Christmas list of ? Why don't you follow the so many people are taking to that is the fad of the little between a card and an gift, something that can't cost a dollar at most? Most of gifts come in festive pack- obtained by an appropriate and the selection in already pre- gifts of this sort is very large.

not be your own manufacturer this time"? Decide on a few at- little articles, buy your boxes , covering them with flow- stenciling or drawing a thereon, or merely pasting tyled on colored paper on the

the small gift box you have sheets of makable articles. some mighty cunning book- of tooled leather hung on silk which the girl who is experienced can fashion with little They are cut in the form of fantastic beasts and birds. prove an amusing gift for or even for a child.

board cover of unbleached with cotton tape and for tying into place around the board will be a welcome housekeeper. Wrap it up and put a cute little verse something about "a friend with may keep plenty of pressing packets of blending tissue and incloses it in an envelope gayly decorated with stenciled designs suggesting mending day. It will make a thoughtful gift for man or maid.

Imagine the joy of some little one when he or she opens a box tied with gay ribbons to find a ball of wool with directions to unwind it and put together what would be found therein. You can put one of these gifts together by cutting from a magazine some bright picture interesting to a youngster, pasting it first on linen and then on a heavy cardboard, and cutting it up into a jig-saw puzzle. Wind the pieces in the wool and put the ball in an attractive box.

How to Transfer

HERE are suggestions for transferring the design before you to any material.

Perhaps the easiest w is the "window-pane" method. This is successful when the material is thin, like linen, batiste, etc. Pin the sheet of paper and the material together and hold them up against the glass of a window. With a sharp pencil draw on the material the design, which can be easily seen thru the goods. If one-half of the design only is given, unpin the paper and turn the other side to the fabric.

If you have carbon paper you should place the sheet between the fabric and the newspaper. The latter is on top. With a sharp pencil go over the outline of the design. The impression will be left in fine lines and will last until worked.

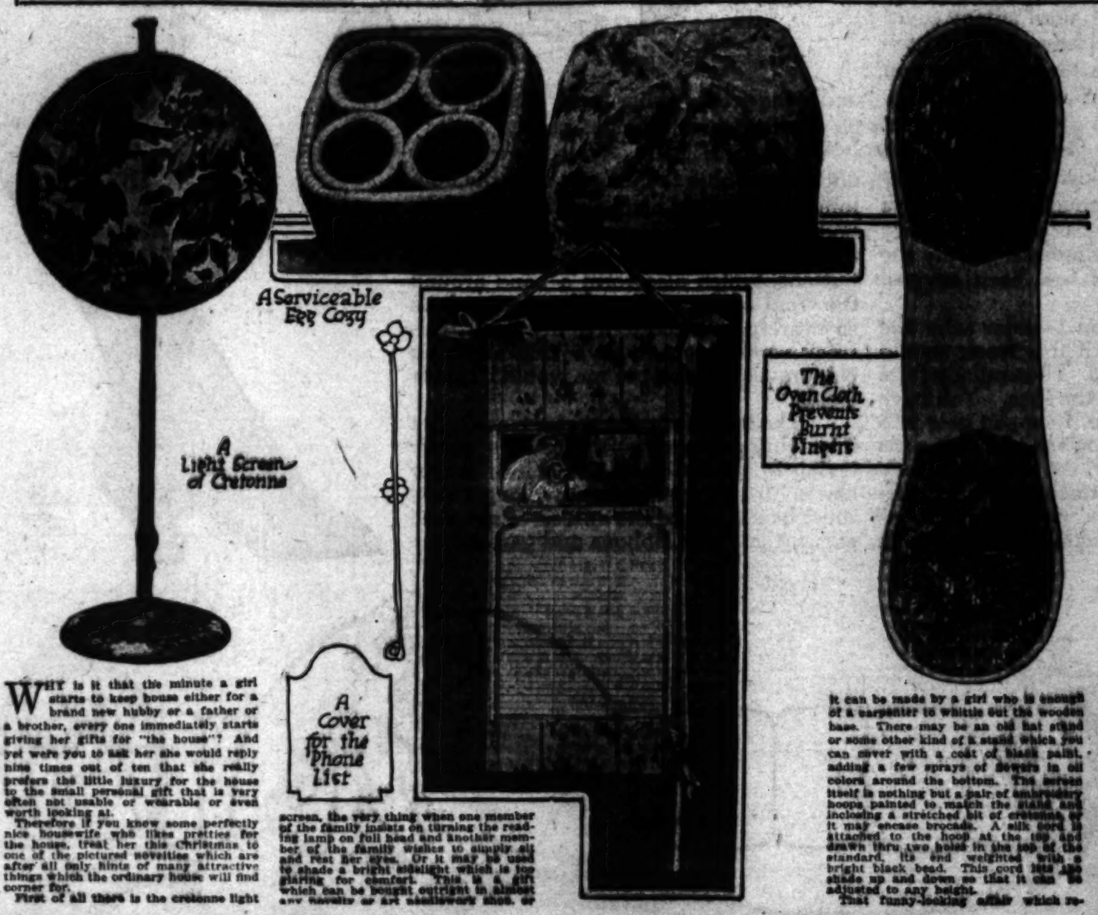
Of Eiderdown

WHEN Santa Claus comes down the chimney on Christmas eve he never forgets the baby of the family, and neither should its admiring relatives and friends. Here is a real gift that both baby and his mother will appreciate, a slumber bag. It is made of soft white eiderdown, about thirty inches long and nineteen inches wide. That is, it would require a piece of eiderdown thirty-eight inches long by thirty ins to make it.

The ends are turned in to meet in the middle and then laid the edges across the bottom are bound with a pink or blue satin ribbon. Snaps or buttons and loops on the outside flap keep up the front and draw it tight about the neck. Ribbons might be substituted instead of other fastenings to tie the bag up the front.

As the Finished Bag Will Look

MRS. HOUSEWIFE WILL LIKE THESE GIFTS



WHY is it that the minute a girl starts to keep house either for a brand new hubby or a father or a brother, every one immediately starts giving her gifts for "the house"? And yet were you to ask her she would reply nine times out of ten that she really prefers the little luxury for the house to the small personal gift that is very often not usable or wearable or even worth looking at.

Therefore if you know some perfectly nice housewife who likes pretties for the house, treat her this Christmas to one of the pictured novelties which are after all only hints of many attractive things which the ordinary house will find corner for.

First of all there is the cretonne light screen, the very thing when one member of the family insists on turning the reading lamp on full head and another member of the family wishes to simply sit and rest her eyes. Or it may be used to shade a bright sunlight which is too glaring for comfort. This is a gift which can be bought outright in almost any novelty or art needlework shop, or it can be made by a girl who is enough of a carpenter to whittle out the wooden base. There may be an old hat stand or some other kind of a stand which you can cover with a coat of black paint, adding a few sprays of flowers in oil colors around the bottom. The screen itself is nothing but a pair of embroidery hoops painted to match the stand and inclosing a stretched bit of cretonne or it may encase brocade. A silk cord is attached to the hoop at the top and drawn thru two holes in the top of the standard, its end weighted with a bright black bead. This cord helps adjust the shade up and down so that it can be adjusted to any height.

That funny-looking affair which resembles a pair of unin flated water wings is an oven cloth. No more burnt fingers for the friend for whom this gift is intended. Heavy unbleached muslin is used for it with bright cretonne to make the pockets in each end. At the ends where the hands are to be slipped into the pockets a thick padding of the muslin makes the cover a protection against hot pans. A thin sheet of asbestos will make this more practical yet. Think in how much better frame of mind Mrs. Housewife will attack the Christmas turkey if she has one of these gift oven cloths over her hands.

Every family has a few "regular" phone numbers which escape the mind at crucial moments. Put the butcher's and baker's and doctor's phone numbers on a plain telephone pad and slip this pad into a strip of ribbon sewed up to make two shallow pockets at each end. If ribbon is too dainty for the corner where you know the house telephone to be, use a strip of cretonne, printed linen or brocade. Don't forget to hang a pencil with this pad.

Cold eggs! Ugh! the very thought makes one shudder. And yet how often a painstaking hostess is forced to serve cold eggs because she has no way of keeping them warm. Give her an egg cozy. The one pictured has a foundation of a straw basket with four straw egg cups. The cover is a well-padded affair of cretonne. One could utilize almost any sort of covered box or basket, using small china egg cups in any number which would fit the box. The cretonne cover would remain the same.

There, with four such very useful novelties before you, surely you won't go and give your housekeeping friend a dozen of which she has a dozen, or another china vase which will add to her dusting task every week.

A Bag Pillow

THE moving pictures have shown some pathetic scenes where the heroine, an orphan child, poor and homeless, gathers a bundle of hay beneath her head and lies down for a sleep in the fresh air. Just the opposite picture might be shown of an only daughter surrounded by luxury allowed to curl up on her chaise longue and rest her head against a silk bag which is one of the latest things in pillows.

The bag pillow is a novelty which has the virtue of being practical—something which cannot be said of every novel thing. To make such a pillow, a piece of silk about two yards square or a huge circle of silk may be used. About (?) inches in from the edge of the material run a gathering thread. Before drawing the material together insert a filler which will fit the cover. Then pull on the gathering thread. Cover the opening with two tabs of silk and weight each tab with a silk tassel. Silver cord could be used in place of silk with very novel results. A monogram embroidered on the pillow would add to its value.

LS FOR A WEEK.

LUNCH
Just Milk.
Assorted Sweet Lunch.
Potato Salad.
Cocoanut.
Tea.
DINNER.
Tomato Soup.
Fillet of Sole, Lemon Butter.
Fried Potatoes.
Whipped Potatoes.
Cream Pudding.
Coffee.

WEDNESDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Oranges.
Cereal.
Bacon.
Quick Muffins.
Tea.
Coffee.
LUNCHEON.
Salad Sweet and Sour.
Warmed over Muffins.
Cold Apple.
Tea.
DINNER.
Beef and Spaghetti with Mushroom Sauce.
Cauliflower.
Orange Jell Salad.
Tapioca pudding.
Coffee.

THURSDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Cereals.
Hominy and cream.
Eggs and Bacon.
Toast.
Coffee.
LUNCHEON.
Cold meat and Potato Salad.
Bread and Butter.
Cocoa.
DINNER.
Cream Soup.
Baked Pork and Apple Sauce.
Mashed Potatoes.
Fried Apples.
Coffee.

FRIDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Stewed prunes.
Cereal.
Fritter omelet.
Toast.
Coffee.
LUNCHEON.
Fried to rabbit.
Stuffed potatoes.
Quick Biscuit.
Marmalade.
Tea.
DINNER.
Tomato soup (left over).
Baked bluefish.
Mashed potatoes.
Oyster plant.
Apple dumplings.
Coffee.

SATURDAY.
BREAKFAST.
Bananas.
Cereal.
Coffee.
LUNCHEON.
Fish salad (left over).
French fried potatoes.
Custard.
Cocoa.
Tea.
DINNER.
Tomato Soup.
Baked Pork and Beans.
Fried Apples.
Boiled Potatoes.
Coffee.

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The Garter Frock—It's Harmless



STARS and garters, what a frock! And to think it is just as harmless as the garter snake itself, until milady coyly lifts her skirt and discloses—whisper it!—a real shirred ribbon garter, and shows you that it is really part of the frock. How appearances do deceive! Here is the most demure little dance frock imaginable which a swish of the skirt turns into something suggestive of naughty court days when a lady's garter was a favor eagerly sought by her train of suitors. Truly the Order of the Garter has been revived anew!

At first sight you wonder why the slender ankles beneath this frock should be so closely bandaged. Then milady flirts her skirt and you get the idea. You have to be shown, however, how she gets into the harness. Well, you see, she first dons the dress, slipping her feet thru the ribbon garters, which are attached to the stiffened hem. Then she winds the ribbons around her legs and ankles and snaps them under the arches of her feet. The slippers go on afterward. Simple, surely.

The dress itself? Well, it is a simple, untrimmed blue faille made with the now familiar Turkish hem and a very plain bodice showing a dropped sleeve. It buttons down the back with tiny rhinestone buttons, which also form a band around the front of the girdle. "Interest gathers so entirely in the bottom of my skirt," this frock would seem to say, "that anything elaborate on the rest of me would be sheer waste."

The reason for the garter frock? Let it be whispered very softly that it is merely trying to answer Fashion's call of longer skirts. If skirts refuse to grow longer they must be coaxed to the ankles; if not with sugar, then with ribbons and garters.

You Must Now Tie Your Frock To Your Feet

